

THE BULL PEN

Tocoi Creek High School Weekly Feed

Toro Nation,

Week #4 brings our Club Rush for students to select and get more information on clubs and programs on campus to get connected with new friends and experiences. Please see below for information on helping your Toro gallop into the rest of the semester:

- ALL students who attend a club MUST have parent permission to attend, forms will be given by each sponsor.
- Interim Reports will be posted next Wednesday, September 11th, in your Toro's HAC account.
- **Want to help our traffic?** Please "Drop and GO" in the morning to help our traffic line move faster and to alleviate congestion on IGP and State Rd. 16. Students are permitted to wait on the front deck prior to the gates opening at 8:45am.

TESTING, TESTING, 1-2-3

TCHS will be running on a modified schedule during the week of September 9-10-11 to administer our tri-annual FAST assessments to grades 9,10, and 11. ALL students will be attending their classes on each of these days when not testing. Please see page 3 for schedules on these dates. Students with modified schedules are expected to attend classes when necessary.

BLOCK SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER 9TH-11TH

Monday, September 9th (Odd day)

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Normal lunch assignments during period 3.

Tuesday, September 10th (Even day)

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 Cassano, Sami
 Landers
 Porcellini

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IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER 9TH-13TH

MONDAY	9-9	MODIFIED BLOCK SCHEDULE
TUESDAY	9-10	MODIFIED BLOCK SCHEDULE
WEDNESDAY	9-11	MODIFIED BLOCK SCHEDULE EARLY RELEASE @ 2:50
THURSDAY	9-12	JV FOOTBALL HOME VOLLEYBALL HOME VS. AC
FRIDAY	9-13	



- SEPT. 25TH VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE GOES LIVE
- OCT 4TH HOMECOMING PEP-RALLY
- OCT 5TH HOMECOMING DANCE
- OCT 23RD PSAT DAY 10TH GR (PAID 9TH/11TH) - DIGITAL DAY 9,11,12
- FEB 26TH 11TH GRADE ACT DAY - DIGITAL DAY FOR 9,10,12
- APRIL 4TH GRAD BASH @ UNIVERSAL
- MAY 3RD JUNIOR/SENIOR PROM @ DEERWOOD CASTLE
- MAY 20TH GRADUATION CEREMONY UNF 6:00PM

Print Your Barcode Modify Existing Registration MENU

NACAC National College Fair - Jacksonville


October 5, 2024
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (ET)

Attendees - Register Here!



TESTING CORNER

Upcoming Dates

- **September 16th - 19th:** RETAKES for FAST ELA 10, Algebra 1 EOC, Geometry EOC, US History EOC, Civics EOC, and Biology EOC.
 - **October 16th:** ACT-NCR for 12th grade students who do NOT have approved accommodations with ACT® and need concordant scores for graduation requirements. To register for that test, pay via School Pay. Fees are non-refundable. School pay hyperlink: <https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/ACTNCR-11th-12th/Sd94HrS>
 - **October 23rd:** School Day PSAT/NMSQT for all 10th graders. Interested 9th and 11th graders must pay via School Pay to be registered for the test. Fees are non-refundable. <https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Digital-PSAT-9th-and-11th-grade-students/Sbpx0Mm>
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TESTING CORNER

How to Access the Family Portal



The Family Portal provides a central location for your student's assessment results.

The Family Portal can be used to

- access your student's results for FAST Progress Monitoring testing.
- access prior statewide assessment results.
- print score reports.

How can I access the Family Portal?

- At the Florida Statewide Assessments Portal: <https://flfast.org>
- Or at the direct link: <https://fl-familyportal.cambiumast.com/>

What information do I need to log in to the Family Portal?

- Your student's unique 6-digit access code (found in HAC under the Registration tab).
- Your student's date of birth.
- Your student's first name as it appears on their official school record.

What information can I find on the Family Portal?

- Your student's results from Fall 2020 through present
- Your student's Individual Student Reports with interpretative guides.
- Glossary
- FAQs
- Performance Levels

Where do I get the Access Code?

