*The Seventeenth Annual Commencement of*

# PAcyber

The Pennsylvania Cyber Charter School

## June 8, 2017

Keystone Hall, Kutztown University
Kutztown, PA

**A Message to the PA Cyber Class of 2017**
***From Brian Hayden, Chief Executive Officer***

To the Class of 2017:

Today we celebrate a very good decision you and your family made to become a student at The Pennsylvania Cyber Charter School. For your own unique and personal reasons, you chose a non-traditional path to a high school diploma, one that required you to take a greater responsibility for your education and to learn in new and different ways.

Through your hard work and commitment, you are now prepared to walk across this stage, bringing along with you the shared success of your family, friends, teachers, advisors, and others.

To each of you – and to those people who have supported you – I extend my most sincere congratulations and wish you the best in the next stage of your life. I hope your achievements at PA Cyber have prepared you for a lifetime of happiness and success.

I am honored to be able to share this day with you and wish you all good things for the future.

**Brian Hayden**
Chief Executive Officer

*The first step toward success is taken when you refuse to be captive of the environment in which you first find yourself.*

Mark Caine

**The Pennsylvania Cyber Charter School**

## *Class of 2017 Commencement Ceremony*

Welcome ..... Alan Fritz
*Master of Ceremonies* — *Chief Academic Officer*

Processional "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... The Pittsburgh Trombone Project
*Edward Elgar*

Pledge of Allegiance

"The Star-Spangled Banner" ..... The Pittsburgh Trombone Project

"You've Got a Friend in Me" ..... PA Cyber Graduation Choir
*Randy Newman*

Introduction of the Graduate Class Representative ..... Alan Fritz
*Chief Academic Officer*

Graduate Class Representative ..... Rachel Lazzaro

Message to the Class of 2017 ..... Alan Fritz
*Chief Academic Officer*

Message to the Class of 2017 ..... Brian Hayden
*Chief Executive Officer*

Presentation of Diplomas
Announcers ..... Jesse Light & Beth Lichtenwalner

Recessional "Pomp and Circumstance" ..... The Pittsburgh Trombone Project
*Edward Elgar*

*Please remain seated until all graduates have exited.*

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Qadir Ahmed
Tyler Akam
Maria Alderfer
Maria Alfaro
Ismail Alhaj
Haris Alihodzic
Cameron Allen
Thomas Alsippi, III
Emily Altland
Michaela Amend
Della Ament
Destinee Amerson
Sarah Amorino-Brown
David Amsdell
Sharon Ande
Robyn Anderegg
Daniel Andino
Richard Andino
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Caleb Anthony
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Christina Arms
Zacharia Arsalane
Acadia Askey
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Alexis Aurandt
Dania Ayala-Rodriguez
Nick Ayoub
Trevor Babin
Craig Bach
Kimberly Bacorn
Aissatou Bah
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Zachary Ball
Jamie Ball
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Derek Bark
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Silas Barr
Solana Barrier
Amanda Barry
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Conner Bates
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Zachary Beatty
Seth Becher
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Tori Beckey
Ethan Bee
Greyson Beers
Joy Beers
Drew Beiler
Elizabeth Bell
Chad Bell
Anna Ben Ezra
Anna Benzio
Hope Berger
Zachary Bernd
Aspen Beuchat
Alejandro Beverly
Megan Bibbs
Michael Bilder
Abigail Bingham
Angela Birckbichler
Vanessa Black
Rhema Blackham
Christopher Bland
Aleksey Bogdanets
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Kailin Brown
Victoria Brown
Ebony Brown
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Daniel Brubaker
Katelyn Brunetti
Paige Brunson
Myracle Bryner
Lily Buchanan
Justin Buckingham
Sebastian Buckley
Isaac Bucknell
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Terrell Burnett
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Jannah Bynum
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Brenden Carbone
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Christina Carley
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Ian Crawford
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Donte Cruz
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Fatia Young
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Joshua Youse
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*Appearance of students' name in this program does not guarantee graduation. All necessary graduation requirements must be completed before a diploma will be conferred.*

## The Pennsylvania Cyber Charter School
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|---|---|
| David Amsdell | Army |
| Zachary Beatty | Air Force |
| Chad Bell | National Guard |
| Zachary Bernd | Navy |
| Alejandro Beverly | Army |
| Leonard Bowers | Marines |
| Jefferson Cisneros Alvizures | Army |
| Donte Cruz | Army |
| Olivia dawson | Air Force |
| seth Dotey | Army |
| Nathan Erdner | Army |
| Siani Faison | Navy |
| Samantha Figueroa | Marines |
| Kyle Flinn | Coast Guard |
| Brad Gebrosky | Air Force |
| Yulia Giberson | National Guard |
| Dasia Hudson | Air Force |
| Tristan Johnson | Army |
| Brandon Kaefer | Air Force |
| Caitlin Kirsch | Air Force |
| Kayla Knapp | Air Force |
| Logan Koch | National Guard |

