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Journalism

Success, Nothing Less!

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Mr. Wesley McLain*

DISTRICT CHAMPS !!!

By: Brandon Adams

Coach Wesley McLain contributed to this article

As many of y'all may know, the football team has made it to be district champions! It has been a very challenging year for the team that came with a big payoff. When asked to describe the team's season, Coach McLain had this to say:

"What an interesting year! We were able to overcome several obstacles in order to be the 2020 8-2A District Championship. After opening with a scrimmage win against Richton 13-0, we played a tough 4A non-division schedule that resulted in 3 losses on the road against Purvis, Greene County, and Bay High. Unfortunately, after the Bay High game we had to forfeit the next two games because of being quarantined due to Covid. We ended up forfeiting our Pass Christian game and our biggest district opponent East Marion. East Marion ended up beating us last year for the district championship so this was a game we had looked forward to the entire season. We were able to overcome the district loss to East Marion by playing really well and beating St. Patrick and Collins to secure the district championship. We had a very good group of seniors that played really well this year for us."



WELCOME OUR NEW COUNSELOR

By: Donteria Bradley

Ms. Wendy Purvis, our new guidance counselor, graduated from Northeast Jones High School in 1994. She attended William Carey College in 2005 and obtained a bachelor of Science degree in Social Science with a minor in Biology. Next, she received her Masters in the Art of Secondary Teaching in 2009, also from William Carey University. In 2020, she earned her Master's Degree in School Counseling from Southeastern Oklahoma State University. Ms. Purvis is married to her highschool sweetheart of 24 years. Wendy Purvis has one daughter, Perri, who is a junior at MSU in Starkville. She also has 4 puppies. Ms. Wendy Purvis' hobbies include cooking, crafting, and reading. Wendy's advice to students is "Do the best you can, while you can, because regret is difficult to live with." Be sure to thank Mrs. Purvis



"A diamond is merely a lump of coal that did well under pressure." - Unknown

Girls Basketball Quarantine

By: Samantha Ray

The girls basketball team ran into a problem when one of the girls tested positive for covid. It was really not a good time for the girls to be quarantined because they really needed the time to practice because they had some games coming up they could not attend in. If they learned better in class then doing it online they will be missing the lessons that the teachers went over in class.

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The Covid-19 Pandemic

By: Nevaeh Bolton

The effect covid-19 had on this school year was drastic. It had a very forceful change to the way Perry Central accommodates their students. Unfortunately, the pandemic caused a delayed start in the school year. Parents and students were then given a choice to either attend school on a hybrid schedule or remain home and attend virtually. It is scary because you want to send your children to school to accumulate the proper education but, you also want to keep them safe therefore leading to a tough decision. 2020-2021 had a good bit of adjusting to do and most of us are still not quite there. It has been difficult for some students grade wise and teachers teaching wise. Face masks are a burden during school. Hopefully things will be back to normal sometime next year.



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SHOULD OUR SCHOOL SHUTDOWN?

By: Jacob Cowart

With the rising coronavirus virus numbers climbing, I personally think that it would probably be smart to shut down, but I really do not want us to. I love how the schedule is now and I wouldn't mind doing this schedule regularly with or without the virus. Most schools are having breakouts within the school and I don't want that happening to us but we have been good at keeping minimum contact between everyone. I believe that we could keep it like that. So in my opinion, we should not shut down and go virtual.



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Girls Basketball Schedule

By: Amelia Tyree

1. October
2. 29 Lumberton.....J/V V/G 5:00
- 3.
4. November
5. 3 Lumberton.....J/V V/G 5:00
6. 7 Salem.....V/G TBD
7. 12 HomeV/G V/B 6:00&7:30
8. 14 Home.....V/G V/B 2:00&3:30
9. 19 Mount OliveV/G V/B 6:00
10. 20 Greene County.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
- 11.
12. December
13. 3 Richton.....V/G V/B TBD
14. 4 Richton.....V/G V/B TBD
15. 5 Richton.....V/G V/B TBD
16. 8 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
17. 11 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
18. 15 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
19. 18 Home.....V/G V/B 5:00
20. 28/29 Sacred Heart.....V/G V/B TBD
21. January
22. 5 St Patrick.....V/G V/B 6:00
23. 8 Richton.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
24. 12 HomeJ/V V/G V/B 5:00
25. 15 Collins.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
26. 19 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
27. 22 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
28. 26 North Forest.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
29. 29 Home.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
- 30.
31. February
32. 2 East Marion.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
33. 4 George County.....J/V V/G V/B 5:00
- 34.

PCHS Soccer Schedule

By: Kaylen Brunet & Omarion McNair

- Nov. 12 @ Wayne County.....5:30
- Nov. 17 North Forrest 5:30
- Nov. 19 Wayne County5:30
- Dec. 1 @ North Forrest5:30
- Dec. 3 @ FCAHS 5:30
- Dec. 7 @ Purvis5:30
- Dec. 10 @ Magee 5:30
- Dec. 17 Columbia 5:30
- Jan. 8 FCAHS 5:30
- Jan. 11 @ Sumrall 5:30
- Jan. 15 @ Columbia 5:30

Boys Basketball 2020 Schedule

By: Makiyah Bolton

- November
- 12th Greene County.....J/V
- 19th Mount Olive.....J/V
- 20th Greene County.....J/V
- December
- 3rd Richton.....J/V
- 4th West Jones.....J/V
- 7th Greene County.....J/V
- 18th Salem.....J/V
- January
- 5th St.Patrick.....J/V
- 8th Richton.....J/V
- 19th St.Patrick.....J/V
- 22nd East Marion.....J/V
- 29th Mount Olive.....J/V
- February
- 2nd East Marion.....J/V
- 4th George County.....J/V

