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Information and articles should be of interest to the Pine View School community.

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Scheduled Events

March 24	Town Hall: Middle School Athletics
March 26	SDMT Meeting
March 26-28	Drama Spring Musical
April 2	Grade 11 College Night
April 10	No School
April 13	Joint SAC and SDMT meeting
April 14	Python Chorus Spring Concert
April 14	PVA Meeting
April 15	Town Hall: Duke TIP –SENG and other Gifted Resources
April 16	Spring Choral Concert
April 17	Elementary Proud Python
April 18	Python Run
April 24	PV Pride Day
April 24	Senior Grad Bash
April 27-May 1	Faculty Appreciation Week
May 1	Senior Class Awards and Activities Day
May 2	Cobalt
May 6	Wind and Jazz Band Concert
May 7	Grade 7, 8 and HS Concert Band Concert
May 14	Orchestra Spring Concert
May 19	Grade 11 Awards and Grade 9/10 Awards
May 23	Class of 2020 Graduation
May 28	Grade 4 Awards
May 28	Grade 8 Graduation Ceremony
May 29	Grade 5 Moving Up Ceremony
May 29	Grade 7 and Grade 6 Awards Ceremonies
May 29	Last Day of School

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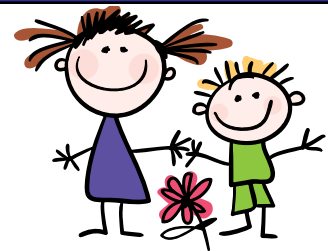


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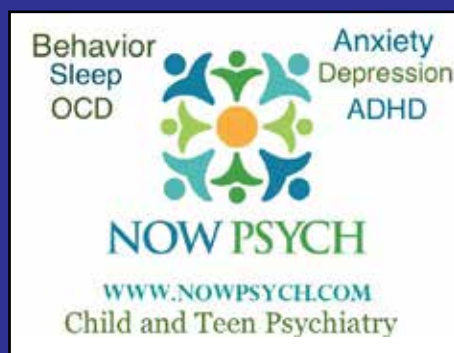
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The Pine View Association, working with the Pine View community, supports and advances the excellence of Pine View School.

The PVA encourages volunteerism, raises and disburses funds, promotes communication and cooperation with the school, provides input to the school on issues of concern to parents and supports gifted advocacy issues on a local and statewide basis.

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Dear Pine View Families,

February went by in a blink of an eye-so many wonderful PVA events happened and so much to share with our PVA community:

February 8th was **Pinnacle**: Wow, we had a one-of-a-kind Pinnacle this year. In my opinion, it was one of the best that I have attended in the time that I have been a Pine View parent. The venue, Sarasota Yacht Club, was perfect for an event like this. The food, the service, the decorations were all elegant and first class! Our co-chairs, **Megan Heller and Melissa Perrin**, went beyond everyone's expectations and did an outstanding job.

Fellow board member, **Susan Harris**, was instrumental in putting this event together and did a fabulous job. **It was a night for Pine View School and the focus was on our Pine View students.** Also, a shout out to our principal, **Dr. Covert**, for going on stage that night and motivating the audience to bid on "a day with a Principal" and "a day with Lenny." Both items went for a nice chunk of money!! Everyone I talked to so far: sponsors, parents, teachers ... was so complementary and positive about the event. **CONGRATULATIONS to all Pinnacle volunteers; you did it and did it the 212-degree way! Pinnacle made over \$90,000 this year — it will all go back to Pine View School.** Thank you to everyone that volunteered, donated, and participated!!

