Weekly Update 9/11/26

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Hello everyone!

Please find a corrected **Calendar of Events** attached! Thank you to those who found my mistakes, I do appreciate your eye for detail! Several of you have asked about the current list of Competitive Events offered at our SLC. I will be attending my State Advisor Meeting next week and will get all of the updates, then I will be able to share with you.

Chapter Officer Email Addresses

New this year, we are trying to improve communication to your chapter officers. We are asking each chapter to share at least 2 chapter officer email addresses so that they can receive more formal communication, than just Instagram, from our State Officers.
Please use this link, or share with your officers.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScPgs0nZNFlt8MalZinoNacYvjIHQpXjoF8H1sj383E6N4_Ag/viewform?usp=dialog

Fall Leadership Conference

Several of you have started registering for the Fall Leadership Conference, that's great! If you need more information, or need some help, please find the flier and registration instructions attached. I just met with the faculty at Millersville University for the Eastern/Central Region conference and it is going to be a fantastic experience for your students! I met with the South College faculty last week, and Western Region will be equally fascinating!! I'll be getting the agendas out soon.

Online PENN HOSA Fall Conference store

Please go to https://jaxxonpromotions.commonsku.com/shop/65890320-65d1-458c-a180-09b0f00b70d7 to order from our online shop.
Items are only available for pick up at your Fall Conference site. There will be no shipping available.

Competitive Event Mentorship Program

NEW this year, our State Executive Council, lead by Central Bucks South student, Diya Gowda, has created a Competitive Event Mentorship Program. If you have any alumni, or current students who have placed at SLC or ILC who would like to mentor students for this years' SLC and ILC, please share this link for them to apply. on 11/5/26 at 7pm, your members will have the opportunity to meet virtually with students who have placed at SLC or ILC in an event they're interested in competing in at SLC. This will only be successful if we have the mentors to lead these breakout rooms.
Here is the link for the application:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeEurCTH3jiFCwcCRJVGywoYlBWFDTtL3IIvwCtQAh67GodaA/viewform?usp=dialog

Pin Design

Please get your students excited to submit a pin design! We always want a really cool pin, but this year, since we're hosting ILC, we REALLY WANT A COOL PIN! Pin Design information is attached.

PENN HOSA - 100 Advisory Council

If you have anyone who's a really stellar OAC member, NOCTI judge, or a healthcare professional who has made an impact on your students, please share their information with me. I would like to grow the PENN HOSA 100 Advisory Council. This is a group of healthcare leaders who will be our PENN HOSA brand ambassadors-spreading awareness about our students and organization, they will help build our pool of judges for SLC, exhibitors and sponsors, and a speakers bureau. I envision a page on our website where you'll be able to find a professional when you're looking for one to speak to your class, mentor a student, or make professional connections.

Thanks everyone for all you do! If you've read this far, please respond with a piece of merchandise you'd like to see in our PENN HOSA store! You'll receive a small token of my appreciation at FLC.

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PENN HOSA will be transitioning to a new email domain: pahosa.org starting July 1, 2025. My new email address is AKSprankle@pahosa.org. Please update your contacts. Thank you!

"People will forget what you say, people will forget what you do, but people will never forget how you you made them feel."--Maya Angelou

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