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Board Meeting 5/15/18

Student Organization Presentation

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PCHS's P.E.E.R Day, May 3rd, 2:30pm - 4:00pm, Main Gym

Objectives:

1. Validate PCHS's value in peer leadership & service
2. Educate students on the initiatives of each group
3. Encourage group collaboration during the 2018-19 school year
4. Recruitment across groups for support

P.E.E.R

Performance + Equity = Excellent Results

What Is Your Groups Vision and Mission Statements?

Vision - Focuses on tomorrow and what a group or organization wants to ultimately become.

- What do we do?
- Whom do we serve?
- How do we serve them?

Mission - Focuses on today and what a group or organization does to achieve it.

- What are our hopes and dreams?
- What problem are we solving for the greater good?
- Who and what are we inspiring to change?

Ambassadors

Palisades Ambassadors are a select group of students representing all aspects of PCHS who are committed to creating a better school community and empowered future leaders. Primarily focused on engaging with parents, future Pali High students, and community members, Ambassadors are responsible for school tours, community involvement activities, and ensuring that Palisades Charter High School is represented in the best light possible.

ASB Student Leadership

Vision - Focuses on tomorrow and what a group or organization wants to ultimately become.

- What do we do?
 - Leadership's responsibility is to plan, advertise, and create student activities for the enjoyment and unification of the student body. We represent the diverse student body at Palisades Charter High School and create a bridge of



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- communication between the student body and the administration. Moreover, the leadership class promotes a safe school environment through the fulfillment of tasks overseen by the administration during emergency drills. We provide the student body with a voice in their school's affairs through a variety of meetings, including Student Senate and Student Concern, and through technological platforms including but not limited to schoology and social media.
- Whom do we serve?
 - The leadership first and foremost serves the student body. Additionally, ASB supports carries out tasks as assigned by the administration with the purpose of improving the school environment and student relations.
- How do we serve them?
 - Through representation of the student body at board and Long Term Strategic Planning meetings, we are able to implement our ideas to directly benefit the students of PCHS. Furthermore, we assist with the carrying out of assignments which correlate with our ASB mission. We provide a system for direct student feedback and provide opportunities for students to get engaged in school affairs and activities.

Mission Statement- Focuses on today and what a group or organization does to achieve it.

- What are our hopes and dreams?
 - We hope for an equal and fair representation of the diverse student population of PCHS in regards to decisions made for planning events, academic policies, budgets, facilities, and any other affair within the school. We also hope to create an enjoyable high school experience for all students.
- What problem are we solving for the greater good?
 - In order to foster a positive and inclusive school environment that serves the needs of the students, leadership:
 - Bridges the gap between administrators + teachers and students through representative communication
 - Works towards creating a positive school atmosphere
 - Prioritizes/represents student needs in budgets, policies, and governance
 - Addresses concerns of the student body and help implement actions to resolve them
- Who and what are we inspiring to change?
 - We are inspiring to change the environment and inner workings of the school, in addition to student interactions and relationships with each other and the administration. We also provide opportunities for civic engagement, including by pre-registering to vote during school hours, as well as hosting events in response and in correlation with current events in which students can exercise their right to voice an opinion.



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DLA

The Dolphin Leadership Academy is designed to help prepare select incoming freshmen to successfully transition into the high school setting. The students will attend sessions that will help prepare them for freshman pod classes. In addition to learning academic skills and behavioral expectations, students will have the opportunity to learn about PCHS technology tools, student routines, graduation requirements, school spirit, sports teams, and clubs.

The mission of the Palisades Charter High School's Dolphin Leadership Academy is to bridge the gap between middle school and high school through enrichment activities and opportunities to build relationships with students and Pali staff.

Justice League

Our **Vision** is to raise social and cultural awareness, by serving and educating the community of Palisades Charter High School, through organizing social campus events that help raise social and cultural awareness, inspire positive change, and bring people together.

Our **Mission** is for all the stakeholders of Palisades Charter High School to value and support cultural, social and economic diversity. We aim to solve the problem of inequity and self-segregation in classrooms, and on our campus, by inspiring all the stakeholders at Palisades Charter High School to use empathy regarding one another.

How to become a justice League member:

A student must be a social or cultural club leader or member to gain membership to Justice League. (BSU, LSU, ASU, GSA, Human Rights Watch, He for She, etc.)

Initiatives:

- *Monthly Activity Days*
- *UNITE events*
- *Campus Unification Web Posts*
- *Social and Cultural Awareness*
- *Consult and collaborate with Campus Unification Director, Admin and Student Leadership for community days, assemblies and campus wide activities*

Future Goals:

- *Marketing campaign for Student Bill of Rights and Responsibilities and it's Concern Form*
- *Student informed and consistent Activity Days*
- *Student informed and consistent UNITE events*
- *Justice league retreat*
- *Group shirts*
- *Fundraising*
- *Training field trip*



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Link Crew

Vision

Built on the belief that students can help students succeed. Link Crew provides the structure for freshman to receive support and guidance from juniors and seniors who have been through the challenges that high school poses and understand that the transition to a larger school can sometimes be overwhelming.

Mission

Link Crew is a freshman transitioning program that welcomes incoming freshman and makes them feel comfortable and supported throughout the first year of their high school experience. Link Crew trains incoming juniors and seniors to support and be positive role models for incoming 9th graders.

Peer Mediation

Vision -

- What do we do? Facilitate conflict resolution for students
- Whom do we serve? All students
- How do we serve them? Provide a safe place for them to work out conflicts

Mission -

- What are our hopes and dreams? To create a peaceful integrated campus
- What problem are we solving for the greater good? Conflict, verbal violence, disputes
- Who and what are we inspiring to change? Students will learn ways of communicating that allow them to peacefully co-exist and will take that knowledge into the world to create better communities