

Penhold Panther Chronicles 2023/2024 September 22nd

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL

We have officially welcomed fall and with that, we will see more temperature fluctuations each day. Please remind your child to bring a coat, appropriate shoes and maybe have a toque stashed in their backpack. On rainy days, we will aim to be outside as long as it is not a downpour so please send your child with a coat that has a hood or an umbrella.

We are patiently awaiting an announcement of who will be building our new school and when the building process will begin. This announcement will come from Alberta Education which we are anticipating will come in the first part of October.

Our parent council has been working very hard to raise funds so we are able to build a playground at our new school. They are hoping to have all funds raised within the next year. We cannot express how thankful we are for the hard work that has been put in by a small group of people. They are needing help with their up and coming fundraiser so please follow the link below if you are able to contribute.

Our first monthly assembly is coming up on October 2nd. Assemblies are held on the first Monday's of the month at 2:15pm in the gym. We give awards to students who show our Panther 5 and our monthly character trait. If your child is getting an award, your child's teacher will let you know ahead of time so you can attend if you wish.

We know the kids will all be tired this weekend and the extra day off will be much needed. Teachers are already well into curriculum and kids are working hard.

Please check our website main page to see more information that is coming up at PES. Additionally, information is linked in this newsletter.

Yours in Education,

Mrs. Giselle Meyer, Acting Principal Mrs. Jill Neilson, Acting Vice-Principal

PES Teams and Clubs

Cross Country Running Team

<u>Comfort Club</u> <u>Lunch Board Games</u>

Parent Council

Needs help from our Parent Community for their Harvest Supper on Oct 21, 2023

HOT LUNCH ORDERS

October Deadline is September 28th

Terry Fox Run

Thursday September 28th Kickoff is at 10:10am at PenX with run to follow We are trying to raise \$1000 for cancer research to the Terry Fox Foundation. Donations can be made online or cash brought to the teachers

Picture Day is coming...

Oct 4th is Picture Day Students will be sent home with a code for parents to access their child's photos

Fees

Please check your online payment account for agenda and CTF fees

Permissions Forms

Field trips have started... All of our classes have started off the year with a field trip. Please watch for communication from your child's teacher and in your email for permission forms.

September Character trait GRATEFULNESS

Cross Country Running

Great job to our cross country runners who participated in the Dawe run on Sept 19th

Important Dates

- Sept 22nd Professional Learning Day -No School for Students
- Sept 26th Eric Walters Author Visit at Penhold Library for Grade 5 & 6
- Sept 28th Community Terry Fox Run
- Sept 28th Hot Lunch Orders Due
- Sept 29th Orange Shirt Day
- Oct 2nd Monthly Assembly
- Oct 4th Picture Day



- Oct 5th - Grade 4 Landfill Field Trip