On February 20th PVA hosted the **annual Volunteer Brunch**. This year, PVA Board member **Debbie Wolfinger**, put the brunch together and what a great job she did! The nominees for this year were: for Elementary School, **Yash Kakkad** (4th grade), for Middle School, **Jade Firlie** (8th grade), for High School **Brianna Nelson** (11th grade), the adult nominee was **Suzanne Douglas**, the Senior nominee was **Constance O'Gorman**, and finally our annual business volunteer award went to **Claudia Moricz of Moricz Orthodontics**. Dr. Covert presented the award certificates and we learned something about each nominee. It is very heartwarming to know all the interesting things these nominees do for our Pine View and local community. These wonderful people set an example for all of us to go out there and help to make our community a better place. **Congratulations and a big Thank You to all!!**

February 28th was our beloved **Peramathon**. Our co-chairs **Woomee Yu and Camillia Mankovich** have hosted this event for many years and are Pros in putting it together!! For many Pine View families, this is their favorite PVA fundraiser; it is an all day, outside event, that is open to all. The kids were having so much fun running and cheering on their classmates or teachers. There were cool prizes to win (Amazon gift cards, one hour in a money machine, science kits and so much more), but most of all, there was a camaraderie among the students and a positive atmosphere. We have such a great school - **Go Pythons!**

Finally, a big shout out to the **Third-Grade Team** and their showcase that was presented on February 6th. The team, led by Pine View teacher **Frieda Williams**, had come to PVA in December of 2019 to ask for support in getting a drama coach for a new third grade drama project. The PVA board was very much in support of this new venture and the outcome speaks for itself: What a great success! We are looking forward to more of this creative collaboration with the Third-Grade Team!!

Have a wonderful March Spring break!

Yours truly,
Isa Chauhan
PVA President





News... from the Board Room

This column is to inform our membership of PVA board meetings in a more informal fashion-all board meetings are recorded by our Secretary, Heidi Bodor. She keeps detailed minutes of our meetings.

On February 11th we had another successful PVA board meeting.

Special guest:

- Ms. Jagdish and Pine View Rho Kappa
- Ms. Leighton and Pine View's Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

Presidents Message:

- Thank you to Melissa Perrin and Megan Heller for a successful Pinnacle. Thank you to Susan Harris, for her support in making this a great event.
- Next PVA event is Peramathon on February 28 – pls support, volunteer, attend!!

Principal's Message:

- Kudos to Megan and Melissa, Susan and Sabine, and everyone on the PVA Pinnacle Committee for an amazing Pinnacle 2020!
- Wonderful job and kudos to our 3rd grade students and teachers for their incredible 3rd grade showcase
- Thank you to PVA for supporting the visiting artist in residence
- Thank you to teachers for their work in supporting PV students' originality and their creativity.
- Pine View was able to announce that 25 PV seniors are being named National Merit Finalists
- In the coming months, all PVS courts will be resurfaced and painted/refurbished.
- On PVA's Peramathon on February 28, Dr. Covert will be running 52 laps!!

Committee update:

- Pinnacle did very well. Preliminary numbers show that Pinnacle made more than \$90,000. Thank you to all who helped make this a success.
- Peramathon is coming up. A sign-up genius will be sent out shortly.
- Giving Challenge is on April 28th. March will be used to prepare for this fundraiser in full force.
- Treasurer Report: Lisa Stern updated the board on the latest P&L statement.

Funding Request:

- **Pine View Rho Kappa funding request for \$300.** Funds will be used to purchase material for World Fair 2020 (Tuesday March 31). World Day is a cross cultural event to encourage knowledge in the fields of international relations, cultural studies and social studies. Students who will benefit: Entire Elementary School.
- A presentation by Rho Kappa was made. PVA board was very impressed and approved funding for \$400.
- FBLA funding request for \$1000.
- FBLA students made a presentation: Funds will be applied to the total cost for 13 qualifying FBLA students to attend the states competition March 12 - 14 in Orlando. At FBLA Districts last month, students competed in events like Marketing, Management, Global Business, Web Design, and Impromptu Speaking against other FBLA students in the district. In most cases, students needed to place first in their event to qualify for States. 13 students qualified and are committed to competing against the other top FBLA students in the state, March 12-14 in Orlando.
- PVA board was very impressed by the presentation but needed to have more questions answered before coming to a vote. The vote for the request was postponed for another 2 weeks.



