



THE FALCON FORUM



End of Year Greetings!

*What is your favorite moment of the 2012-2013 school year?
We're sure that there are many different responses to
this question.*

*However, we suspect that all of them have something to do
with learning, being with other people, and having fun. The
more years you are at Fivay High School, the more
memorable moments you will have. Keep building upon
those recollections so that when you are in College, you will
look back with both affection and poignancy.*

*We wish the very best of luck to our graduates who are
leaving us. Your future awaits you....First the Hill and Now
the Mountain!!*

Have a safe and enjoyable Summer!

*Your Administrators,
Ms. Stone, Mr. Hermansen, Mrs. Jack & Mr. McDermott*

**Congratulations to Mr. Anthony Davis for being
selected as the Pasco Council Teachers of Math –
High School Teacher of the Year!**



Congratulations class of 2013....I wish you all a lifetime of dreams fulfilled. - Mrs. Cultreri / Ms. C.

You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself any direction you choose. You're on your
own. And you know what you know. And YOU are the one
who'll decide where to go.... **Dr. Seuss**, Oh! The Places You'll
Go! US author & illustrator (1904 - 1991) - **Sr. Class**
Sponsors - Ms. Linard & Mrs. Spack-Adams

*As you move on to new beginnings, remember and always
cherish the experiences you had, the memories you made and
the people you touched and that have touched you at FHS.
Today is the beginning of a new chapter in your life, so
always try your best, work hard and reach for the stars in all
of your goals and endeavors! - Mr. Borruso*

*You've finally made it! I am so proud of all you, and wish you the best of luck in your post high school endeavors. Congratulations
Class of 2013! - Miss Goodell*

Congratulations and good luck! Be true to yourself
and do the right thing. You will never regret it.
- **Ms. Owen**

Congratulations Class of 2013! You made it! Big shout
out to Evan Cline - great job on finishing strong!
- **Mrs. Spivey**

Looking back, it was all worth it. Finally a graduate!
Best of luck for a wonderful future. Stay Healthy! -
Mrs. Davis-Crews (Clinic)

Congratulations to Joe Ross, Steven Wetzel, Dalton Wasson,
members of the Fivay boys basketball team. Wishing you the
best of luck in the future. You did it! Now it's over, or it's
beginning, depending on which way you look at it.
Remember education is the key to unlocking your potential.
A high school diploma helps a little too. When the going gets

*The Best of Luck to all graduating Seniors! You did
it! - Mrs. Engel/Hallberg*

*Sara, It has been a long journey getting to this day, many ups and downs but you finally have made it! You have grown
into a beautiful young woman and I couldn't be more proud to call you my sister. I cannot wait to see what crazy
adventure the future holds for you! Congratulations little sister! I love you! - Erica*

On behalf of the girl's soccer team we wish you safe and happy travels. You will be missed! - **Coach Rizzieri**

"Do not go where the path may lead; go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." -Ralph Waldo Emerson
Remember it's nice to be nice. - **Katie Foreman (Attendance)**

Congratulations class of 2013, always follow your dreams! - Ms. Debbie Lyons

Wherever you go, whatever you do, believe in yourself! -Mrs. D'Avanzo

*You are soon going to mark the first step toward your graduation journey. As a parent of a senior at FHS, tears come to my eyes as I foresee
the moment where ALL seniors walk towards receiving their title as "graduates." Bigger challenges & obstacles will come your way-tackle
them with the same zeal and vigor! - Mrs. Diaz*

*For my son Justin Diaz: You have only given us reasons to hold our heads up in pride. We are so lucky to have you in our lives. Congratulations and best of
luck for a successful career. -Mom and Dad*

*While you have made life long friendships in high
school, you have many more wonderful experiences to
look forward to after commencement exercises....
'Make new friends, but keep the old, one is silver and
the other gold'. Mrs. Mathews*

To the Class of 2013: "Graduation is only a concept. In real
life every day you graduate. Graduation is a process that goes
on until the last day of your life. If you can grasp that, you'll
make a difference. " ~Arie Pencovici - **Ms. Dickert**