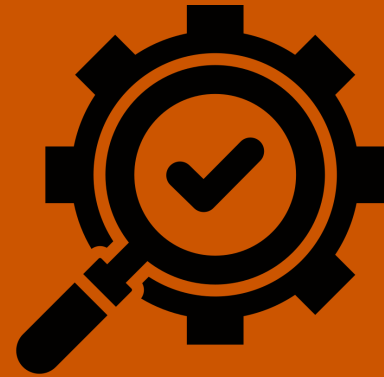
The code can be found in the Home Access Center (HAC) under the Registration tab. The code will be located on the right side of the page under Additional Information.

Family Portal Access to View PM1 Student Scores—all grades

Parents / Guardians are able to access PM1 test data directly in the Family Portal.

In order to access the scores, parents will need to provide some demographic information (student first name and date of birth), along with an access code that is posted in HAC under the Registration tab.

The attachment outlines the steps to complete this process and can be shared with parents/guardians.



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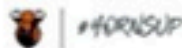
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PSAT OPT OUT FORM



TOCOI CREEK

ATHLETICS



2024-25 All-Sport Student Pass: Make sure your Toro has tickets to all our sporting events in advance! The All-Sport Student Pass is on sale now---grab yours before our next big game this Friday night! Additionally, all regular and season tickets for fall sports are available for purchase via GoFan: <https://gofan.co/app/school/FL86410>



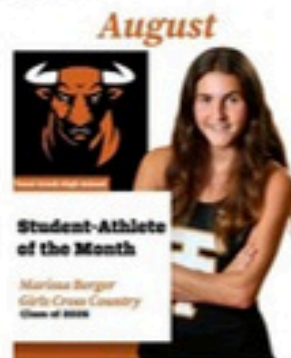
BSN/NIKE Sideline Store: Our official store is **NOW OPEN!** Click the link to customize your Toro merchandise.
<https://sideline.bsnsports.com/schools/florida/staugustine/tocol-creek-high-school>

GRAND OPENING SALE
 20% OFF SITEWIDE | USE CODE SP17C28



Football Fundraisers: Your TCHS Toros will be hosting a carwash at the McDonald's Murabella on Sunday, Sept. 7th from 10-2pm. Please stop by!

There will be a Fall Festival at Village Church on September 20th from 5-9pm. Entry is \$10 which includes all your fall favorites and live music!



August Student-Athlete of the Month: Congratulations to Marissa Berger from the Girls Cross Country team who was selected as Student-Athlete of the Month!

TOCOI CREEK HIGH SCHOOL						
THIS WEEK AT TOCOI CREEK						
#FORNSUP						
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	4:30PM GIRLS GOLF @ BEACHSIDE (AWAY) 5:30/6:30PM VOLLEYBALL VS. CREEKSIDE (HOME)	4:30PM SWIMMING VS. CREEKSIDE (HOME)	4:30PM GIRLS GOLF @ CREEKSIDE (AWAY)	5:30/6:30PM VOLLEYBALL VS. ATLANTIC COAST (HOME) 5:30PM JV FOOTBALL B VS. MOOLEBURG (HOME) 7PM JV FOOTBALL A VS. CLAY (HOME)	7PM FOOTBALL @ GREEN COVE SPRINGS (AWAY) VARSITY VOLLEYBALL @ JVA	Varsity VOLLEYBALL @ JVA SAM CROSS COUNTRY @ SPRUCE CREEK



STUDENT LIFE

Driver Education Program Through the St. Johns County Tax Collectors Office

Phase I: Learner Permit Preparation (Taught at TCHS on selected mornings)
A classroom lecture designed to assist a student preparing to obtain a Learner Permit. The classes are conducted prior to school from 8am-9am for a total of 10 consecutive school days. On the last day, students will be administered the Learner Permit Knowledge Exam that is required to obtain a Learner Permit.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact:

Leah Taylor - Program Director SJCTC Driver Education Program Email:

driversed@sjctax.us

Phone: 904-209-2298

Website: <https://sjctax.us/student-driver-education/>

Learners Permit Schedule

<u>TOCOI CREEK HIGH SCHOOL</u>	
09/24/2024	THROUGH 10/07/2024
01/08/2025	THROUGH 01/22/2025
03/26/2025	THROUGH 04/08/2025




NEED HOURS?

VOLUNTEER
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YOU LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEER HOURS. SCAN THE QR CODE AND HELP OUT OUR TOROS AND GUESTS ENJOY THE GAMES. HORNS UP!