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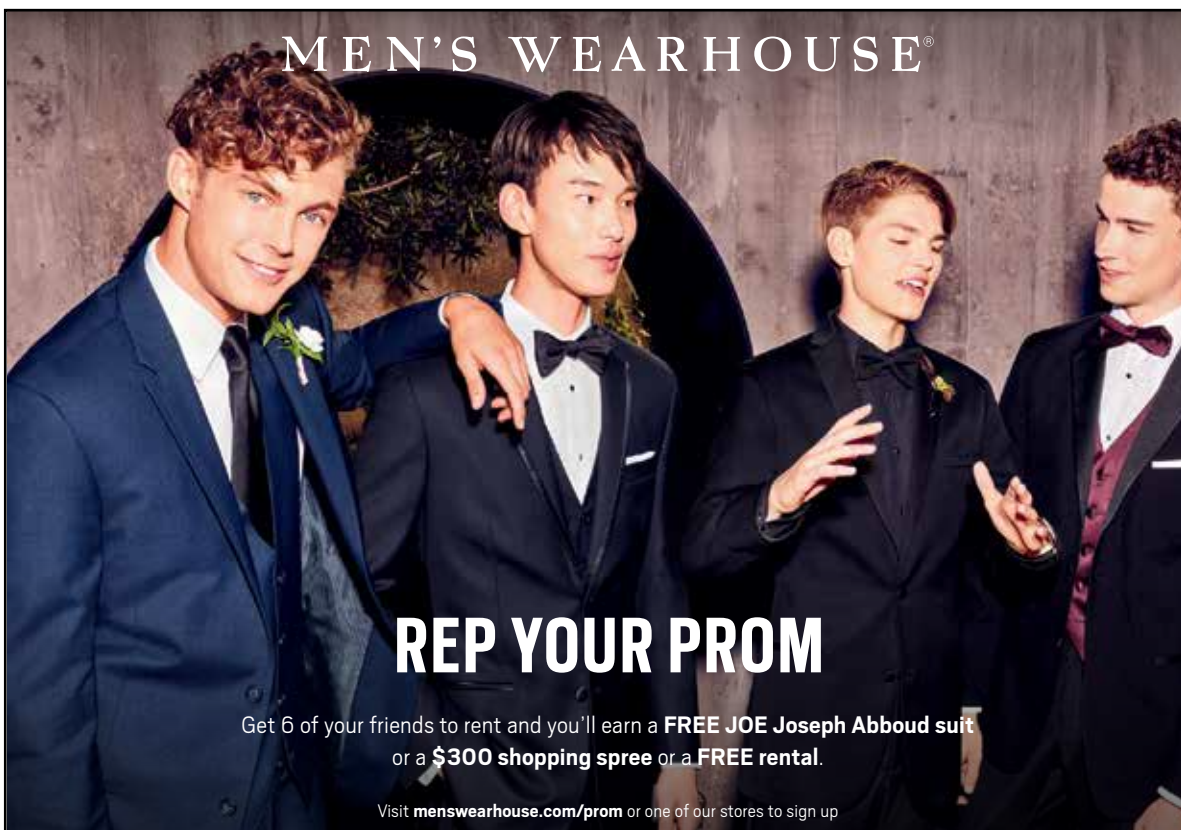
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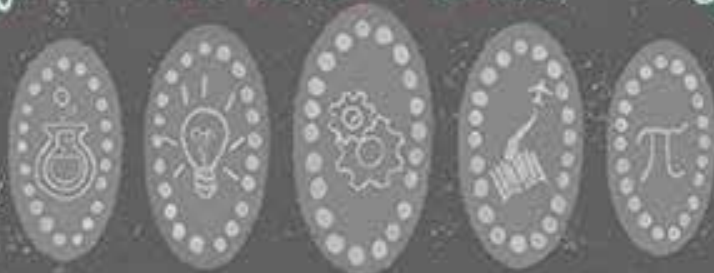