DATES TO REMEMBER

CALENDAR

MAY

- 1 Progress Reports
- 1 3rd Annual Students vs Staff Softball Tournament
- 3 Talent Show - Cafeteria 6:30 - 8:30pm - \$3.00pp
- 1- 3 EOC - US History
- 6 - 10 EOC - Biology
- 7 Senior Baccalaureate Service - 7:00pm
@ St. Mark's Presbyterian Church - SR 52
- 13 - 17 EOC - Algebra
- 17 Senior Exams
- 14 Adult Ed - Last Day
- 15 Yearbooks Distributed - SENIORS
- 16 - UNDERCLASSMEN
- 20 - 24 EOC - Geometry
- 22 EOC Exams End
- 20 Senior Exams
- 21 Senior Exams - Make-ups
- 22 Senior's Last Day
- 23 Day of Excellence: Underclassmen - AM
Seniors & Scholarships - PM
- 27 Memorial Day - **No School**
- 28 Senior Notification Day
- 29 Senior Breakfast 7:45 am - Cafeteria
- 29 - 31 Underclassmen Final Exams
- Graduation Practice

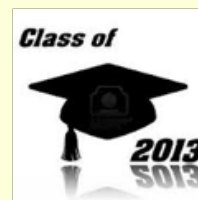
JUNE

- 2 Senior Graduation - 6:00pm USF Sun Dome
- 4 Last Day of School
- 5 & 6 Teacher Planning Days
- 13 Report Cards

*Congratulations 2013 Graduates....wishing you all a
lifetime of happiness and success in all you do!*

Have a safe and relaxing Summer!

REMINDER



SENIOR BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

*Come with your cap and gown at 6:15 pm and
join in the celebration of Faith. Friends and
Family are all welcome. After the ceremony,
refreshments will be served in the Fellowship
Hall. RSVP - Mr. Pete Smith 3-123 by May 1,
2013*

WHERE: St. Mark's Presbyterian Church
7922 State Road 52
Hudson, FL 34667
(727) 863-5646

WHEN: Tuesday, May 7, 2013

TIME: 7:00pm

DUAL ENROLLMENT REGISTRATION

Any junior or senior may take a college course at PHCC for college and high school credit if you have at least a 3.0 cumulative unweighted GPA and pass minimum reading, writing, and math scores on the PERT, SAT, or ACT test.

To register at PHCC for Dual Enrollment for the fall, please remember these important dates:

August 1 - Seniors may register for fall (GPA of 3.5 or above may register at 9:00am - all others at 1:00pm)

August 5 - Juniors may register for fall (GPA of 3.5 or above may register at 9:00am - all others at 1:00pm)

August 5 - Last day for any new dual enrollment student to submit a PHCC application for fall term, Summer dates will be posted on our Fivay website, to get registration forms signed by a guidance counselor prior to PHCC registration.

Any student taking a Dual Enrollment course on the Fivay campus will fill out registration forms in the first week of class, but an application for Dual Enrollment must be in to PHCC by Aug. 5 for any new dual enrollment student.

IMPORTANT REMINDER REGARDING ONLINE COURSE WORK

Seniors, Graduation 2013 is approaching fast. This year's graduation ceremony will be held at USF-Tampa (Sun Dome) on June 2nd.

If you are currently working on any online coursework via FLVS/Pasco eSchool, all coursework must be completed by May 10th so that final grades may be entered prior to the May 23rd official deadline for posting of senior grades.

Please contact Mr. Eliason in the Guidance office with any questions.



ATTENTION SENIORS!



CLASS OF 2013 GRADUATING SENIORS:

There is still time to order your cap and gown. Please visit:

www.herffjonesstpete.com





GRADUATION INFORMATION

Dear Parent/Guardian of a Graduating Fivay High School Senior:

In an effort to keep you informed and up to date on upcoming Graduating Senior Activities, this is a list of events that will occur in the next few months.

Important Dates to Remember

- Talent Show May 3rd - Cafeteria 6:30 - 8:30pm Tickets are \$3.00 per person
- Baccalaureate, May 7th, 7PM, St. Marks (optional)
- AP Exams – May 6th – 17th
- Yearbooks Distributed May 15th
- Online Classes Completed to be Eligible to Participate in the June 2nd Graduation – May 10th
- **Senior Exams – May 17th (Exams 1, 2&5), May 20th (Exams 3, 4&6), May 21st Makeups**
- Scholarship Night (Night of Excellence) - @ FHS Cafeteria 6:30 PM, May 21^{rst}
- Seniors' Last Day – May 22nd
- Senior Grades Due- May 23rd
- Senior Final Graduation Notifications – May 28th
- Senior Breakfast May 29th at FHS Cafeteria @ 7:45 AM
- Mandatory Graduation Practice May 29th Following Senior Breakfast, FHS Gym
- Senior Checkout, May 29th following practice- all debts must be settled prior to final checkout
- Mandatory Graduation Practice– May 30th at FHS Gym @ 8:00 AM
- Mandatory Graduation Practice – May 31st at FHS Gym @ 8:00 AM
- Cap and Gown Distribution- May 30th following practice
- Graduation – June 2nd @ USF Sun Dome. Seniors report by 5:00 PM. Doors open at approximately 5:15pm, Graduation at 6:00 PM.

