

PARENT ORGANIZATIONS

Get involved! Communicate with the contact person below for meeting times and activity information.

Organization	Contact
Academic Foundation Dana Kanfer	PlantAFPresident@gmail.com 813-340-2540
Athletic Foundation Sara Nichols	saranichols90@gmail.com 813-787-6550
Band Booster Club Monica Chandler	planthsbandpres@gmail.com 813-230-9789
Chorus Booster Club Maria Xenick	pshchorusboosters@gmail.com 813-765-3587
CONNECT-Mentor Program Elizabeth Christenberry	elizccberr@aol.com 813-545-5474
Friends of Plant Theatre	planttheatrecompany@gmail.com
Orchestra Booster Club Ashley Marchetti	pshorchestraboosters@gmail.com 813-415-7317
PTSA - Parent, Teacher & Student Association Jen Frier	frierjen@gmail.com 813-505-7211 Twitter: @PlantPTSA

ADULT ATHLETIC PASSES

Support PHS Athletics by joining the Athletic Foundation! Receive Booster Pass(es) good for admission to any **regular season** HCPS sponsored athletic event with membership. The full list of benefits is located on the membership forms available in the Main Office and on our website at <https://www.plant-athletics.com/>.

Community Panther Partner (\$2,500): 2 reserved seats, 2 booster passes, reserved parking spot, \$150 PAW Coupon, and Exclusive Membership Recognition

Golden Panther (\$1,250): 4 reserved seats, 4 booster passes, reserved parking spot, \$100 PAW Coupon, and Premium Membership Recognition

MVP (\$750): 2 stadium seats, 2 booster passes, parking in MVP lot, \$50 PAW Coupon, and Premium Membership Recognition

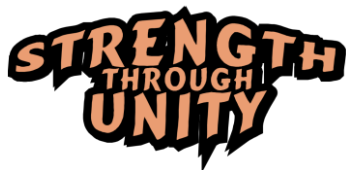
Champion (\$400): 2 booster passes, \$25 PAW Coupon, and Premium Membership Recognition

All-Star (\$150): 1 booster pass and Basic Membership Recognition

Team Player (\$75): Basic Membership Recognition

Research shows students who are involved in extracurricular activities and sports are well-adjusted, earn better grades, tend to avoid drugs and alcohol and are generally happier and

more successful teenagers. We produce this brochure to assist parents in helping their child find his/her special place at Plant High School. We also encourage parents to get and stay involved and informed. Please, come to meetings, school functions, and support our athletic teams. Together we find "Strength Through Unity".



GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Name	Serving Students by Last Names	Ext
Jamie Wolford	A – CL	240
Lisa Poirier	CM – GOO	241
Athena Dicus	GOP – LE	238
WilliamD (Billy) Sullivan	LEA – OJ	239
Allison Castellano	OK – SK	243
Randi Litwak-Dept.Head	SL – Z	242
Elizabeth Arellano	Guidance Secretary	225
Lauren Moseley	College and Career Counselor	281
Kathleen Cachon	Registrar—Order Transcripts	234
Guidance Website	http://planthighguidance.weebly.com/	
Guidance Twitter	@Plantccc	
Naviance Student (College Apps)	https://student.naviance.com/planths	
Student Community Service Forms	Profferfish.com	

OTHER RESOURCES

Name	Service Title	Ext
Jenise Gorman	Climate & Culture Resource Teacher	274
Kayla Spilman	Clinic, RN	295
Stefanie LopezDiaz	Clinic, LPN	295
Tiffany Lee	ESE Specialist	285
Matthew Penn	Media Center Specialist	259
Sarah Pierce	School Psychologist	261
Ofc. Scott Bowman	School Resource (TPD) Officer	251
Leland Schardt	Social Worker	293
Jillian Willis	Social Worker, part-time 2-3 days	261
Thomas Lee	Student Nutrition Manager	276

Description	Website
PHS Website	www.hillsboroughschools.org/plant
PHS Twitter	@PlantHighSchool
Student Online Grade System	https://hcpscanvasproject.azurewebsites.net/
Access: Student ID#/password.	
Parent MySpot Portal	https://myspot.sdhc.k12.fl.us/public/login/
PTSA & Email Newsletter	http://www.plantptsa.com/
PHS Media Center (Open 8:00am - 3:25pm)	@plantmediactr
Volunteer screening online:	https://bit.ly/2FXsIWP

TELEPHONE CONTACTS 813-272-3033

EXCUSE Student ALL-day absence automated Voicemail: push "1"
PLEASE call **the day of the absence** BEFORE 9:30 a.m.