STUDENT LIFE

Purchase your Class of 2027 t-shirt designed by your class officers here! Sale ends September 25th

TOCOI CREEK
27
CLASS OF
TOCOI CREEK



JUNIOR CLASS T-SHIRTS

USE THE SCHOOL PAY LINK TO GET YOUR SHIRT AND SUPPORT YOUR CLASS TODAY
SALE GOES FROM 9/13 - 9/20
SHIRTS \$15

SCAN THE QR CODE TO GET YOUR SHIRT TODAY!



STUDENT INTERN

FOR A DAY

7  **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH**

The Jacksonville are inviting junior high (7-8 grade) and high school students to participate in a pre-game educational experience with career highlights from different departments, Q&A, and Jaguars Trivia. This opportunity will expose students to the sport industry and what career paths they could take.

EVENT LOCATION:
DAILY'S PLACE AMPHITHEATRE
(LOCATED WITHIN THE JAGUARS STADIUM)

CHECK IN TIME:
8:00 AM



TO REGISTER PLEASE CONTACT VICKI PFEIFFER AT VICKI@VLPPRODUCTIONS.COM

FOR JAGUARS GAME DAY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT MICHAEL BENKO AT BENKOM@NFL.JAGUARS.COM

NEWS FROM GUIDANCE

ADVICE
ASSISTANCE

GUIDANCE

HELP

Class of 2025- Are you ready to apply for college?!

We are rolling out a new college planning and transcript submission system called Xello! All students automatically have a log-in to this great resource through Clever. Our school counseling team will be working with students throughout the months of September and October to help them learn and discover the new site. For our eager seniors, please check out our web-based resources here:

<https://www-tchs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/seniors/>

and

<https://www-tchs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/transcripts/>

Students that are looking for additional help on their college application process can save the date for the following assistance:

Toro Time:

- September 4, 11, and 18- Get help with your College Applications!
- October 2, 9, and 16- Get help with your Bright Futures Application!

Classroom Lessons:

- Counselors will be visiting senior English classes between September 6-26th to go over college applications, transcript submissions, etc. A copy of the presentation will be posted <https://www-tchs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/seniors/> after we meet with the College Admissions representatives on September 5th.

Virtual Parent Night:

- We will host a virtual parent night to discuss the college application process on September 24th. Be on the lookout for the link as we get closer to the date!

Individual Senior Meetings:

- All seniors will meet with their counselor individually during the months of September and October to discuss their individual graduation requirements and college plans.

Students are also encouraged to reach out to their school counselor via Schoology or by making appointment to discuss their plans, request help, etc.

There are many colleges with October, November, December, and January deadlines. Start your college application research NOW!

Who is my Counselor?

Early College & Last Names A-C:
Angel Sletto

C-Go: Artina Coma

Gr-Ma: Laura Kuhel

Mc-R: Rachel Blount

S-Z: Linda Smith

FREE
WEBINARS



COLLEGE
101



Plan Your Path After High School

College, University
or Technical Training:
Which Path is
Right for Me?

September 10
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. ET

Learn about 2-year
degrees, 4-year degrees,
and career & technical
programs during this fun
and informative webinar!

Make Your College
Application Stand
Out from the Rest!

September 17
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. ET

Helpful guidance, tips,
and tricks that are
sure to get your
application noticed!

Show Me the Money:
How to Pay for College
Without Breaking
the Bank!

September 24
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. ET

Learn about scholarships,
grants, and other financial
aid options that can
make college more
affordable for you!

FloridaShines.org

REGISTER NOW!

www.FloridaShines.org/College-101



CAREER ACADEMIES HAPPENINGS IN THE ACADEMIES



**HOSA- HEALTHCARE ACADEMY
CTSO- SEE MS. NEMECEK OR DR. T
FOR MORE INFORMATION**



**FFEA- TEACHING ACADEMY CTSO -
SEE DR. BRICE FOR MORE
INFORMATION**



**ROBOTICS- SEE MR. ANDERSON FOR
MORE INFORMATION**

CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Skills USA

Where: Mr. McKinney room(04-024)

When: Wednesday during Toro Time

Eligible: Anyone in the **BUILT ENVIRONMENT Academy!**

Goals: SkillsUSA is the #1 workforce development organization for students. We empower students to become skilled professionals, career-ready leaders and responsible community members.