Dress Codes

Scholarship Night - Business Casual (no jeans or T-shirts)

Graduation Practices - School Dress Code

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Graduation Practice

Attendance at graduation practice is mandatory for participation in graduation ceremonies. Students should not plan to leave until 12:00pm. Only students who properly checkout and attend graduation practice will be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony. The Assistant Principal (Mr. McDermott) is in charge of graduation and must review and approve any extenuating circumstances. Students will be sent home to change if they are not in Pasco County School District dress code, and this may jeopardize their participation in graduation.

Graduation Ceremony

Seniors are to report no later than 5:00PM to the University of South Florida Sun Dome in Tampa in order to line up for the ceremony. Please follow the signs upon entering the University of South Florida Sun Dome, as they will direct students and guests to the areas to which they should go. Students should enter at the Corral, which is to the right of Gate D.

Graduation Dress Code

Males

Dress pants with belt
Dress or collared shirt
Tie is optional
Socks
Dark Dress Shoes

Females

Dress Pants
Skirt or dress (appropriate length)
Blouse
Dark Dress Shoes

Absolutely no jeans, sneakers, flip-flops, bulky jewelry, scarves, ribbons, bandanas, etc.... are permitted. Also, ladies, please keep in mind that you will be traveling up and down staircases... the height of your heel should be kept at a minimum for safety reasons. Leave purses, cameras, and personal items with a parent or friend in the audience; they may not be taken in during the processional. Flowers or corsages are NOT permitted.

Graduation Gowns: Please carry your cap and gown into the University of South Florida Sun Dome. We will not have extra gowns on hand. Make sure that you bring yours to the ceremony. Gowns are to look like they did when received from the company. Nothing extra may be added to them.

Graduation Cap: The mortarboard (graduation cap) is to be worn flat with the tassel over the right eye. Once the seniors are declared graduates, the tassel is moved to the left side in unison with the class. Mortarboards are to look as they did when received from the company. Nothing extra may be added to them. We will not have extra caps or tassels on hand. Make sure that you bring yours to the ceremony.

Failure to comply with the dress policy may result in the student not being permitted to participate in the ceremony. Please carry your cap and gown to the Sun Dome. Security will do a visual search of all graduates.

Behavior

Graduation is a momentous occasion not only for seniors, but also for their parents, families, and friends. For that reason, the ceremony is to be held with dignity and courtesy of others. **All participants are expected to conduct themselves in a manner appropriate for the occasion, including the manner in which you walk across the stage. All participants must comply with the Pasco County Student Code of Conduct. Inappropriate behavior will result in your diploma being pulled and parents having to meet with school administration.** Anyone under the influence of alcohol or drugs will not receive his/her diploma and will be turned over to the appropriate law enforcement officials.

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Miscellaneous

- Improper noises and distractions will not be permitted
- Please refrain from using electronics (iPods, MP3 players, etc....)
- Please turn off all cell phones during graduation
- Family and Friends should remain seated as a courtesy to other graduates and their families
- Photographs- graduates will be photographed individually as they receive their diploma and congratulations from the principal. The photographer will notify graduates when the pictures are available, purchases are optional.
- No one other than FHS Staff and District School Board Representatives are permitted on the stage at the Sun dome.
- **Parking-** There will be a \$5 parking fee at the Sun Dome
- **Tickets** are not required for entry into the commencement exercises. For seating, your party should arrive at the same time if they want to sit together.
- All bags brought in by guests will be searched. No backpacks will be permitted in the University of South Florida Sun Dome. Cameras and binoculars will be permitted **only** if they are out of their cases (the cases should be left in the car).
- **Balloons, flowers, signs, noisemakers of any kind (including, but not limited to, bull horns, cowbells, whistles, air horns, or laser pointers) will NOT be allowed in the University of South Florida Sun Dome.**
- Concessions at the University of South Florida Sun Dome may be open before the ceremony begins. Food and drink can be purchased for guests only.
- Hearing-impaired services are available. Please contact Mr. McDermott, Assistant Principal, if you need this service.
- We recommend having a pre-arranged meeting place set with your graduate and family following the ceremony. Graduates will first have to pickup their diplomas following the ceremony in the area reserved for graduates and then will be able to meet at a spot immediately following this process.
- **Still need to order a cap and gown? Call Herff Jones at 727 381-7714**

