

# Trending Now @ PGS



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## From the Principals:

We had an absolutely MARVELOUS start to the 2023-2024 school year! PGS teachers and Piney, our school mascot, greeted students as they arrived on the first day. Students spent the week making connections with their teacher and classmates, practicing classroom routines, and generating expectations for our shared spaces like the playground. We were so impressed how quickly students demonstrated being safe, kind, and responsible. Likewise, they exhibited very responsible behavior at our first fire drill. Attached is a letter with more information about our safety drills at PGS. <u>First Fire Drill 2023</u>

On Thursday night, we welcomed parents and caregivers to Curriculum Night. Teachers shared details about their specific grade level knowledge and skills, social emotional learning, organization and homework plans, and ways to stay connected. At PGS we are so lucky to have such supportive parents and families that volunteer, plan events, guest read, and fundraise for us. We strongly believe that partnering with our families is important for student success.

~Mrs. Borio & Mrs. Buckle



Parent/Student Handbook: Please see the attached link for <u>Avon Public Schools Parent</u> <u>Student Handbook</u> 
 Important Links: PGS Website - <u>Pine Grove School Website</u>

 PGS PTO - <u>PGS PTO Link</u>
 <u>PTO- Konstella</u>

 Avon Public Library: <u>Avon Public Library Resources</u>

### <u>Avon District Calendar 2023-2024</u>

#### **PGS Minute**

#### September

- 4 No School Labor Day
- 6 School Picture Day
- 22 Summer Reading Celebration
- 25 No School Yom Kippur
- 26 Board of Ed Meeting AHS 7:00pm
- 29 PTO Family Movie Night 6:45

**End of Day Dismissal Plans:** If you have a change in your child(ren)'s dismissal plans please email the teacher and

pinegoveoffice@avon.k12.ct.us to let them know what the plan is for the end of the day. Thank you.

**Picture Day:** September 6, 2023 is picture day at PGS. Please fill out your picture form online with the



PGS code by September 5th. Attached is a flyer from Grynn & Barrett with the information: <u>School</u> <u>Photo Flyer</u>



Summer Reading Celebration: On September 22, 2023 we are having our summer reading under the sea dance party in the courtyard. Please ask your child to submit their summer reading log before September 22nd.

