

Greetings, PGES Parents!

- Thank you for allowing our students to attend the football game last Friday and for your attendance as well. It was a Pine Grove Proud Moment to see our school represented in such a big way!
- 305 of our students earned Perfect Attendance last week. Thank you for making sure your student attends and arrives on time when they are feeling well enough.
- We will have \$1.50 Ice Cream Sales each Friday open to all students. Many schools offer a
 canteen or items to purchase for snack each day of the week. Since we do not currently have this
 option for our students, this weekly purchase is being made available to students. Please feel
 free to provide feedback directly to me on this new initiative, as we try to offer our students
 something new.
- Students arriving after 7:45am are considered tardy and will need a parent to sign them in and receive a tardy pass to class.
- For safety reasons, we do not announce emergency drills. However, for this first one of the school year, I share that we will be having a mandatory Lock Down Drill this week. So, if students come home and share, there is no cause for concern. It's a pre-scheduled drill. However, we do expect students to take it seriously, or there may be consequences for jeopardizing the integrity of our safety drills and procedures. For obvious reasons, it is a very serious matter indeed.
- I am sure you are interested in knowing how your student performed on the Beginning of the Year Reading and Math Star Assessments. A Guardian / Family Member Report will be sent home with your student this week. Also coming home this week is the 2024 ACAP Score Report for 2nd 6th grader(s). This assessment was taken last school year. If you have any questions on either of these reports, please let your child's teacher know.

Upcoming Activities:

- August 27th: Focus First will Screen Vision for Pre-K Students, 1:00p.m.
- August 27th: Annual Title I Parent Meeting, 3:30p.m. in the library
- September 2nd: Labor Day (No school)
- September 3rd: Lunch w/Grandparents (Pre-K & 6th)
- September 4th: Lunch w/Grandparents (1st & 4th)
- September 4th: BCHS Beta Chi Sigma will assist in the cafeteria during breakfast
- September 5th: Lunch with Grandparents (K & 3rd)
- September 5th: Fifth Grade Parent Meeting
- September 6th: Lunch w/Grandparents (2nd & 5th)
- September 8th: National Grandparents Day
- September 11th: First Quarter Progress Reports
- September 20th: Fall Pictures
- September 25th: See You At the Pole, 7am

Thanks for all you do!

Respectfully,

Dr. Pam M. Moorer, Principal

Pine Grove Elementary