Student Affairs secretaries for student sign-in/out: push "4"
Guidance: push "3"; Switchboard/Other: push "0"



County website: www.hillsboroughschools.org
Twitter: @HillsboroughSch & @HCPS_Espanol
Facebook: Hillsborough County Public Schools & Hillsborough Schools en Espanol

PLANT 101:

How to Find the Answers to Practically Everything



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Assistant Principals for Student Affairs

2415 S. Himes Avenue

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Phone: 813-272-3033

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Business Hours: 7:30AM – 4:00PM

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STUDENT LEADERSHIP	
<i>Candidate application in May for following year</i>	
Executive Board 2022-23 Pres.: Madeine Maney	Teresa Cozzi
Senior Class, 2023 Pres.: Hyatt Criser	Margaret Drumsta
Junior Class, 2024 Pres.: Neil Diasti	
Sophomore Class, 2025 Pres.: Election Fall 2022	DanaM Smith
Freshman Class, 2026 Pres.: Election in Fall 2022	Madeleine Stone

HONOR SOCIETIES	
<i>Membership by application and/or invitation</i>	
AJFROTC Kitty Hawk Air Society (KHAS)	Muhammed (Mic) Conteh, USAF (Ret.)
Beta Honor	Randi Litwak
French Honor Society	Marilyn Coffey
Gold and Black	Derek Thomas
International Thespians	Jaime Giangrande
Mu Alpha Theta	Peter Jones
National English Honor Society	Melisa Toothman Erika Hooks
National Honor Society	Tamara Phillips
Quill and Scroll International Honorary Society for Journalists	Christina Porcelli
Scholars II	Kristina Renaud
Science Honor Society	Lindsay Tait
Social Studies Honor Society	Christopher Carbon
Spanish Honor Society	Kristen Phillips
Tri M Music Honor Society	Brian Dell, Bruce Yost

OTHER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	
AJFROTC – Air Force Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps	Muhammed (Mic) Conteh, USAF (Ret.)
African American Brain Bowl/Thurgood Marshall History Club	Tamara Phillips Margie Dennie
AP Capstone	Susan Vaughan
AVID Panther Connect <i>Advancement Via Individual Determination</i>	Valerie Houston
Dancero Squad – Varsity	WilliamD Sullivan (Billy)
Honor Council (Academic Honesty)	Tamara Phillips
Mock Trial Team	Tamara Phillips
PAWBUCKS – School Coffee Shop	Caroline Medina
Pep O’ Plant Newspaper/PHSnews.com	Christina Porcelli
PHS Steppers	Kalimah Vereen
Plant Theatre Company	Jaime Giangrande
Plant Theatre Tech Guild	Jaime Giangrande
STEM (Science) Fair	Lindsay Tait
Student to Student/Sandy Hook Alliance	Allison Castellano
TV Production	H Meyer
Welcome Wagon	Allison Castellano
Yearbook	Christina Porcelli

MUSIC ORGANIZATIONS	
<i>Membership open to ALL. Apply to sponsor.</i>	
Band	Brian Dell
Orchestra	Steven Bossert
Chorus	Bruce Yost