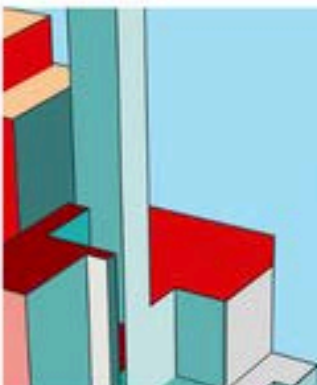


(WIC) WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION

WHERE: MR. MCKINNEY'S ROOM 04-024
WHEN: DURING TORO TIME
ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS: ANYONE IN THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT ACADEMY
GOALS: TEACH WOMEN ABOUT THE FIELD OF CONSTRUCTION THROUGH MENTORSHIP AND OPEN UP OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN IN THE ACADEMY



WAYS YOU CAN HELP



A.C.E.

Architecture, Construction, Engineering. Is the focus of this competition-based club. Students receive a project that they take from an idea to a complete presentation. Including architectural plans and layout, site design and layout, utilities, and engineering concerns. Guest speakers help with the project throughout the duration.

Mr. G is the sponsor, and the club is held in Rm 04-018 Tuesdays after school from 4:00-5:00.

If you work in the field of Emerging Technologies (drones, robotics, advanced manufacturing), Construction, Education, or Healthcare, let us know! We would love for you to join our Advisory Board, be a guest speaker, or become a potential field trip site host. If you think your business would be a good fit please contact Mrs. Johnson to learn more.

Contact: Academy Coordinator
Kristina Johnson 904.547.4273
kristina.dulaney-johnson@stjohns.k12.fl.us

SENIOR INFORMATION

A GUIDE TO senior year



Important Dates

August 5 th	Senior Dues – must be paid to purchase Grad Bash tickets
September 4 th	Senior Meeting – Toro Time in the auditorium
September 30 th	Senior portraits must be taken for yearbook
September 13 th	T-Shirt & Sweatshirt Orders must be placed
October 5 th	Homecoming in the TCHS Courtyard
December 15 th	Senior ads must be purchased for yearbook
December 1 st	Caps and gowns must be ordered through Jostens
December 1 st	Grad announcements must be ordered through Jostens
April 4 th	Grad Bash at Universal Studios
May 3 rd	Prom – Deerwood Castle
May 2025	Cap and gown pick up
May 20 th	Graduation at UNF arena

Senior-Only Schoology Group:

[VXFS-M6MZ-32CNB](#)

WHAT TO EXPECT:

- Homecoming
- Senior Breakfast/Snack
- Grab Bash
- Prom
- Senior Sunset
- Graduation

QR Code for senior dues



SENIOR INFORMATION

GET YOUR SENIOR T-SHIRT

Commemorate your senior year with a shirt/hoodie designed by your Senior Officers!



ORDER NOW



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T-SHIRTS: \$15
SWEATSHIRTS: \$30

SALES END 9/13



ATTENTION PARENTS: Recognize Your Senior in the TOCOI CREEK HIGH SCHOOL 2025 Yearbook!

Don't miss out on the chance to design your child's page in the yearbook! This page is dedicated to you, your family and your child's accomplishments and memories. Go online today to purchase your ad and take part in this special senior tradition.

Visit Leonard's Pictavo Community at
BuyTheYearbook.com

Find your school or enter *School ID# 381225*



Full Page \$350
1/2 Page \$250
1/4 Page \$150

Ad Submission Deadline 12/15/24

Helpful Links for Seniors:

[FAFSA \(Financial Aid\)](#)

[Naviance Help](#)

[Senior Guidance Page](#)

[Senior Info on TCHS Webpage](#)

DRAWING IS SEPTEMBER 13TH

SENIOR DRAWING



PAY SENIOR DUES BY 9/13 TO BE ENTERED
IN THE DRAWING TO WIN A SENIOR
T-SHIRT & SWEATSHIRT

SENIORS - JOIN THE SENIOR-ONLY
SCHOOLYGY PAGE BY 9/13 TO BE ENTERED
IN THE DRAWING TO WIN A SENIOR
T-SHIRT

SCHOOLYGY ACCESS CODE: VXFS-M6MZ-32CNB

SENIOR SONSORS WILL REIMBURSE THE WINNER IF
THEY ALREADY PURCHASED

ONETORO ARTS



VS



FRI
9/6
7pm

FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS

SUPPORT THE
MARCHING
TOROS WHEN
YOU BUY FROM
THE VISITOR
CONCESSION
STAND!



