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2019 Prom To Move Downtown

Junior Class Council Announces New Location 48 Stories Up

Reporting by CHLOE DIVENS, Reporter

At a full junior class meeting, the junior class officers officially announced their plans to move Prom from the Cardinal Room – Prom's previous location – 40 minutes south, to D'Amore, an event venue in downtown Indianapolis. Through hard work and months of planning, the junior class council, working in coordination with Ms. Webster and Mr. Summerville, have secured the stories-high location for our spring

After consulting amongst each other and scouting out various locations, class council officers Isha Ponugoti, Eli Anderson, and Trace Held brought their ideas to the class council where D'Amore was unanimously chosen as the location for this year's prom.

D'Amore is a venue on the 48th floor of the recently renamed Salesforce Tower in downtown Indianapolis. Its floor length windows that span the walls provide panoramic views from the tallest building in the city. Those who attend prom this year will have the chance to see the view of Indy at night. It's beauty was a key factor in choosing the location. "Especially at night when all the city lights are illuminated, [D'Amore] is gorgeous," junior class president Isha Ponugoti said.

The junior class council has expressed excitement about their food choices at the new location. Unlike Winter Formal, Prom is not a dinner-dance. While the menu is not confirmed. and won't be until later in the school year, the "menu is most likely going to include brownies and mini sliders," Ponugoti said. "They are known for their food.'

One of the complaints from the 2018 Prom was its location. Given that it was held west of Zionsville and over 20 minutes away from PT, it did not have close proximity to restaurants. D'Amore is 20 minutes away from PT, but is in a more high-traffic location. Having the dance







Photos: D'Amore (top), Isha Ponugoti (above, bottom left)

IMPORTANT DATES

'Macbeth" (US Play) -- November 2-3 at 7PM, November 4 at 2PM PT Girls Basketball Home Opener -- November 6, 2018 The 2018 Midterm Elections -- November 6, 2018 Paul Short Visits PT -- November 8, 2018 End of Second Mid Quarter -- November 9, 2018 Panther Robotics Home Tournament -- November 17, 2018 Winter Formal -- December 1, 2018 PT Boys Basketball Home Opener -- December 7, 2018

RECENT SPORTS NEWS

PT Girls Soccer went farther in the state tournament than any other PT soccer team has in the history of the school. Read about their success on page 8.

PT Mens Tennis fell to North Central, but Aidan Harris continued in the individual state tournament. Read the story about their season on page 8

For the third time in four years, PT Mens Soccer lost to Heritage Christian in their sectional final on October 6, 2018.

RUNDOWN

Thirteen PT seniors were named semifinalists in National Merit Scholarship Competition. Nine additional students were commended for their scores, but will not move on in the scholarship competition. Read

PT students will perform "Macbeth," the famous Shakespearean tragedy of 1606, November. 2-4. Unlike previous performances, the audience will be seated on the actual stage for the performance, rather than the seats

PT hosted a voter registration drive, in hopes of increasing the low turnout

Panther Robotics will host their first 17. It will be hosted in Clowes

story on page 4.

9th-11th graders viewed a film being shown at the Heartland Film Festival on PT's campus. The seniors traveled to AMC Castleton to watch short films. Read the story on page 4.

PT will host the annual blood drive in the Wood Room on October 31, 2018.

PT Young Democrats and PT Young Republicans disagree on an issue regarding technology. Read their debate on page 3.

support PT girls soccer in their Semi-State game in Evansville, Indiana. Read about it on page 8.

PT tennis plays in a class-less system, requiring them to play large schools. See how they performed on page 8.

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the story on page 4.

in Ayres Auditorium.

rates in Indiana, and Marion County specifically. Find out who will be on your ballot on page 6.

on-campus tournament on November Commons.

Nine novice competitors on the PT debate team win awards at Munster High School tournament. Read the

PT athletics arranged for a fan bus to

small deal in Indiana, with Indiana teams taking the Excellence Award (the highest award given

robotics team.

Reporting by CHLOE

MERIDIAN HILLS – On

December 1st, 2019, around

200 upper schoolers, freshmen

to seniors, attended PT's annual

Winter Formal at Meridian Hills

Country Club. Dinner was served

from 7:00-8:00 p.m. with a sweet

twist, compliments of the candy

bar theme, and students danced

As finals approach, students need

a little reminder that their peers

are there for them. The Winter

Formal dance gives everyone a

what they have accomplished

chance to convene and celebrate

thus far in the year, students say.

Asks started mid-November but

picked up momentum the week

tradition, girls ask guys to Winter

Reporting by DAVID WOLFE

BENDER, Editor-In-Chief

On December 1st, 2019, VEX

Robotics team 6842Z (PigPen),

Phelps and Humza Raza, won

another regular season Indiana

tournament, their fourth tourna-

ment win of the season. 6842Z

Park Tudor School's varsity

Competitive robotics is not a

competes with Panther Robotics,

made up of freshman Zach

Panther Robotics Team

Continues Winning Ways

leading up to the dance. Per

the night away until 10:30.

