

PCHS Student Council Spring Elections Application
STUDENT BODY OFFICERS
2017-2018

***Please return your application to Mr. Gatlin (Mod 4-Room 1) by the Mandatory Candidates' Meeting on Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at SMART Lunch A at 10:35 am.**

Printed Name _____ **Date** _____

Class that you will be in NEXT year (circle): **Junior** **Senior**

Position for which you are running _____
(Choices are President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, and Historian)

A. Peer Signatures – You must find 25 students at Panther Creek who endorse your campaign. Candidates for student body may have endorsements from any student, but candidates for class offices must find students in that class.

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 5. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 8. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 11. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 13. _____ | 14. _____ | 15. _____ |
| 16. _____ | 17. _____ | 18. _____ |
| 19. _____ | 20. _____ | 21. _____ |
| 22. _____ | 23. _____ | 24. _____ |
| 25. _____ | | |

B. Teacher Signatures – Please have your **current** four teachers sign verifying that they support your candidacy and **include current overall grade**. Teachers should consider your work ethic, positive influence on others, and conduct during class before signing.

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| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |

C. Essay – Please answer the following topic in two typed double-spaced pages (12 point Times Roman) and attach to this application:

Panther Creek High School is a large comprehensive school with an active student body. Just like a small community, we have our strengths and challenges. Identify one strength of our school community that Student Council could use to benefit the entire student body. Also, identify one challenge that our school community faces and develop a plan for Student Council to overcome this challenge. Be creative, but realistic!

After you have completed your PCHS Student Council Application and read the campaign rules, please sign below verifying your candidacy and your adherence to the elections timeline and campaign rules.

Student Name (print) _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Name(print) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Timeline for 2017 Spring Student Council Elections

Monday, March 27-Applications available on PCHS website

Tuesday, March 28–Interest Meeting (Mr. Gatlin’s Room, Mod 4-01, 1st half of SMART Lunch at 10:35 am)

Wednesday, April 5-Mandatory Candidates’ Meeting (Mr. Gatlin’s room, Mod 4-01, 1st half of SMART Lunch at 10:35 am). Student Council applications are due to Mr. Gatlin no later than this meeting. Do not turn in the applications to the front office or another teacher!

Thursday, Friday and Monday-April 6, 7&April 17 –Campaigning (refer to campaign guidelines)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, April 18, 19, 20–Elections during SMART lunch in Student Courtyard for current SO and JR / Gym Courtyard for current FR (if it rains, listen for the new location)

Friday, April 21-Elections results (Mr. Gatlin’s Room, Mod 4-01, 7:05 am)

Wednesday and Thursday, April 26/27 –Run-Off Elections during SMART lunch in the courtyards (if it rains, listen for the new location)

Friday, April 28–Run-Off Results (Mr. Gatlin’s Room, Mod 4-01, 7:05 am)