**CHICK-FIL-A CHICKEN SANDWICHES!
PAPA JOHNS PIZZA!
ICE COLD DRINKS!
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST**



IT'S TIME TO
SPARKLE AND SHINE WITH A
**TORO BAND PARENT
CAR WASH
FUNDRAISER**

Support your Toro Bands with a
donation-based car wash fundraiser!



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
9AM - 2PM
MURABELLA MCDONALDS



**2024-25 ONE
TORO ARTS
BOOSTERS
BECOME A
BOOSTER**



INCLUDES

- ONE TORO ARTS DECAL
- 2 TICKETS TO ALL-ARTS SHOWCASE
- VOTING PRIVILEGES AT THE GENERAL ELECTION MEETING FOR THE ONE TORO ARTS EXECUTIVE BOARD (1 VOTE PER FAMILY)



\$35

ONETORO ARTS

TCHS ARTS

Presents

Your student's name in lights!

Do you want to let Toro Nation know about your student's birthday or achievement? You can! We will be running announcements on the front marquis through May.

Sign up Today!

USE THE SIGN UP GENIUS LINK TO SELECT YOUR DATE.

\$10 FOR THE DAY
\$40 FOR THE WEEK

THE ARTSY Toro

@tchsstudio3d
@onetroartsboosters

6-8PM. COME CHAT AND BE ARTSY. DON'T WORRY. WE WILL HELP! \$40. ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE 3D ART CLASS BOOSTERS.



THIS MONTH WE WILL BE CREATING SPOOKY VINTAGE PAINTINGS. I'LL BRING THE PAINTINGS. YOU BRING THE SPOOKY!

SEPT 26TH
TCHS RM 2-216



NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY

NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY 2024-2025

NATIONAL
ART
HONOR SOCIETY

NAHS Sign up Form

OPEN TO JUNIORS AND SENIORS IN UPPER LEVEL ART CLASSES

SEE MRS. SMITH - RM 2-016

PTSO



Email: onetoroptso@gmail.com

PARENTS

1 Our Membership Drive is **LIVE!** We are in a friendly competition with the area high school PTSOs. Help us reach our goal (or at least beat out the other schools).

\$25 Membership:

tinyurl.com/PTSOMEM25



\$40 Family Sponsor with inclusion on the "Family Sponsors' Banner" that will be on Tocoí's fence:

tinyurl.com/PTSOMEM40



AUGUST RECAP

TEACHERS/STAFF

1 The teachers and staff were warmly welcomed back by the PTSO with an ice cream treat. In September the PTSO will start up the monthly Teacher/Staff treat carts again! So exciting for all involved! If any parent or family member wants to get involved with this monthly event, please reach out!

2 Did you know this year we have even more teachers and staff? We now have almost 190! We are so excited to have them here and, with your help and support, we look forward to supporting and celebrating them throughout the year.

STUDENTS

1 Our first Quarterly Student Reward Event is in October. This quarter we are rewarding almost 1,000 students who passed an AP exam or certification last year.

BUSINESS PARTNERS

2 Let's Fill the Fence!. If you have a business and are interested in having a banner on our fence - reach out! We have great sized banners on the busiest side of the school fence for a small donation.

tinyurl.com/FillTheFence202425



PTSO

TCHS PTSO PRESENTS

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Stay



www.facebook.com/TocoiPTSO

Connected



[tocoiptso](https://www.instagram.com/tocoiptso)

With

Us

!



onetoroptso@gmail.com

PTSO MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 2024-2025

TORO
NATION!

*Support our teachers,
students and staff!*



YOUR ANNUAL \$25 MEMBERSHIP DONATION OR \$40 FAMILY SPONSORSHIP MAKES A HUGE DIFFERENCE IN WHAT WE CAN DO THROUGHOUT THE YEAR TO SPOIL AND SUPPORT OUR TEACHERS AND STAFF AND REWARD OUR STUDENTS!