Diplomas

Diplomas will be distributed alphabetically upon processing out of the Sun Dome. Students will report to the area where they checked in prior to the ceremony. Any student not meeting the behavioral requirements or whose financial record is not cleared will not receive a diploma. Records may be cleared by the bookkeeper, Mrs. Kathy Minichino.

After receiving your diploma, please exit the University of South Florida Sun Dome. We recommend having a pre-arranged meeting place set with your family.

If you have any further questions or need additional assistance, please contact your guidance counselor or Mr. McDermott. Parents you can reach Mr. McDermott at: 727-246-4003



SPORTS WRAP-UP CENTER



GIRLS SOCCER - Fivay HS is offering **Girl's Soccer Camp** for ages 7-13, **June 12-14 from 9:00am - Noon**. Price is \$60.00

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL - Volleyball Camp for **all ages, June 10, 11th and 12th from 9:00-1:00**. Price is \$50.00
If interested, please e-mail Coach McQuade at [<lmcquade@pasco.k12.fl.us>](mailto:lmcquade@pasco.k12.fl.us)

SWIM & DIVE TEAM - Calling all interested swimmers and divers! The Fivay Falcons Swim and Dive team will be holding an informational meeting on May 22, 2013 after school in room 4-222. Anyone who is interested in joining the team for the upcoming 2013 season (next school year) should attend. We are looking for anyone with any interest either in swimming, diving, or managing a team, regardless of your level of experience! For further information, please check out the Swim and Dive webpage under Fall sports on the Athletics page of the school website: <http://fhs.pasco.k12.fl.us/athletics/swimming/>

Congratulations to **Rachael Bradley** and **Ryan Mettler** who have been named **Athletes of the Month for the month of April**. WTG Falcons, keep up the amazing job!!

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY NEWS

FREE Math Tutoring is available in the Media every Monday - Thursday 2:00 till 2:30pm by NHS (National Honor Society).

Fivay High School's 2013 National Honor Society Inductees

Congratulations to the following students for being named 2013 National Honor Society Inductees:

Nicole Cosh, Zach Daniels, Noah Hayden, Dana Sterneman, Ashleigh Day, Monique Flores, Joseph Aldrich, Brittany Rummens, Courtney Watson, Breanna Tonello, Kaitlyn Wong, Maeghan Eaton, Chase Lambert, Erica Briggs, Kylee Merwin, Meghan Savoldy, Jensen Smith, Alyssa Dierking, Lauren Koerner, Riane Lisnock, Stefanie Ramotar, Jessica Johnson, Cole Weinbauer and Luke Calleja. Congratulations Falcons!

NEWS AND PICTURES FROM SCHOOL SPRING BREAK TRIPS

This spring break, Brian Borruso, took a group of students, parents and teachers to Europe. They visited Berlin Germany, Prague, Czech Republic, Krakow Poland, and Budapest Hungry. It was an amazing time for all. It snowed and was very cold at times but this enhanced some of the cities beauty and even helped them understand the conditions the prisoners had at the concentration camps. Of course, the kids loved making snowballs too! Mr. Borruso really enjoyed his group and all of their experiences and wouldn't trade the memories of this amazing journey with them for anything! He says, that he looks forward to doing more trips with students and teachers in the future because he was told and felt that seeing these places in person just brought out the history and beauty to each of them in a way that no textbook or video ever could!!