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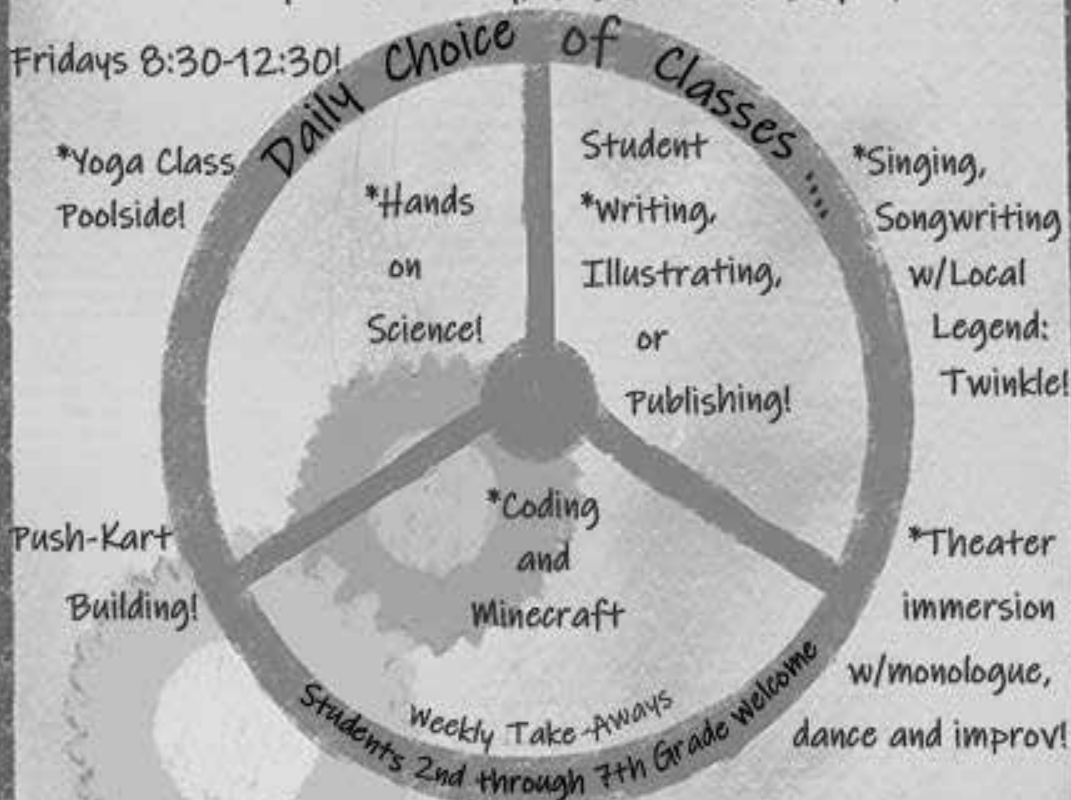
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Meet Your PVA Board & Committee Chairs



