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PRESS RELEASE

For forty-nine years, Panama City Christian School has ministered to the families of Central Baptist Church, Panama City, and Bay County area by offering a Biblically-based, Christ-centered education. Most families sacrifice greatly in order to have their children enrolled at PCCS, especially in today's economy.

Panama City Christian School, likewise, has struggled to keep costs within budget constraints. Recent years have shown a decline in enrollment, due mostly to the struggling economy.

In response to these economic pressures, in a letter sent to all church member, school family, and employee's homes, Dr. Bruce Barton, PCCS's President, announced that Panama City Christian School will cease operations effective Tuesday, June 30, 2009. The school parent's letter included a refund for any prepaid money for the 2009-2010 academic year.

Panama City Christian School Child Development Center and Summer Camp program will continue their operations as scheduled until Friday, August 14, 2009.

The Central Baptist Church would like to thank every faculty and staff member, and the families of Bay County for the privilege to minister to them for these past five decades, and requests that we pray for current staff and students that are affected as they make the necessary arrangements for their futures.

June 29, 2009

*Dr. Bruce Barton, President ~ Mrs. Debbie Jones, Principal
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