Bradenberg Gate Berlin Germany



Thermal Baths, Budapest Hungry



Krakow, Poland



Vajdahunyad **Castle**, Budapest Hungry



Berlin Wall, Berlin Germany



Berlin Wall, Berlin Germany



Reichstag Building Dome, Berlin Germany



Auschwitz, Poland

MORE PICTURES FROM SCHOOL SPRING BREAK TRIPS

During spring break six Spanish Honor students from Mr. Poletti's class traveled to Spain. The cities visited were Madrid (the capital of Spain), Barcelona, and Zaragoza. They had the opportunity to experience a variety of exciting places like the Basilica of La Sagrada Familia, Park Guell, Museo del Prado, and the Royal Palace, among others. The students also participated in Flamenco dance lessons and an art class.

For Spring Break 2014, Mr. Poletti will take another group of students abroad. This time they'll be going to Italy and will visit exciting cities like Rome, Florence, Venice, and Pisa. If you are interested, please e-mail me at: ppoletti@pasco.k12.fl.us and ask for additional information on how to join this trip.



STAYING HEALTHY IN THE SUN

- Minimize sun exposure between 10am-4pm. If your shadow is longer than you are tall, it is okay to be outside.
- Cover up with hats & clothing. Each inch of hat brim can lower your lifetime risk of skin cancer by 10%. Your best bet is to choose a hat that has a brim of at least 4 inches and choose clothing made of fabric that you can not see through.
- Wear sunglasses with UV filter protection. The eye is the second most common site in which melanoma develop.
- Check the UV index daily. This is a prediction of the sun's ultraviolet radiation and it is available on TV, the internet, radio, & newspaper.

(Source: <http://tray.dermatology.uiowa.edu/SafeSun/SafeSun-2.html>)

QUIZ

1. Anyone can sunburn. True or False?
2. Children receive about 80% of their lifetime's sun exposure by age 18. True or False?

Quiz Answers

1. True – Anyone can get a sunburn! Both dark and light skinned individuals need sunscreen. Research shows a link between blistering sunburns in children and an increased risk of melanoma (the deadliest form of skin cancer) and other skin cancers.
2. True – Children receive about 80% of their lifetime sun exposure by the age of 18! Medical experts now believe that protecting the skin as a child and teenager can significantly reduce the risk of skin cancer and premature skin aging as an adult.

UV Index Rating	Risk	Minutes to Burn	Precautions
0-2	Minimal	60	Sunscreen, UV Sunglasses
2-4	Low	45	Sunscreen, UV Sunglasses
4-6	Moderate	30	Sunscreen, UV Sunglasses, & Hat
6-10	High	15	Sunscreen, UV Sunglasses, Hat, & Umbrella
10-15	Very High	10	Sunscreen, UV Sunglasses, Hat, Umbrella, & Avoiding midday sun

(For more info visit <http://tray.dermatology.uiowa.edu/SafeSun/SafeSun-2.html>)

SUNSCREEN 101

- **Set a good example** for your children by protecting your own skin daily all year long with a sunscreen or moisturizer with a minimum sunprotection factor (SPF) of 15.
- **Understand UV radiation:** *UVA rays* make up the majority of our sun exposure because they pass through the ozone layer. They cause premature aging and contribute to skin cancer. UVA rays are also found in tanning beds. A UVA tan will not protect you from further sun damage. *UVB rays* can cause sunburns, cataracts, cancer, and immune system damage. Most UVB rays are absorbed by the ozone layer, but enough pass through to cause serious damage. *UVC rays* are the most dangerous, but fortunately they are blocked by the ozone layer.
- **Understand Sun Protection Factors (SPF).** The SPF number tells you how long you can stay in the sun without burning. Sunscreens work by helping to absorb the sun's rays. Sunblocks work by blocking or reflecting the sun's rays. A SPF of 8 filters out 86% of ultraviolet radiation. SPF 15 blocks 92% of damaging rays and SPF 30 blocks 96% of ultraviolet rays.
- **Apply sunscreen about 15-30 minutes before going outside &** don't forget to apply it to your lips, ears and exposed scalp.
- **Reapply** sunscreen approximately every 2-3 hours. Also, reapply after swimming or sweating.
- **Avoid** use on infants six months and younger because sunscreens may irritate baby skin. Care should be taken to totally avoid sun exposure during this period.

(Source: www.kisdhealth.org & <http://tray.dermatology.uiowa.edu/SafeSun/SafeSun-2.html>)

FALCON CREED*I AM PROUD TO BE A FALCON!**I am...*

- F** - Focused on Academics
- A** - Always Respectful of Others
- L** - Leading by Example
- C** - Committed to Excellence
- O** - On Time and On Task
- N** - Never Defeated

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