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## FIVAY HIGH SCHOOL



## Principal's Message

It is really hard to believe that the summer break is almost over. We are working diligently to ensure a smooth opening in August for the "Fivay

Community".

First Day of School Open House

Labor Day – No Scl

End of 1st Quarter

I want to take this opportunity to say "Thank you" to all of our volunteers and our business sponsors who have helped make this summer a success. Your hard work and your support is greatly appreciated. If you would like to volunteer, there are still days available. Check the website for more information

Parents, please be sure to stay involved in your child's education as they begin a new chapter at Fivay High School. Please sign up for an eSembler account, attend Orientation and Open House and check the website frequently for important information.

Enjoy the rest of your summer and I'll see you in August!

#### **Important Dates**

Orientation Day
First Day of School
Open House
Labor Day – No School
End of 1st Quarter
August 10
August 16
August 30
September 6
September 17

## **Fivay Administration**

Angie Stone - Principal Erik Hermansen - Assistant Principal Matt McDermott - Assistant Principal Cindy Jack - Assistant Principal

## FALCON NEWS AND EVENTS

## **School Hours**

7:30 - 1:55 PM

## **Summer Volunteer Dates**

Friday, July 16, 2010 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM Friday, July 23, 2010 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM Saturday, July 24, 2010 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM Saturday, July 31, 2010 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

## **Orientation Day**

Tuesday, August 10, 2010 9th Grade - Falcon Freshman

5:00pm-5:30pm Parent/Student Orientation 5:30pm-7:30pm Schedule Pickup/Tours

10th & 11th Grade

8:00am-2:00pm Schedule Pickup/Tours

## **Student Parking Passes**

All students wishing to park on campus are required to take a "Teen Driver Challenge" course being offered at River Ridge High School on August 5 and 6, 2010. Students are encouraged to contact River Ridge High School at (727) 774 – 7200 for registration information. The fee for parking decals is \$15.00 for the 2010-2011 school year.

#### Band

Band practice is being held every Wednesday in July from 8:00 AM until 12:00 PM. In addition, band camp will be held during the week of August 2 – 7, 2010. Please refer to our school website at <a href="https://www.fhs.pasco.kl2.fl.us">www.fhs.pasco.kl2.fl.us</a> for further information, including times. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Fivay High School Band, please email Brian Schmidt at <a href="mailto:fivayband@gmail.com">fivayband@gmail.com</a> or call the main office at (727) 246 – 4000.

#### **Athletics**

Summer conditioning is taking place for the following sports: volleyball, football, swimming, cheerleading and girls/boys basketball. Please view the Fivay High School website for further details, athletic participation forms and contact information <a href="http://fhs.pasco.k12.fl.us">http://fhs.pasco.k12.fl.us</a>

#### 2010-2011 Athletic Fees

Tryout Fees	N/A
1st Sport	\$ 60.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sport	\$ 40.00
Family (same school)	\$160.00
Individual cap	\$100.00

\*NO Tryout Fee: Students have three (3) days to pay fees after they make the team. No one will participate in game competition until fees have been paid.



## **Summer Reading**

Students are required to complete summer reading assignments for all English classes. These are all graded assignments and are due on the first day of school. Please view the Fivay High School website for further details on these assignments at <a href="http://fhs.pasco.k12.fl.us">http://fhs.pasco.k12.fl.us</a>

# **Fall Football Practice Schedule Posted**

The fall football practice schedule has been posted on the Football Webpage. Prospective Falcon players, please download the schedule and be prepared for our first season. Players need to have all appropriate paperwork completed as well as have had a sports physical turned in prior to participating.

#### **Dress Code**

Students must adhere to the following dress code guidelines for Pasco County Schools:

- Students may wear shorts and skirts as long as they are of a modest length. Modest length is no more than 4" above the knee.
- Students' clothing shall be worn appropriately, e.g., pants shall be worn securely at the waist. No abdomen skin or underwear is to be exposed.
- Blouses, shirts, and sweaters cannot dip below a line formed between the right and left armpit.
- Muscle shirts and tank tops are not permitted.
- Spaghetti straps and strapless tops are not acceptable.
- Tops must be long enough to clearly overlap the belt line or stay tucked in during the course of normal movement throughout the school day.

#### **Volunteer Information**

Please note: School volunteers must complete a new application and undergo a background check every year. Volunteer approvals are valid from July 1 to June 30 of each year. There are three ways to become an approved volunteer:

- 1. Fill out our new volunteer application online. Please note: You must be 18 or older (and not attending a Pasco County School) to apply on-line to be a volunteer. Students (peer volunteers) must download and complete MIS form #661, before sending it to the District Volunteer Program Office.
- 2. Visit your local school and tell them you want to volunteer. They will help you fill out the online application and match your interests to their needs. If you are unsure of which schools are close to where you live use our search resources.
- 3. Contact the District Volunteer Program Office at the following phone numbers: (727) 774-2207 (352) 524-2207 (813) 794-2207

## School Meal Prices and Free/ Reduced Meal Policy 2010-2011

The District School Board of Pasco County's policy for free and reduced-priced meals and new meal prices has been approved for the 2010-2011 school year. Under the National School Lunch Act, families who are below the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines may qualify for free or reduced-priced meal benefits. Families MUST complete a new Free and Reduced-Price Meal Application for the upcoming school year.

Families can apply online by visiting the Food and Nutrition Services Department website at <a href="https://www.pasco.k12.fl.us/free reduced">www.pasco.k12.fl.us/free reduced</a>; or applications will be available on August 2, 2010 at any Pasco County school cafeteria or administration office, at student orientation, and throughout the school year. A new family application MUST be submitted at the start of each new school year.

#### 2010 - 2011 Student Meal Prices

	Breakfast	Lunch
Secondary	\$1.40	\$2.50
Reduced-Price	\$0.30	\$0.40

## **Pasco County School Board**

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