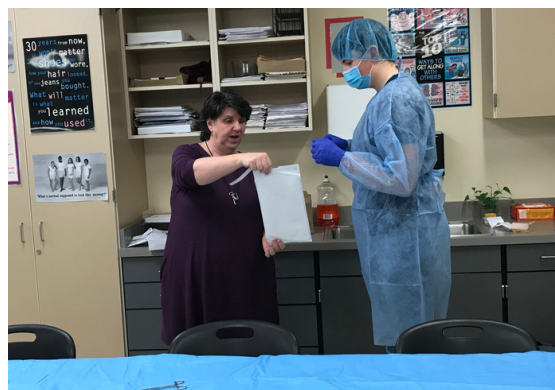


# WEEKLY WARRIOR

Official Newsletter of Philomath High School

## Celebrating CTE Month: Health Occupations

The Health Occupations program at Philomath High School consists of four main courses including health 1, anatomy, Introduction to health occupations and health occupations rotations. Students who complete the series are eligible to receive LBCC credit, work towards obtaining CNA licensure, and become CPR/First Aid certified. Students complete hands-on work through the various courses as well as gain real-world experience through collaboration with community partners and guest speakers. Donna Carter teaches the Health Occupations courses and has been at PHS for 35 years.



Graduate EVERY student and transition each of them into a job, training, or college.



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## Padar honored for scholarship achievement at assembly



Congratulations to Senior Roman Padar for being named a Finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program. Roman is one of 15,000 students in the country competing for a National Merit Scholarship.

## ASB hosts early morning gathering



Students and staff braved the cold Thursday morning to enjoy a warm fire and donuts in front of the school. The event was hosted by ASB. Thanks ASB for putting together this fun event.



## January Students of the Month

Congratulations to our November Students of the Month. Students are nominated and voted on by staff.

Front Row:

Sophomore - JJ Lewis

Senior - Kellen Houchin

Junior - Marshall Morrison

Back Row:

Senior - Macy Freeman and

Freshman - Astrid Cropp





# Dates to Remember

## February - Black History Month

- 18 Polar Plunge
- 18 Salmon and Jazz Dinner and Auction featuring PHS Jazz Band 5-8:30 pm
- 20 No School - Presidents' Day
- 25 Unified Basketball - Home Tournament 8 am
- 27 First Day for Spring Sport Practice

## March

- 1 Eighth Grade Forecasting for Freshman Year Begins
- 13 Erin's Law - Lesson 2
- 16 Coffee with the Principal 9-10 am at the High School
- 27-31 Spring Break

## Senior News

### Scholarship News:

Many scholarship windows will begin to close soon! Please pay attention to due dates and put time into applying for scholarships. This will save you money in the bigger picture of your life!

[Benton Community Foundation Scholarship](#) applications are due on February 28!

The [OSAC scholarship](#) application is due on March 1!

We have not received any applications for the [Philomath Community Foundation](#) scholarships. Applications are due on April 15 and need to be turned in to Ms. Drennen.

### Miners Graduate Services:

The representative from Miners Graduate Services will be on campus on March 7 during lunchtime to hand out graduation announcements, sweatshirts, and other items ordered by seniors. Please stop by to see him if you ordered items or if you have any questions.

### Senior Bulletin Board:

The senior bulletin board is under construction, and it's exciting to hear about each student's plans for after graduation. Using your school Gmail account, seniors are asked to fill out the [Google Form](#) to provide information for the board.





# Forestry participates at Scio competition



Sophomore Caleb Babcock and fresKynli Thompson

PHS students competed last week at the Scio High School forestry competition. The team placed second overall. Events included pole climb, choker set, cable splice, tree id, tool id, job interview, written expression, power buck, hose lay, arbor climb, and first aid.

PHS forestry will attend the Oregon Logging Conference in Eugene next Friday and help with Starker Tree Planting Day March 11.



Sophomore Aria Gassner



## Oregon Girls Sports Leadership Summit

The annual Oregon Girls Sports Leadership Summit will be held Saturday, April 8 from 9 am to 3 pm at Oregon Episcopal School. The OGSLS was designed to give female student-athletes with an interest in leadership the same emphasis on instruction, encouragement, and practice that we give athletes before asking them to compete. There is no cost to participate. This opportunity is recommended for all female student-athletes in grades 8-12. Over the course of the day, we will celebrate the history of Title IX, hear

from a Professional/Division 1 athlete panel, enjoy a keynote motivational speaker, and collaborate in break-out sessions that will include hot-button topics like... Defining my leadership style, What are my values as a leader? and Where will sports help take me in my future? Students will explore what it takes to be a leader, connect with their peers, commit to leadership, and create their own leadership style. Registration is open now and is limited to the first 500 who sign up.