DIVENS, Reporter

at tournaments) in both the high

Tickets were sold for \$40 dollars

which was a point of contention

for many students. However, the

dance was well attended and a

high point for many. "The hype

of everyone in attendance made

the dance a very fun highlight

in the year so far," sophomore

The thoughtful planning of the

sophomore student council repre

sentatives led students to believe

that this year's dance was a real

treat. In keeping with this year's

play-off theme of Dylan's Candy

were placed on a long table in the

main lobby of the venue and also

Bar (renamed "Park Tudor's

Candy Land"), jars of candy

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Edgar Sarrat said.



pose for a photo after winning an award at Heritage Christian. Photo: Sheldon Phelps

Juuling: the FDA, underage use, and legislation

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HILLMAN, Student Council, Sports, and News Section

has taken its place: e-cigarettes. Better known as vapes, these nicotine-filled FDA U.S. FOOD & DRUG products have found

served as the centerpiece for each U.S. Food and Students started arriving at 7:00 pm and people continued to filter in until around 7:30 pm. Faculty

> discreetly in seemingly any nt The Inul uses flavored cartridges of liquid, like cucumber, mint, crème orulee, and even tobacco.

One that is used most among eens is the mango flavor, or

According to a 2013-2014 survey done by the Food

ADMINISTRATION

Despite the fact that a spokes-

believes that "underage use in

unacceptable," Juul has been

accused of purposely market-

ing its products to a teenage

a part in their voluntary pull,

as they had pressure placed on

them by the FDA. This is due

to Juul Lab's marketing cam-

paigns and their duplication of

well as social media campaigns

similar cigarette imagery, as

that contained young people

seem to show how using Juul

products are used by social-

ly-successful, happy, lively,

and young people. The FDA

In addition to removing certain

finds this to be a problem.

popular flavors, Juul

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engaging in activities that

demographic. Some say played

woman said the company

With the decline of cigarettes and tobacco products in the 21th century, a new contender

a way into America's middle schools and high schools.

Established in 1906, the FDA is a federal agency responsible for protecting the public health of According to the sumers through testing and regulation

Drug Administration (FDA), e-cigarette use has increased seventy-eighty percent among high school students from 2017 to 2018. Marketed originally as a way for adult smokers to quit tobacco products, these vaporizers have become a trend for teenagers across the nation.

One such brand, Juul, has become a favorite among teens, possibly due to its small size, which makes it able to be used which can range from flavors

other fruity flavors, which recently have been pulled by Juul in an attempt to crack down on underage use of E-Cigarettes.

and Drug Administration, eighty-one percent of youth

to campus to present their work to e-cigarette users recognized students, in what the school is calling the their primary reason for vaping "Jannet Flanner Visiting Artist Series." was the "appealing flavors." *Read the story on page 7.*

The Art Seminar class displayed their exhibit entitled "Love is Not..." on December 3, 2018. It brings awareness to abuse and relationship violence.

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RUNDOWN

The first semester's final exams on

Monday, December 17, 2018. Students

are only required to be on campus when

they are taking an exam. Exams are all in

the morning, either starting at 8:15 AM or

10:45 AM.

Both the boys and girls basketball

teams have started their seasons. More

information on page 6.

PT's Fine Arts department invites artists

Ever heard of the College Board? Take a look at why people find the educational non-profit to be controversial and hear one student's experience with them. Read the opinion piece on page 5.

PT's 16-day (including weekends) winter break will begin on Monday, December 24, 2018. The second semester will begin on January 7, 2019.

On December 8, 2019, PT mens basketball played a game against Indianapolis Metropolitan. Later that night, some fans met PT alumnus and Sacramento Kings guard Yogi Ferrell '12. The Indiana Pacers then played against the Sacramento Kings.

Hanukkah was celebrated from December 3rd to December 11th. Christmas will be celebrated December 25. Kwanzaa will run from December 26, 2018 to January 1, 2019.

AMERICAN POLITICS ARE CRAZY

by Trace Held Find it on page 6...



We're back. And we've rebranded.

Read our first editorial on page 2...





POLITICS FEATURE: THE 2018 MIDTERMS

Find it on pages 6-7...

MACBETH

One actress writes about her experiences.

Read it on page 3...

FINAL EXAMS December 17-20, 2018

The mental health of students is now more prevalent than ever.

See the mental health feature on pages 4-5...

POLITICS Midterm Election Results, a 14th amendment debate and the history of immigration in the United States.

