

January 23, 2017

# PUCS POST



**January 27**  
**February 6**  
**February 24**

**PreK Day** - No School for Kindergarten Students Only  
**NO SCHOOL** - Conference Preparation  
**NO SCHOOL** - Parent/Teacher Conferences



## Tomorrow is Taco Tuesday!

If you pre-ordered tacos, or submitted order forms on Friday 1/20, your taco(s) will be available at lunchtime tomorrow 1/24.

Thank you for supporting PUCS ROBOTICS!



## REMINDER: PIZZA FRIDAY

ALL Pizza Orders must be turned in on Wednesdays. If you need order forms please send an email to [office@pucs.org](mailto:office@pucs.org) and we will send them home with your youngest child.



**Spring Production** needs someone to work on the **PowerPoint presentation** with students. Contact Christy Wauzzinski for more details.  
[christy.wauzzinski@pucs.org](mailto:christy.wauzzinski@pucs.org)

Our current Parent Association Team graduates this year! Be part of a dynamic group of parents that coordinate quarterly meetings and help facilitate other events throughout the year. Email [kathleen.bruning@verizon.net](mailto:kathleen.bruning@verizon.net) to start the conversation about how you can be a part!X



## Kindergarten Enrollment

We still have a few open spots available for Kindergarten in 2017-18! If you have a child that will be age 5 by August 31, 2017, please complete an application and return with the application fee as soon as possible. Please mark your calendar for PUCS PreK day on January 27<sup>th</sup>. If you know anyone considering applying for other grades to PUCS for 2017-2018, please encourage them to submit their application soon.



**Volunteer Clearances** – All parent drivers, overnight chaperones, or volunteers for any PUCS event must have an Act 33 Clearance (PA child abuse history) and an Act 151 clearance (criminal investigation) on file in the office. Please apply for your clearances online. There are no fees for volunteers. Once you receive your clearance certificates please forward a copy to [office@pucs.org](mailto:office@pucs.org)

Child Abuse Certificate <https://www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis/public/homeX>

Criminal History Clearance <https://epatch.state.pa.us/Home.jspX>



## It's Time for Yearbook Club!

All middle school PUCS students are invited to be part of the 2016-17 Yearbook Club. Each year this talented group of students is responsible for creating the annual PUCS Yearbook. The PUCS Yearbook includes pictures of all classes and grades as well as the many activities enjoyed by PUCS students and families. Yearbook Club will meet each Thursday from January 26 through March 31. We'll start immediately after school and end promptly at 4:30. Transportation home from club should be provided by parents. In order to participate, students must turn in a signed permission slip from parents.

If you have any questions feel free to contact Eric or Veronica Amundson at (412) 441-6410 or by email at [vamundson@gmail.com](mailto:vamundson@gmail.com)

And as always, don't forget to submit any photos you've taken throughout the year! Pictures can be submitted on-line by following the directions below.

- Go to: <https://images.memoryebooks.com/login>
- If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 407463592
- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload.
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Save Details".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today!

**IMPORTANT DATE CHANGE!!!** *The February Parent Association meeting has been moved to Friday, March 3rd! A Friday night meeting you say? IF YOU HAVE KIDS, you can't miss this meeting!*

*Parent Association is thrilled to screen the documentary, [Screenagers](#), created by a physician frustrated with her own family's screen interactions. The documentary offers solutions for empowering kids in how to navigate the digital world.*

*Screens are pervasive in our lives. Screen time, screen restrictions, screen choices are an unavoidable discussion as a parent. Let's learn together the science of the brain on screens so we are prepared for conversations ahead.*

*Children are invited to attend (recommendation of 10+). The event is open to the community so feel free to invite your friends! Watch for the link to purchase tickets online very soon. There is cost associated with the viewing so a nominal per person fee/family rate will be charged. Scholarship is available.*



PUCS has an instagram account! Follow us at @pittsburghurbanchristianschool. We are honoring the photo permission forms. Please feel free to email Chrissie Koerber ([admissions@pucs.org](mailto:admissions@pucs.org)) if you have any questions!