STUDENT INTEREST CLUBS	
<i>Membership open to ALL. Apply to sponsor.</i>	
Alliance of Plant Republicans	Tammy Pollitt
Anime Club	Muhammed (Mic) Conteh
Artists & Writers Society	Brian Taylor
Astronomy	Jessica Strauss
Beach Volleyball Club	Shay Cowart
Best Buddies	Caroline Medina
Book Club	Matthew Penn
Chess Club	Mark Coleman
Dedicated Alliance of Democratic Students (DADS)	Christina Porcelli
E-Sports	Muhammed Conteh
Ecology	Jessica Strauss
Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)	Kristina Renaud
Film Club	Brian Taylor
First Priority	
Fishing Club	Randal Hough
French Club	Michelle Macy
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)	PamelaC Smith
Gay/Straight Alliance (GSA)	Michael James
Gold Rush Club	Jacob Pedrero
Healthy Habits	Kristina Renaud
Helping Heroes Society	Jessica Strauss
High Schoolers Against Cancer (HAC)	Shawn Locks
Ice Hockey	Tara Clark
Jewish Student Union	
Junior Civitan	Tammy Lavender
Latin Club	John Henson
Literary Club	Christina Porcelli
Marine Science	Tracy Chevaillier
Model United Nations Club	Kimberly Marr
Panther Outdoorsman Alliance (POA)	Richard Ferlita
Quiz Bowl Team	Susan Vaughan
Rowing/Crew	James Brockman
Sailing	Brian Wassmuth
Special Olympics Unified Sports	Kristina Renaud
Speak Up	Kristina Renaud
Speech & Debate Club/Team	Allison Goldberg
Stand Up Committee (Anti-bullying)	Melisa Toothman Amy Godlewski
Stock Market Club	Brian Wassmuth
Student Advisory Committee (SAC)	Jannette Vega
Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)	Shawn Locks
Tech Club	James Brockman
World Health and Treatment (WHAT)	
Why Define Us	Emma Dorian

SERVICE CLUBS	
<i>Membership by application and random assignment in September & March (Freshman in March ONLY).</i>	
Anchor - Girls	Andrea Groves
DELPHI - Boys	Jacob Pedrero
Key Club - Boys	Daniel Keen
Kiwanettes - Girls	Wendy Heir
LaSertoa - Girls	Shawn Locks
Sertoma - Boys	
Zeta - Girls	Stefanie Espinosa



STUDENT ATHLETICS



Evanitta Omensetter, APA & Athletic Director

Ticket purchasing:

<https://www.hillsboroughschools.org/athletics>



FALL SEASON	
Cross Country Boys, V/JV	Bryce Lynn
Cross Country Girls, V/JV	*Roy Harrison
Football Varsity	*Hank Brown
Football Junior Varsity	*Hank Brown
Golf Boys	Randal Hough
Golf Girls	Randal Hough
Swimming Girls	Valerie Houston
Swimming Boys	Katherine Roy
Volleyball Varsity& JV	*Sarah Reiss
WINTER SEASON	
Basketball Boys Varsity & JV	Joseph Willis
Basketball Girls Varsity	Carrie Mahon
Basketball Girls JV	*Michael Brady
Soccer Boys	Janessa Taddei
Soccer Girls	*Alex Venegas
Wrestling	
SPRING SEASON	
Baseball	Dennis Braun
Flag Football Girls Varsity/JV	Muhammed Conteh
Lacrosse Boys	*Todd Francis
Lacrosse Girls	*Jayne Chapman
Softball	*Lauren Donahue
Spring Football	*Hank Brown
Tennis Boys	Randal Hough
Tennis Girls	*Pam Grassler
Track Boys	Michael Massey
Track Girls	Melissa Sigmon
YEAR ROUND	
Cheerleading JV & Varsity	Janise Gorman

*Non-HCPS off-campus coach. Contact through the Athletics Director.

STUDENT ATHLETIC PUNCH CARD

There is no better way to build school spirit and develop a sense of belonging than to encourage your student to attend the many athletic events (over 50) scheduled throughout the school year. Passes are good for admission to any regular season HCPS sponsored athletic event. Purchase your passes online at hillsboroughschools.org then go to Departments>Athletics and scroll/search "Plant". Shipping and handling fees may be added.

\$43 = any 10 regular season athletic events
 \$73 = ALL regular season athletic events

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANCE

Name	Title	Ext
Niana Robinson	Secretary to School Principal	223
Wendy Kelly	Secretary to AP Curriculum	292
Marcelina Patton	Secretary to AP Administration/Athletics	224
Edith (Julie) Rosado	Secretary to APs Student Affairs	230
Sandra Wickstead	Secretary to APs Student Affairs	231
Carole Morales	Data Processor	229
Donna Kroegel	School Bookkeeper	228

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