Memberships purchased before September 30th are eligible for a merchandise giveaway!

Annual membership = 1 entry
Family Sponsorship = 2 entries



Limited Editions SPIRIT WEAR STORE NOW OPEN!



tinyurl.com/PTSOmerch

Order Here



SPIRIT WEAR IN STOCK NOW, WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!

Happenings at THE HUB

the HUB @Tocoi Creek Policies

- Students can borrow up to 4 items at a time. Items include books, eBooks, and audiobooks.
- Items are checked out for two weeks but can be renewed as many times as needed.
- We do not charge fines for items returned after the due date.
- Students are responsible for paying for or replacing lost or damaged books. See Mrs. Rusnak if you lose or damage a book.
- The Hub has open access before school, between classes, and during lunch. Students may also come during class time with teacher permission and a HUB pass and during Toro Time with a signed planner. The Hub may also be open occasionally after school.

the HUB @Tocoi Creek RULES

- **No food** (Except during lunch on the tile.)
- **No sitting on the floor**
- **Be respectful of Hub property**
- **Be respectful of others in The Hub**
- **Clean up after yourself**
- **Must have Hub pass during class**



Comes with 5 free drinks!

Refills \$1 after free drinks!

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All Tocoi students received a Hub Media Center orientation last week. The orientation reviewed library rules, policies for borrowing materials, research strategies, reading award programs and Florida Teens Read, items available to borrow (books, eBooks, audiobooks, computers, games, Maker items), Hub hours, and what the Hub has to offer.

All St. Johns County parents can restrict access to specific titles or topics their child may checkout from the school library. The form used to do this is available on the school website and is also located [here](#). If you would like to prevent your child from borrowing specific titles or topics from the Tocoi Creek library, please complete this form and return to Mrs. Rusnak in The Hub. PARENTAL CHOICE LIBRARY BOOK RESTRICTION FORM

Parents can view the items in our media collection by going to the Tocoi Destiny page [here](#).

All of this information and more is available [here](#) on our TCHS Hub Media Center website.

We are looking for parents and community members to participate on the TCHS Media Advisory Committee. If you are interested, please fill out the form [here](#).

If you ever need assistance with library or Hub items, please contact the media specialist, Mrs. Rusnak, at kristen.rusnak@stjohns.k12.fl.us



PARENT INVOLVEMENT

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

TCHS 2024-25 School Advisory Council (SAC) Interest Form



Join the Athletics Booster to help with:

- Facility improvement Projects
- Fundraising
- Concession Stand
- Promoting the School



If interested, contact: [Billy Blackmon](#)



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Please join us in supporting the fine arts at Toco Creek High School. The vision of the One Toro Arts Booster Organization is to ensure that ALL students at Toco Creek High School benefit from the collaborative support of our parent, community, and booster organization. Follow us on Facebook @OneToroArtsBoosters

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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PLEASE EMAIL MR. WILLETS DIRECTLY AT JAY.WILLETS@STJOHNS.K12.FL.US FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS FOR THE 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR:

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NEW FAMILY DECODERS FOR TCHS LANGUAGE

The Bull Pen - This is your weekly news feed that will have everything accessible in a digital format. Past publications can be found on the TCHS website. This is a BIG document that will have ALL that is needed for a successful year.

TCHS Website - Your “one-stop-shop” for everything OFFICAL you need to know about TCHS. Need a calendar of events? Want to talk to your Toro’s counselor? Need to know information about clubs, activities, or events? [The TCHS website is your spot!](#)

HAC - Home Access Center is the digital hub for grades, student information, view bus stop information, where interims and report cards are posted.

Freshman Day - August 1st - This is a special day where your 9th Grade Toro gets to meet their Junior or Senior assigned mentor, tour the school, meet staff, and learn how to be a Toro. This is a “drop and go” activity for Toros only (no parents allowed). If you have a new Toro coming to TCHS

Toro RoundUP - Beginning of the school year event, before school starts, where parents and students can walk their schedule, purchase spirit wear, get parking passes (11th and 12th grade students only who have been selected), get lockers, meet staff, and get oriented for the new year. All family members are invited. Teachers will **not** be assessable during these events.

