



Trending Now @ PGS

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From the Principals:

Next week we will welcome families to Pine Grove School for parent-teacher conferences. It is our opportunity to share information about your child's progress thus far in the school year and a time to talk about successes and plan for areas of growth. Once your conference is complete, we encourage you to speak with your child about a goal for them to work towards. It could be a goal to get better at reading by reading each night, or a goal to get better at their math facts by practicing each night. Whatever goal they set, plan for an action they can take that will lead them to accomplish that goal. This will help them see how their efforts impact achieving their goals. What a powerful message!

~Mrs. Borio & Mrs. Buckle

[Avon District Calendar 2023-2024](#)



PGS Minute

November

- 13-17 Scholastic Book Fair
- 14 Board of Ed Meeting 7:00 pm AHS
- 15 Report Cards Online at 3:00 pm
- 16 Early Dismissal 11:50 Parent Conferences**
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- 22-24 No School - Thanksgiving Recess

December

- 5 4th Grade Winter Concert (see details below)
- 13 Early Dismissal 11:50 Professional Dev.**
- 22 Early Dismissal 11:50 Winter Break**
- 25-Jan 1 No School - Winter Break

Lunch on Early Dismissal Days: Thursday, Nov. 16 lunch choices are Sausage, Egg, Cheddar on a Croissant or Chef Salad, Friday, Nov. 17 lunch choices are Double Toasted Cheese Sandwich or Chef Salad.
Breakfast is not served.



Report Cards will be available on Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 3:00 pm on PowerSchool. Please click on the following link to read how to view your child's report card [Viewing Report Cards](#) The following letter from Mrs. Borio. explains how to understand the report card. [Fall Report Card Letter](#) If you would like to connect with your child's Unified Arts teacher, please click on the following link to read directions on how to do this. [Unified Arts Letter](#)

Veteran's Day: Happy Veterans Day to all the men and women that have served our country. Thank you!



American Heart Association: Please click on the following link to read a letter from Coach Cap & Coach Schulz [Parent Letter AHA 2023](#)

Turkey Trot: The Community Council will be hosting a Thanksgiving Food Drive. They will be collecting food to help those in need. The Turkey Trot will run Nov. 6th-17th There will also be an envelope in the office for their turkey drawing if they choose to do one. The winner will be announced on November 20th. Please see the attached flyer for details [Turkey Trot Flyer](#)



4th Grade Winter Concert: Hello families of 4th grade musicians! Please join us on Tuesday, December 5, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the PGS gym for the 4th Grade Chorus and Orchestra Winter Concert. **All** 4th grade students are involved in the Winter Concert! Our students have worked very hard and are looking forward to sharing their music with you! Performers will be wearing concert dress: white on top & black on the bottom with black shoes. The call time for the 4th graders is at 6:30 p.m. Orchestra students will unpack their instruments behind the curtains on stage and bring only their instruments and bows to the library for tuning and warm-up. Students who are in only Chorus will meet in the cafeteria. Please save the date! If you have any questions, please let us know.
Musically, Melanie John and Kaela Crystal-Thurston

Scholastic Book Fair is Coming to PGS:

The book fair will take place Nov. 13-17th. Family shopping dates/times are:
11/15 4:00-5:00 pm, 11/16 12-4 & 5-8,
11/17 12-4