Debbi Wolfinger

What is your connection to PV?

I have a 7th grader, Brooke, who has attended since 2nd grade. My introduction to Pine View was 23 years ago when my husband started teaching here. So before even having a student enrolled, I was able to understand the Pine View culture where I have met so many wonderful students and families. I am a real estate agent and I enjoy helping families relocate to the area and introducing them to the #1 school in Florida and one of the top schools in the nation as a possibility for their children.

What is your role in PVA and why did you get involved?

After many years of volunteering as front desk help, being the homeroom mom, and volunteering wherever needed I was approached to join the PVA board. I thought this would be a great way to learn more about this parent-run organization. The work that PVA does for the school is essential. It is not just raising funds for the school, it is supporting both the students and staff in SO many ways when there is a need. I am proud to serve as a member.

What do you love most about PV?

The environment of Pine View School is unlike any other. After my daughter started at Pine View, by mid 3rd grade year, we noticed such a change. It was as if her mind just exploded. The atmosphere, fellow students and wonderful teachers changed her personality and love for learning. I feel so lucky that we live in Sarasota where both my husband and daughter have the honor to be part of the Pine View family and I can join in on the experience. Go Pythons!

Please join us for the PVA General Membership Meeting

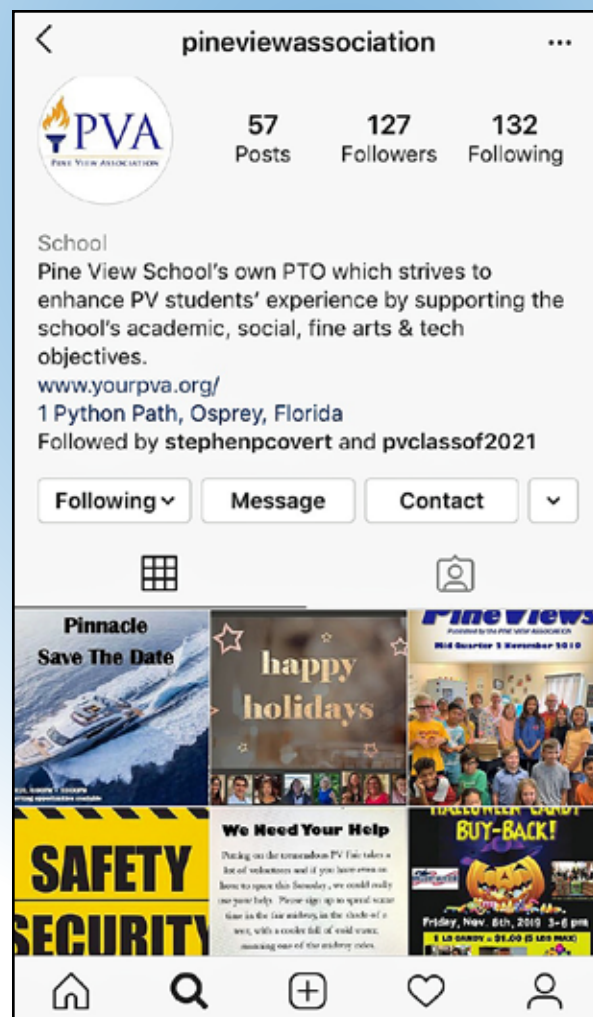
Tuesday, April 14 at 6 pm
Pine View School in the Student Union

We welcome all PVA Members to attend!

Want to join your PVA Board, see page 24.

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It is the exciting time of the year again when elections of our PVA board are coming up! We are looking for wonderful people like you who share the common goal of PVA. That goal is creating a better school and a better educational experience for our children. We strive to create an atmosphere where teachers and administrators can do their best work—and so can our children. PVA is continually working to improve our board. Besides working on many fundraiser events and sponsorship initiatives, we spend a lot of time working to improve our communication with Pine View parents: telling them who we are and what we do. We mainly use our publication Pine Views to keep our membership informed, but we also communicate via Facebook, Instagram and email. We believe that a good PVA board has diverse point of views and is constantly evolving to be better.

Frequently Asked Questions

How Do I join the Board?

Simply fill out the attached form and bring it to the office or you can scan it and email to: exec_board@yourpva.org. One of our board members will contact you for a personal meeting.

What is the PVA Board all about?

The board discusses new ways on generating funds for our school, we plan events and try to allocate areas where funds are needed. The board has many committees that are chaired by PVA members. You can read about each committee on our website www.yourpva.org.

What is PVA's mission?

PVA, working with the Pine View community, supports and advances the excellence of Pine View school. When we make decisions as board member, we always check with our mission statement.

What are PVA's Events?

Peramathon, Faculty & Staff Appreciation, Pine View Fair, Pine View Pride, Pinnacle, Proud Python, Read-A-thon

PVA BOARD NOMINATION FORM

DUE BY MARCH 31, 2020

Contact:

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Email: _____

2020-2021 Grades of your Child(ren)

Child 1 _____ Grade _____
Child 2 _____ Grade _____
Child 3 _____ Grade _____

Briefly describe your background experience as it may pertain to your qualifications for serving on the PVA board. Please include activities that you have been involved in at the school:

What do you think you have to offer the PVA board and/or why do you want to serve?

