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The Perry County School System is excited to announce the creation of the **“Tee for Ticket”** program that will be implemented in the upcoming school year.

We recognize the local economic climate has placed an unwanted financial burden on many of our student’s families. As a public school system, we want to provide as many opportunities for our students, and at the same time, lessen as much financial burden as possible.

Throughout the school year, we have many extracurricular activities that students can participate in, or choose to attend. For years, students have been charged a fee for many of these events. Beginning in the 2014-15 school year, we want to provide a free admission to our students for any extracurricular activity hosted by our schools.

On September 12th, a district wide pep rally will take place at the Commodore football field. This is an unprecedented event for our school system, and while it will be an enormous undertaking, we are certain it will promote a positive school culture for both students and staff. Prior to attending the pep rally every student in Perry County will receive a free t-shirt. The front of the shirt will have a Perry County Central High School or Buckhorn logo, and our motto **“WE EXPECT SUCCESS”** will be printed on the back of each shirt.

***Throughout the school year, students that wear the t-shirt to extracurricular activities will be admitted free of charge.***

We are certain this program will further promote a positive culture in our school system and community. We are dedicated to making it work. However, the program will come with a cost. We estimate having 4,200 students at the beginning of the school year. If t-shirts can be purchased at $5, the total cost of the **“Tee for Ticket”** will be approximately $20,000.

We are seeking assistance from local businesses and organizations that would be willing to contribute financially to the **“Tee for Ticket”** initiative. Any help and support would be greatly appreciated by our school district’s students and staff.

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