Meet the Teacher - August 9th from 8am-11am students and families can walk their schedule and go inside each of their classes. This is a self-timed event where families can come and go as needed.

Schoology - Digital platform that students use to interact with each teacher, store documents, message school personnel, and receive updates and important reminders. Students are automatically enrolled and can access from any device that connects to the net.

AUP - Acceptable Use Policy - this document is the “**rule book for using electronic devices/platforms**” for the St. Johns County School District. All staff, students, and visitors must acknowledge/sign their AUP at the beginning of each year prior to utilizing any digital resource at school. A digital link will be provided to each student/family within the first few days of school.

RSV - Returning Student Verification - Process that parents must do each year at the beginning of each school year to verify their residency, school location, and general family contact information.

Digital ID by Leonard’s - All students who utilize a digital smart phone are expected to download the Digital ID by Leonard’s app to receive special messages, purchase a lunch, check out media materials, and to scan into/out of school. The app can be located in the Apple or Google Stores.

The Hub - The TCHS Media Center found on floor 2 of Building 1 where Toros can check out books, digital media, print documents, or log into a computer. The Hub also has a coffee shop where Toros can get the latest offerings of specialty drinks.

GoFan - Digital platform where students can purchase tickets to athletic and social events. NEW this year, students can purchase an ALL ACCESS sports pass for \$75 in GoFan. [Click HERE for more information.](#)

School Pay - Digital pay portal that parents/students can access to purchase dance tickets, pay for Fair Share, or school fees. Parents can set up an account for quick and consistent access, or pay as a guest as needed.

Pay Pams - Digital portal where parents can load, monitor, and/or restrict lunch account activities. Want to set limits or pay automatically when funds become low..PayPams is your portal. Parents are encouraged to set this process up digitally even if they want to have their child pay with cash/check as you will still get the same ability to monitor the account. [Click HERE for information on PayPAMS or MealView access.](#)

Fortify Florida - Digital platform where anyone can anonymously report any threat to students, schools, or school related activities. [Click HERE for more information on FortifyFL](#)

CLEVER - Digital portal that students will use to access Schoology, Office 365, Online Textbooks, and other Links for Students.



GENERAL SCHOOL INFO

SCHOOLGY PARENT ACCESS

How to Login and Use Schoology Parent Access

Schoology Parent Access allows parents to easily see Schoology information for all of their children in one place.

If you have previously signed up for Schoology Parent Access for your child, you do not need to do so again. If you have not created a Schoology Parent Access Account or need to add a child to your account, please follow these instructions. Please note: If you forget your Schoology Parent Access Account password, you will need to follow the instructions provided on the Schoology.com site to reset or retrieve your password. The St Johns County School District does not have access to parent account passwords.

You will need to find the Schoology Parent Access Code for your Child. This is located in HAC under “Registration” and then “Additional Information”

If you have never used Schoology Parent Access:

- 1) Go to www.schoology.com
- 2) Click on “Register”
- 3) Click on “Parent”
- 4) Type in the Schoology Parent Access Code from HAC
- 5) Click “Continue”
- 6) Type your information (not your child’s information) in the boxes.
- 7) Check the appropriate boxes at that bottom of your information
- 8) Click “Register”
- 9) You are now logged into Schoology Parent Access.



To see your child’s information, go to the right side of the screen and click on the down arrow near your name. Click on your child’s name. You will now be able to see all of the information in Schoology related to your child including updates, discussion posts, tests and quizzes, and calendar items.

If you have another child at a St Johns County School District school that is using Schoology, you can easily add them to your parent access account by following these steps. Click on the down arrow near your name on the right of the screen. Scroll down and click “add child.” Type in the access code for that child (provided to you by your child’s school). Click “Use Code.” You can now easily switch between your children’s Schoology accounts.

If you already have a Schoology Parent Access account (created for a child at another SJCS D school):

- 1) Go to www.schoology.com
- 2) Login with the information you used to create the account
- 3) Click on the down arrow near your name on the right side of the screen
- 4) Click on “add child”
- 5) Type in the Schoology Parent Access Code that can be found in HAC
- 6) Click “Use Code”
- 7) You can now easily switch between your children’s Schoology accounts by going to the drop down arrow and selecting the child’s account you wish to view.

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