By signing, I state A) I am a member of PVA, B) the above statements are correct and true, C) I am available to attend the PVA annual workshop:

Full Name

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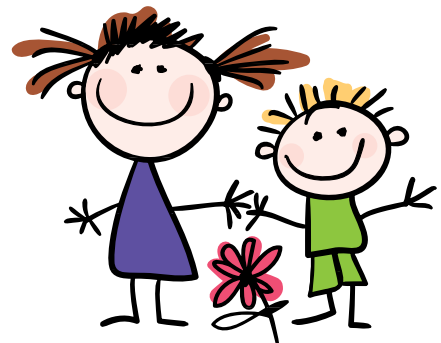
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We are looking for parents to support our business partnership and sponsorship program in 2020-2021. Annual giving to PVA plays a vital role in shaping the education of our students. Donations from our business partners and family sponsors help ensure funding to enrich Pine View students' school experience by supporting the school's academic, social, fine arts, and technology objectives.

As the co-chair of Sponsorship Committee, you will be working closely with PVA executive committee and board members to enhance our annual sponsorship program offerings and bring in more business partners and parents to support our shared mission. Please contact sponsorship@yourpva.org & president@yourpva.org to learn more about this opportunity.



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Activities On ... and Off Campus

STEMSmart Student Summit

What a great way to kick-off and begin CTE month!!! The STEMSmart Student Summit, held January 31st at Suncoast Technical College's Sarasota campus, was an exciting project-based one-day competition primarily for high schools. Students collaborated in competitive teams to propose STEM-based solutions for real-world situations. STEM areas emphasized included health care, web design, publishing, 3D design, spreadsheet applications and general mathematics. Please congratulate the following students on their accomplishments and achievements at the STEMSmart Competition.

— Drew Wormington



Spreadsheet Applications

- 1st Place

Ben Covert



Math Quiz Bowl

- 1st Place

Jack Gallahan

Michael Gutierrez

Danny McDonald

Pragnya Govindu



Web Design

- 1st Place

Uday Goyat

Gatlen Culp



CAD 3D Design

- 3rd Place

Alex Gage



Drone

- 2nd Place

George Harding

Evan Hannon



Desktop Publishing

- 3rd Place

Sahil Agarwal

Peyton Harris



Activities On ... and Off Campus

STEMSmart Student Summit *(continued)*



Multimedia Math Challenge

- 3rd Place

Anusha Bishayee

Lisa Zhang

Haley Gardner

Nicole Lauren



Health Quiz Bowl

- 3rd Place

Nick Paredes

Ashley Pelton

Rosie Chan

Ray Min



Sophomore Jo Malvas shares her critical essay that was awarded the Scholastic Gold Key. She moves on to the national competition and is awaiting results in March.

— Chris Pauling



Senior Laine Chmielewski, President of Pine View Poetry Society, performs at the Pine View school competition for Poetry Out Loud



Activities On ... and Off Campus

5th Grade Biz Town Field Trip

Below are photos of children from Mrs Wozniak's class working in the Better Business Bureau. These 5th Grade students spent the day at Junior Achievement's Biz Town Tampa.



L to R: Faye Klutke, Alec Johnston, Cole Pichiven, Alexandra, and AJ Gillespie



CEO: Alec Johnston and CFO: AJ Gillespie

Grade 6 from Mrs. Squires's class!



Esther Nisberg, Dalton Burroughs, and Liana Schlabach

To be included in future issues, please send your pictures with captions/ descriptions and names/grades of all Pine View students to pineviews@yourpva.org.

Deadlines can be found on page 4.