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|---|---|
| Barry Lake | Marines |
| Cierra Lamp | Army |
| Brian Langieri | Navy |
| Rasheed Lay | Army |
| Brant Leuice | Army |
| Valerie Mancilla | Air Force |
| Bergen Meixner | Army |
| Brock Orr | Navy |
| Keziah Phillips | Marines |
| Kaitlin Rinehart | Air Force |
| Mariah Rogers | Air Force |
| Damien Runser | Army |
| Alan Seibel | Coast Guard |
| Wade Shank | Marines |
| Joshua Sieffert | Navy |
| Brandon Smith | Army |
| Lauren Swindell | Army |
| Jeremy Teagarden | Marines |
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| Nicholas Wilson | Air Force |
| Rachel Wolfe | Army |

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*Distinguished by yellow cords.*

On behalf of PA Cyber and the Graduation Committee, we would like to extend a special thank you to our choir members. We appreciate them helping to make graduation a memorable occasion for our graduates.

## *The Pittsburgh Trombone Project*

Kevin M. McManus, trombone & leader
Bruce Lazier, trombone
Mark Snyder, trombone
Chris Carson, bass trombone
Ralph Guzzi, trumpet

## *Acknowledgement*

A special thank you to the members of the graduation committee and volunteers for all of their hard work, support, and dedication to the planning of the graduation ceremonies.

# In Memory of
# *Araina Tivis*

## *"What is new in your life? I want to know everything."*

This was how beloved teacher, Mrs. Araina Tivis, often started each day with her students. Mrs. Tivis loved teaching and she loved helping students. Mrs. Tivis was a person who could light up a room. When she laughed, you could not help but laugh. And when she smiled, which was often, it was impossible not to smile back. Mrs. Tivis was a special teacher that had the ability to touch the lives of many students over the course of her time in the classroom. She was kind, caring, brave, funny, and fearless. Her love of 80's music, which she often played in class, was known to every one of her students. She made learning fun. Even students who disliked English class, came to her class wanting to learn. Mrs. Tivis believed in her students and never gave up on any of them. Her students knew they could trust her and they knew that she would always be there to support them. Mrs. Tivis often told her students to keep smiling and always be happy. Even though Mrs. Tivis is no longer with us, we are grateful for the time we got to spend with her and we are even more blessed for the many lives she touched along the way.

We thank you Mrs. Tivis for all that you did over the years. You will never be forgotten.

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Inspire today's learners to be tomorrow's thinkers.

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Empower all students and families to become active participants in their own learning and equip them with skills for the future. We achieve this through engaging content, delivered by innovative teaching in a culture of caring.

# *The PA Cyber Story*

*A Small Steel Mill Town Pushes The Boundaries Of 21st Century Education*

In 1985, the borough of Midland, PA had to close its high school following the shutdown of Crucible Steel, the town's main employer. If that had been the end of the story, the woes of a 12-block-long steel mill town in western Pennsylvania would be a forgotten footnote in history. Instead, the town fought back, and in the process created an educational industry and a new kind of school for a new century.

After Crucible Steel closed, Midland families moved away, businesses closed and school tax revenues dried up. The high school was shuttered and its 125 students were shuttled first to a neighboring Pennsylvania school district, then later across state lines to a high school in Ohio after no nearby instate district would agree to accept the Midland students on a long-term tuition basis.

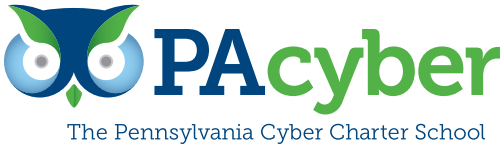
The rejection of its children by surrounding school districts was hurtful and embittering, but it motivated the Midland Borough School District to search for a secure educational alternative – one that couldn't be cancelled by the results of a host district's school board election.

Speaking in nearby Aliquippa, PA, Gov. Tom Ridge suggested in an informal remark that Midland solve its problem with a charter school under a new educational reform law, Act 22, that he had pushed for and the General Assembly passed in 1997. Funded with a $25,000 state grant, a committee began researching charter schools as well as other alternatives. At one meeting a speaker suggested a "cyber charter school" that would teach children at home over the Internet and PA Cyber was born.

PA Cyber opened in the fall of 2000 with a staff of seven employees who were told it was not known when or if they would be paid. Expecting 50 students from Midland and the region, the fledging school was nearly overwhelmed when more than 500 students enrolled from all parts of the commonwealth. Enrollment doubled the next year and kept on growing beyond anyone's wildest expectations.

The success of PA Cyber re-drew the educational map in Pennsylvania. Suddenly school choice was an option for every family no matter where they lived. Over the past 15 years, PA Cyber pioneered (and other online schools have copied) the innovative technologies and methods that have kept it at the forefront of online education, while keeping the needs of students and their families at the center of its mission . . . even today, as the school, its staff, its board and administration face new challenges that must be overcome, and embrace new opportunities to push the boundaries of education.

With the success of PA Cyber, prosperity is returning once again to the town of Midland, its economy based not on steel, but on educational innovation. The vision and spirit of Midland's superintendent and school board, and the dedication of the founding members, not only launched a school and saved a town – they have challenged all American public schools to provide their students with an education worthy of the 21st Century.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