

## PLES Announcements for October 11, 2021

Parents and Families,

Our Theme for this School Year: Every Journey has a Great Story.

Our Motto for this School Year: Work Hard. Enjoy the Journey, Tell Your Story.

Report Cards: The 1<sup>st</sup> 9 weeks ended last week. Report Cards will come out October 22. With the new PowerSchool program, we want to make sure the students' averages are correct.

Picture Money: This is due Wednesday, October 13.

October 13-27: We will be hosting a Crane Book Fair. Teachers will notify you of when your child's class will come to shop.

October 19: Magazine Fundraiser Kickoff – We are raising funds for chairs for the Synergy Room for teacher meetings, painting throughout the school, and other instructional supplies.

Friday, October 22: Parent Picnic Day – You can come eat lunch with your child. You may bring outside food for your child. You will meet your child's class on the playground. You must bring your own blanket and spread out for safety. Due to COVID precautions, only your child may eat on your blanket. You will sign in at the table at the playground gate. Siblings younger than Kindergarten can attend.

Red Ribbon Week/Fire Safety Week: October 25-29

Monday, October 25- "Being a nerd is cool! Be cool and don't do drugs!" Wear your nerdiest outfit.

Tuesday, October 26- "You won't see me using Drugs!" Wear camouflage.

Wednesday, October 27- "Be Brave, Be bold, Be you & Wear red!" Wear red.

Thursday, October 28- "Don't get mixed up in Drugs!" Wear crazy mixed matched outfit and hair.

Friday, October 29- "Say BOO to Drugs!" Wear your costumes for Fall Fun Day – Unfortunately due to the County's COVID Protocols and schedule of Fall Fun Day, we cannot safely invite parents to this day. The extra bodies of the parents would cause us to be too close together and unable to spread out.

Breakfast: Breakfast ends at 7:50 a.m. If your child intends on eating breakfast, please make sure they are at school and in the lunchroom by 7:50 a.m.

COVID Protocols:

- Masks are highly recommended for students and staff.
- Individuals in close contact with a positive COVID case outside of school or with a family member will most likely be required to isolate for a minimum of 10 days depending on the current protocols. Please contact the school nurse if your child has been exposed. For example, if your child has been properly wearing mask at school and sits 3 feet away from students, they might not be required to isolate. Our nurse will guide you as to how long your child will need to isolate.
- Students who have COVID symptoms should stay at home and contact their physician for guidance.
- Students who are waiting COVID test results should stay home until they have received results.

Parent Portal information: Student sign-in information was sent home. This allows you to use the PowerSchool app to check your child's grades and attendance. The parent sign-ins aren't working at this time, but the student sign-in will allow you to see the same information.

Important Information: Check out our [pinelevelem.com](http://pinelevelem.com) website and [pine\\_level\\_rocks](https://www.instagram.com/pine_level_rocks) Instagram regularly for school announcements and information.

We are looking forward to seeing our students tomorrow! Go Bulldogs! –Mrs. Harry