# GUARD FOR A DAY

**SATURDAY MARCH 4TH, 2023**

**1PM TO 7 PM**

**ALPHA FORWARD SUPPORT COMPANY &  
2060 QUARTERMASTER DETACHMENT  
OF 1249 TH ENGINEER BATTALION,  
OREGON ARMY NATIONAL GUARD**

Invite you to spend a day training with Soldiers, learn ing what it means to be an essential member of a team, and finding out why we love serving our community as Citizen Soldiers.

Family members of interested individuals with questions or concerns are also welcome to attend. Ask questions from family members of currently serving Soldiers. You'll be able to see for yourself how your loved one can benefit greatly from enlisting in the Army National Guard.



## BENEFITS

- \*Up to \$20K Enlistment Bonus
- \*Federal & State Tuition Assistance (free college!)
- \*Low Cost Health Insurance for Soldiers and their dependents
- \*\$0 Down on Home Purchase with VA Home Loan
- \*and More!



### EVENT ELIGIBILITY:

STUDENTS MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 16 YEARS OLD OR JUNIOR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL  
NON-PRIOR SERVICE AGE - MAXIMUM 35 YEARS OLD  
PRIOR SERVICE AGE – MUST BE ABLE TO QUALIFY FOR RETIRED PAY (20 YEARS OF SERVICE) BY  
AGE 60

## CONTACT

FOR INFORMATION OR  
TO SIGN UP FOR THIS EVENT

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# PHILOMATH DANCE

The PHS Shinning Stars dance team hosted a competition last weekend with 10 teams in attendance. Out of three teams in the high school division, PHS placed first in hip hop, second in jazz and third in contemporary. Junior Jadyn McMullen and senior Stella Neville placed in drill down.



## DANCE TEAM

JADYN MCMULLEN  
KAYLI BLAKE  
MORGAN GROSS  
SHAYLYN NOBLE  
STELLA NEVILLE  
ABIGAIL WORKMAN  
WYNNIE NANOSKI  
ALEXA ECKHOLD  
ASTRID CROPP  
GIANNA LUSARDI  
GINNAH HOPPER

## COACHES

STEFANIE LARSON  
MICHELLE PARK





# WRESTLING SENIOR NIGHT



Chase Ringwald



Caleb Blackburn

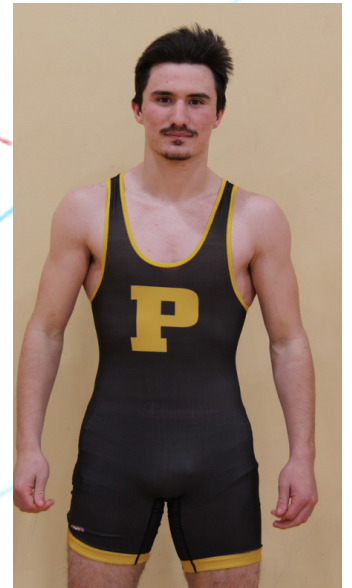
Warrior wrestling honored its seniors last Friday night at their dual meet against Central High School. PHS defeated Central with a score of 63-17. Chase, Caleb, David and Ben all wrestled four years with the Warriors. Ty wrestled at PHS his junior and senior years.



David Griffith



Ben Hernandez



Ty Olson

# ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

## Warrior Results

### **Girls Basketball** (League: Oregon West Conference)

- Overall Record 14-6, Ranked #5, 7-1 in League
- Defeated North Marion 58-20
- Defeated Sweet Home 64-18

### **Boys Basketball** (League: Oregon West Conference)

- Overall Record 18-2, Ranked #1, 7-1 in League
- Defeated North Marion 53-52
- Defeated Sweet Home 53-20

### **Swimming** (League: Special District 4)

- Girls & Boys both finished 3rd at Regionals
  - State Qualifiers
    - Carrson Hirte 200 medley relay, 200 IM, 100 backstroke
    - Kellen Houchin 200 medley relay
    - Cameron McLennan 200 medley relay
    - Henry Katsikis 200 medley relay
    - Emmitt Gaskey 200 medley relay
    - Kyah Weeber 100 breaststroke, 200 IM

### **Wrestling** (League: Special District 2)

February 9 at Junction City

- Philomath 57 - Junction City 11
- Philomath 77 - North Eugene 12

February 10

- Philomath 63 - Central 17



## This Week

### **Saturday, February 18**

- Cheer at OSAA Championships

### **Sunday, February 19**

- No Events

### **Monday, February 20**

- Basketball at Sweet Home

### **Tuesday, February 21**

- No Events

### **Wednesday, February 22**

- JV2 Girls BBall at CV

### **Thursday, February 23**

- Basketball vs Stayton

### **Friday, February 24**

- Swimming State
- Wrestling Regionals

### **Saturday, February 25**

- Swimming State
- Wrestling Regionals
- JV Girls BBall vs S. Medford
- OCCA Cheer Championships

### **Sunday, February 26**

- No Events

### **Monday, February 27**

- Basketball vs Cascade (Senior Night)

## Booster Club

The next Booster Club Meeting is March 13 at 6 pm in the PHS Community Conference Room.