Read it on page



March in Los Angeles. Photo: Jonathan McIntosh

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Struggling Program To Get New Face

Summerville Named Head Football Coach, Will Continue Teaching

Reporting by JENNY CAI, Feature his other alma Reporter, and DAVID WOLFE BENDER, Editor-In-Chief

On December 13, US athletic director Courtney Whitehead announced (through the PT Times) that football coach Orlando Lowry would not be returning to the team in the 2019-2020 school year. He coached the team for seven years. "We thank Coach Lowry for his service to Park Tudor," Whitehead said to the Times. "[We] wish him all the best in his future endeavors.'

On January 10, US math teacher Spencer Summerville was officially named the new head coach of the

While a math teacher, he has a lot of football experience. Summerville is a PT graduate, and led PT to sectional championships in 2002 and 2005. He attended Butler University, playing for its football program. He was a captain his senior season with

After graduating from Butler University with a B.S. in mathematics, he taught in the Pike Township district. Two years later, he returned to PT to teach math and coach with the football team. During his three-year coaching term with PT. he was the

varsity assistant coach under Scott Fischer and Lowry. Additionally during that time, he was also the PT boys lacrosse varsity assistant coach. Then, Summerville coached for

Reporting by DAVID WOLFE

The United States federal gov-

ernment shutdown-which started on

December 22, 2018 at midnight-does

not typically have a huge effect on

everybody in the country. But one of

PT's competitive robotics teams has

longest government shutdown in the

Team 6842Z, made up of Zach

Weymuth, was planning on attending

Center in Chantilly, Virginia. It is an

air and space museum owned and op-

erated by the Smithsonian Institution.

Because the Smithsonian museums

are funded by the government, the

Phelps, Humza Raza, and Olivia

a competition at the Udvar-Hazy

history of the United States.

npacted by what is now the

BENDER, Editor-In-Chief

mater: Butler. After leaving PT's football program in 2013, he worked with Butler's tight ends and defensive backs.

PT's football team struggled in the 2018 season, unable to win a single game. The team scored only 38 points during the course of the season. They were outscored by 50 point margins in two games.

These statistics don't phase Summerville. "Now you have people

who are going to have the opportunity to play for three more years who have a little bit of experience early on," he said in an interview. 'They can draw from their experiences as they grow and learn how to do things differ-

PT Robotics Team Impacted

by Government Shutdown

The program looks to make some changes heading into next season, which was made evident by its first call-out meeting a few weeks ago. Dedication seems to be an important trait to Summerville's program. Off-season work Continued on Page 6...

competition can't be held at the pres-

"We have officially changed the

location of our...event to the Dulles

teams planning to attend read. "We

Expo Center," an email to the 44

tigious venue.









performance and the initiative on page 6.

Thespians act in the student-led production, "Dystopia!" The show was performed on Januar Oth and January 11th. It raised over \$700 for PT's theatre program. Read more about the



waited out the shutdown as long as we could." The competition fields at the event were going to be backdropped by a Girls basketball plays Cold War fighter jet. Due to the shutdown, they moved three miles south Covenant Christian in to a convention center. their first match of the The team still opted to attend the event, which will provide it a second opportunity to qualify for the World Championships in Louisville, Kentucky every April.

On January 18, 6842Z attended the Continued on Page 6...

THE **RUNDOWN**

February is the month of Model United Nations. On January 25, 26 seniors (and one distinguished junior) left for their annual conference in the Netherlands. They will return on February 2. sophomore delegates leave for Chicago on February 7. One week later, 29 juniors will attend a conference in Washington, DC. Freshman and first-year delegates competed in the first semester.

On January 30, members of the sophomore class take the Practice ACT. Advisory starts at 1:30 PM to allow for the testing.

The Upper School musical is now rehearsing for the annual Spring performance. It runs March 8-10. Read the story on page 6.

Mid-quarter III, which marks the midpoint of the third quarter, will end on February 1st. In most circumstances, teachers are not required to write

The annual PT student vs. faculty basketball game is scheduled for February 20.

Most people are so accustomed to their free speech rights that they don't think about where they stop. What's not protected by the free speech clause in the Constitution?

Read the feature story on page 5.

With the freshmen class coming from all different schools, acclimation to the Upper School's culture can be difficult. How has one freshman dealt with it? Read her reflection page 3



A recent Supreme Court case gave one shop owner the right to deny services to a gay couple. Two students debate the constitutionality and the morality on page 7.



