



September 2017 PHS Alumni Association Newsletter
2017 Homecoming - October 13, 2017



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PHS will host Rosepine
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Fri. Oct 13, 2017
O'Banion Stadium

2017 Homecoming Theme: High Roller "Lucky 7" Honoring the PHS Classes ending in "7"

Note from PHS Alumni Association
President – Carmen McManus Holder, Class of 1978

I invite you to return to campus for Reunion and Homecoming 2017; follow us on our new Facebook page "Pickering High School Alumni" a closed group for PHS graduates as a means to keep that connection current, no matter where life takes you. Our experiences as graduates connect all of us in a very special way, so I hope you will use the new Facebook group "Pickering High School Alumni." The moment that you graduated Pickering High School, membership in the Alumni Association is offered to you. A yearly due of \$10.00 for membership offers benefits to the school such as the Alumni Scholarship to two deserving grads. As our relationship with Pickering High School should not end at graduation. There is much we can and are encouraged to do in support of our alma mater. This homecoming is not only a great occasion to rekindle our best high school memories. It is also an occasion to look back and see the distance we have traveled since we left this campus. More important, it is also an occasion to set up new goals and targets for yourselves, not only in the pursuit of personal and professional ambitions, but above all in the service of our country. We invite you to get involved in your own way- the possibilities are endless and don't hesitate in sharing any ideas you might have. Whether you have time to serve on a Board or Committee, come back as a Career Day speaker, attend an alumni event, nominating fellow alum for an Alumni Award or making a gift to your Alma Mater all participation is welcome and a way to stay connected. I would like to thank you for this opportunity for allowing me to serve on the PHS Alumni Association Board as president it has been truly an honor. I have served for at least 9 years on the board either as secretary, vice-president and president. I have enjoyed every minute, but it is time for me to step down and let others have an opportunity to serve on the alumni association board. I will continue to be an active member of PHS Alumni Association. Thank you for your continued support of Pickering High School. GO BIG RED!!!! I truly love this great school.



Be a part of Pickering High School forever and help the school by honoring the PHS Alumni. You can purchase a personalized brick inscribed with your name, or in honor or memory of a graduate to be installed at the "Alumni Alley" located around the flagpole in front of PHS. Names of individuals can be permanently inscribed on a 7 5/8 "x 3 5/8" brick. Cost of a brick is \$25.00 - all money paid to PHS. The order form is located on the Pickering High School web site under Alumni. www.vpsb.k12.la.us is the Vernon Parish School District website. Click on schools then click on Pickering High School, once open go to the far right and click on Alumni. There you will find the order form for the bricks.



PHS Homecoming Agenda
Alumni Activities
Friday, October 13, 2017
9:30 –10:00 am....Registration
10:00-11:00 Business Meeting
Pickering High School Library
11:00-11:30.....Lunch in
PHS Cafeteria
Cost \$4.00 (either pay before to Susan Redmond or at door)
11:40-1:00.....Cake & Punch
Pickering High School Library
1:00 –1:30pm.....School Tours
***If you are in the parade, Line-up begins at 12:45 pm**
1:30-2:00 pm.....parade
Pickering High/Elem School
2:00 –3:10pm.....Pep Rally
Pickering High School Gym
7:00 PM ...Football game
(Rosepine) at O'Banion Stadium

If you would like to enter a float in the parade please contact
Melissa Kay
Theme for Homecoming
High Roller "Lucky 7"
Parade Information
Please contact
Melissa Kay
at Pickering High School
337-537-1555
or Email her at
melissakay@vpsb.k12.la.us



Recipients of the 2016-2017
PHS Alumni Scholarship
Melanie Laudreanu and Jacob Cart

PHS Alumni Association Scholarship Fundraiser

Red Devils tailgating cooler gift that is filled with lots of goodies and items that represents Pickering High School Red Devils. Drawing will be done during the association meeting in the morning at PHS Library. Tickets are \$5 for 1 ticket or \$20 for 5 tickets. You can also get your tickets the morning of homecoming. 100% of the money raised will go toward the scholarships. Thank you for your support.



Janet Johnson Bradshaw-1976
Outstanding Alumni Member
Last year HOCO 2016



Jerrell Marshall
Youngest Alumnus
Last year HOCO 2016



Katie Hinkel Miller
Alumnus Travel the farthest
Last year HOCO 2016



Pauline O'Banion
Oldest Alumnus
Last year HOCO 2016

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