



# Wolf Tracks



## Principal's Newsletter of Prospect Mountain High School

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PMHS opened on August 24, with 555 students enrolled! This number is an increase of about 90 students. The faculty, administration and staff remain committed to personalizing education for every single student at PMHS to assure that everyone has a positive and successful educational experience. This year administration and faculty will focus on tuning up the curriculum so that it is aligned with the newly released State Educational Standards and to prepare for accreditation through NEASC.

There are many ways you can enrich your child's education by becoming involved at PMHS. You could join one of the parent associations such as the PTSA or the Booster Club, and attend school sponsored events such as concerts, plays, or athletics. The school website, [www.pmhschool.com](http://www.pmhschool.com), is a wealth of information about upcoming events and happenings at PMHS. You can always contact me with questions, concerns or comments at [rholden@pmhschool.com](mailto:rholden@pmhschool.com) or by calling 875-3800. We look forward to a productive school year.

### New Assistant Principal at PMHS

*James Fitzpatrick* comes to the administrative team at PMHS with a very interesting background. He was a pro bowler at age 18, did traffic reports, and he was a social studies teacher and Referral Manager at Dover High School. His hobbies include writing situation comedy episodes for television. Welcome, Mr. Fitzpatrick!



*James Fitzpatrick, Assistant Principal at PMHS.*

### Faculty and Staff Recognition

*Paula Adriance's* biography will be included in the 2005-2006 Edition of *National Honor Roll's Outstanding American Teachers*. She was nominated by *Kelly Eagles* and *Sarah Tinkham*, who both graduated from PMHS in 2005. Congratulations, Paula!

*Karen Koch* and *Maria Dryer* have been selected for inclusion in the 2006/2007 *Manchester Who's Who Among Executive and Professional Women*. In addition, Maria has been recognized by the American Red Cross for giving 10,000 hours of service. She will receive a Community Service Award from the American Red Cross. Congratulations, Karen and Maria!

### New Pass System

Please be aware that the PMHS Administration has introduced a new pass system at school this year. All students have been given a Passport which they need to keep with them at all times.

The Passport allows a student to leave a class to go to the lavatory, the office, the nurse, or their locker, all with the intent of that student returning immediately to class. This system is meant to simplify and shorten the time the student is out of class.

Orange passes are to be used for a student to be excused from being tardy to a class, or to leave a study hall for an appointment with guidance or another teacher.

Yellow Library passes are to be used for a student who wishes to leave a study hall to work in the library. The student will obtain a library pass from a teacher whose class they are taking. Neither the study hall teacher, nor the librarian will issue a library pass to any student.

If you have any questions about the pass system, please contact the main office at 875-3800.

## Guidance News

### College Applications

It is not too early for seniors who are interested in continuing their education at a college or university to begin the application process. Please see *Mrs. Roy* in the guidance office to make an appointment with a counselor.

### SAT and ACT Test Dates

#### ACT Test Date

Sept. 16, 2006  
Oct. 28, 2006  
Dec. 9, 2006  
Feb. 10, 2007  
April 14, 2007  
June 9, 2007

#### Registration Deadline

Aug. 18, 2006  
Sept. 22, 2006  
Nov. 3, 2006  
Jan. 5, 2007  
March 9, 2007  
May 4, 2007

#### Late Registration Deadline

Aug. 19-25, 2006  
Sept. 23-Oct. 6, 2006  
Nov. 4-16, 2006  
Jan. 6-19, 2007  
March 10-23, 2007  
May 5-18, 2007

#### SAT Test Date

Oct. 14, 2006  
Nov. 4, 2006  
Dec. 2, 2006  
Jan. 27, 2007  
March 10, 2007  
May 5, 2007  
June 2, 2007

#### Registration Deadline

Sept. 12, 2006  
Sept. 29, 2006  
Nov. 1, 2006  
Dec. 20, 2006  
Feb. 2, 2007  
March 29, 2007  
April 27, 2007

#### Late Registration Deadline

Sept. 20, 2006  
Oct. 11, 2006  
Nov. 9, 2006  
Jan 4, 2007  
Feb. 14, 2007  
April 11, 2007  
May 9, 2007

## Fall Sports

A schedule of games for all the fall sports is included with this newsletter.

The installation of the new permanent bleachers is nearly complete. These bleachers are located by the track and are visible from the drive onto the school grounds. The bleachers hold up to 900 spectators.



Workers put the finishing touches on the permanent bleachers.

The scoreboards donated by Coca-Cola Corporation have also recently been installed. They are located by the track, the main field, softball field, and on the back baseball and soccer fields as well.

## Booster Club

The PMHS Booster Club meets regularly to support the sports teams at PMHS. If you are interested in information about the PMHS Booster Club please check

out the school website [www.pmhschool.com](http://www.pmhschool.com) and click on "Community."



This scoreboard is located by the track.

## Senior Spaghetti Supper

The annual Senior Spaghetti Supper will take place this year on Thursday, September 28, 2006, from 5:00 – 8:00 pm at Sandy Point Restaurant on Route 11 in Alton Bay.

The menu will include your choice of spaghetti with tomato or meat sauce, or vegetable lasagna with tomato or meat sauce, salad, garlic bread, beverage and dessert. The cost is \$6.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children under 12 years old.

## Class Elections

Class Elections will be held on Friday, September 22, 2006. Students interested in running for class office should see their class advisors as soon as possible.

## PTSA

The PMHS PTSA will reorganize this year. There will be an information night, hosted by *Mr. Holden, Jeff St Cyr,* and *Mrs. Fraser,* on Tuesday, September 26, 2006, at 6:00 pm in the Library. All parents, students, and community members interested are invited to attend. PTSA is a great way for you to become involved in your child's educational experience at PMHS. Please join us.

## Timber Wolf Trading Post

The school store, Timber Wolf Trading Post, is located in the cafeteria. The store carries many items including some school supplies, water bottles, bumper stickers, sweatshirts, T-shirts, sweatpants, and much more. The store is operated by students and is open during lunchtimes.



Some items you can find at the Timber Wolf Trading Post.

# PMHS Calendar of Events September, 2006

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 No School	2
3	4 Labor Day	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 Class Elections  Kick-Off Dance 7:00-11:00 pm Cafeteria	23
24	25	26 PTSA Info Night 6:00 pm Library	27	28 Senior Spaghetti Supper 5:00-8:00 pm Sandy Point Restaurant	29	30