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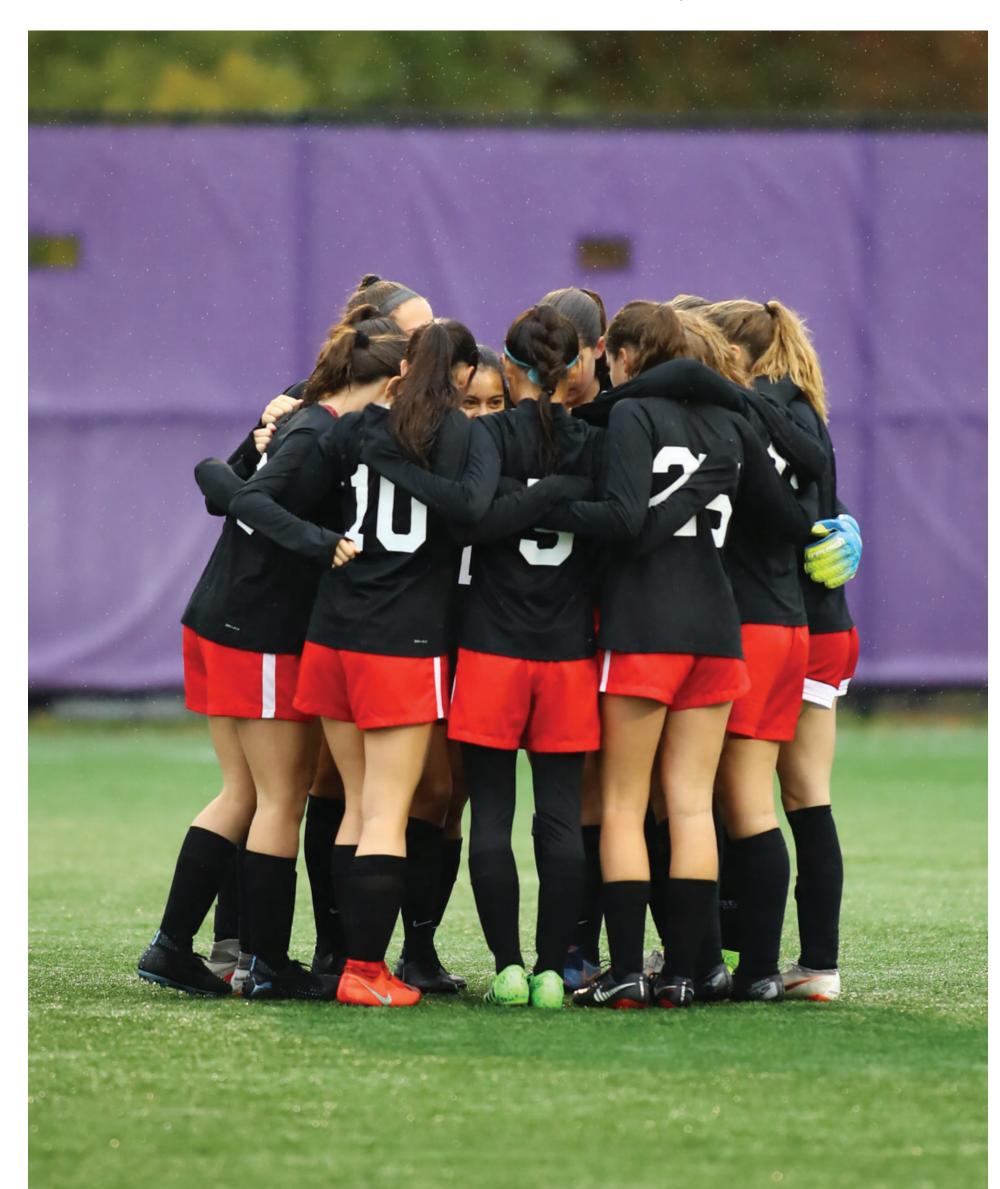
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STATE CHAMPIONS

PT Girls Soccer Defeats Lafayette Central Catholic To Win First State Championship In Team History



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This front page was published as the first printed issue of the *Tribune* in a decade. It features a front page story, a rundown of basic news, and infographics about school news and events. This page was designed by **DAVID WOLFE BENDER**. Articles were written by staffers of the publication. Images and graphic rights are reserved to their original owner.

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The third edition of the *Tribune* celebrates World Press Freedom Day, an internationally celebrated event for both student and professional journalists. On the front page, there is a celebration banner for the event, two stories, a news rundown, and photos dedicated to student news and events. This page was designed by **DAVID WOLFE BENDER**. Articles were written by staffers of the publication. Images and graphic rights are reserved to their original owner.

SAMPLE #4

In November 2019, the Park Tudor School womens soccer team won the Indiana High School Athletic Association's Soccer 1A State Championship. In preparation to celebrate, the *Tribune* staff pre-printed 200 copies of this front page to hand out after the game. Upon the team winning in the game, we handed all 200 copies out to fans and parents at the game. The editorial board declared the edition the paper's first VICTORY EDITION. This page was designed by **DAVID WOLFE BENDER**. Articles were written by staffers of the publication. Images and graphic rights are reserved to their original owner.

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