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PES PIRATE POST MAY 23RD, 2017

THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

Calendar of events:

WE MADE IT

- May 24: LAST DAY!!!!
- May 25: Teachers Last Day
- Aug 10: Return To School



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Show your School Spirit!

Monday— Red

Tuesday—Black

Wednesday—Green

Thursday—White

Friday - Spirit Wear

Ahoy Palencia Passengers and Crew

This Wednesday is the last day of the school year. We will have a normal **Wednesday 1:50pm** dismissal time. We hope that everyone has a wonderful and safe summer.

Community End of Year Celebrations

We understand that several people have last day celebrations planned as the students get off the bus or reach a point on the walk home. If you are planning such an event, (please keep anything that is done) to your children only. Thank you for your support.

Next Year and the Future

As we all know one of the things that makes us so special is the digital one to one program we have. To become one to one we have gone through a long process. Earlier this year, I held several meetings to discuss the future of the one to one program, as we are no longer apart of the district pilot program. The overwhelming response was to continue on this path.

As a result of these meetings, beginning next year we will implement a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) program. This will be an optional program for our families. With our technology aging, this will be the only way we will be able to continue as a digital school. Our district has allowed student to bring personal devices on campus for a while, we hope to use this to continue the learning our students have benefited from.

I will be sending more information about insurance options in the fall. It is our hope that many of our families will take advantage of this and provide a device for their student. This will assist us as we work to extend the usability of our current devices. For more information about the BYOD program and device specifications, please see the following website.

<http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/byod/>

Have a great summer,
Captain Allen Anderson