Your PVA at Work



2020 HOSA Regional Competition

On January 16th, the Pine View HOSA team went to Manatee Technical College to compete in the 2020 Gulf Coast Regional Conference of HOSA Future Health Professionals. In total, 27 Pine View students qualified to attend the 2020 State Leadership Conference, marking Pine View HOSA's most successful year yet. 11 Pine View students won 1st place in their events at the regional conference this year, and the remaining qualifiers placed top three in their events. At HOSA conferences, Pine View students compete in events including pharmacology and medical law and ethics through knowledge-based exams. Students also compete in demonstrating medical skills such as CPR. All 12 regions of Florida HOSA will compete in the State Leadership Conference this coming April. Pine View HOSA congratulates all of its members for working hard on their competitive events over the past several months, and for Pine View's outstanding success at each conference.



Results of 2020 HOSA Regional Competition. **The following advance to HOSA States:**

- | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| * Behavioral Health | * Pathophysiology | * CPR/First Aid |
| Maddy Halcomb (1) | Alex Lu (1) | Zach Gallus and Will Vest (3) |
| * Cultural Diversities and Disparities | Grace Jiang (2) | * Epidemiology |
| Emily Hidalgo (2) | * Pharmacology | Cole Firlie (1) |
| * Human Growth and Development | Waseh Khan (1) | * Health Career Photography |
| Rosenna Chan (1) | Julia Chen (2) | Emily Naidel (1) |
| Edward Shen (2) | Nathan Baxter (3) | Kaylee Tran (2) |
| * Medical Law and Ethics | * Biomedical Laboratory Science | * Prepared Speaking |
| Bari Namgoong (1) | Zola Disz (4) | Meera (1) |
| Kaili Huang (2) | * Clinical Nursing | * Forensic Science |
| Chloe Ochsner (4) | Marianna Flores (5) | Hana Han and Rose Calleja (3) |
| * Medical Terminology | * Dental Science | |
| Ethan Messier (1) | Laurn Jackson (1) | |
| * Nutrition | * Sports Medicine | |
| Nicholas Paredes (1) | Alexis Firlie (3) | |
| Juna Hatta-Langedyk (2) | | |
| Ruby Copsey (3) | | |

SPECIAL OLYMPICS HOSTED BY PINE VIEW

For over twenty-five years, Pine View has celebrated the unique gifts of children and adults by hosting the **Sarasota County Special Olympics** on our campus. It has been a true collaborative effort as we involve student volunteers, teachers, parents, community members, and it was spearheaded, again by faculty members Blake Wiley and David Delaney with support from our School Advisory Council, chaired by Carole McLaughlin.

It is such a special day to see the Special Olympians enter the gymnasium and receive “high-five’s” from the student volunteers as the anthem of the Olympics is played! The expression, “To whom much is given, much is expected,” comes to mind, and it is our pleasure and honor to support our community and these amazing Special Olympians who overcome amazing challenges every single day!

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Attention Pine View School Parents

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We invite you to visit yourpva.membershiptoolkit.com to see everything your Pine View Association has to offer this year. Once you create a verified Membership Toolkit Account, you will have access to view our PVA Student Directory.

When registering and creating an account, as long as you use the email address that the invitation has been sent to, your user account will be automatically linked to your information we imported from MySchoolAnywhere.

Here's what you need to do:

- Go to <https://yourpva.membershiptoolkit.com>.
 - Click on the Register/Login button.
 - If you already have an account with another organization that uses Membership Toolkit you can use the same email and password to login. You can then proceed to the numbered steps below.
 - Select "Create Account" and fill in the name, email, and password information.
 - Click "verify my email" and then check your email for a link to complete the process. The link expires in 2 hours. If you do not receive the email, check your spam or junk folders.
 - Once you have verified your email address, log back in and finish the registration process.
1. Complete or confirm the **Parent/Family and Student Information**.
 2. Complete or confirm the **Directory/Publish Preferences**.
 3. Once these forms are completed or confirmed, you will have access to the PVA Student Directory!

Once the Primary Account is set up, the **Primary User can "invite" other email addresses** to access his/her account. This allows the Secondary User to have their own login information, but still have access to the family account.

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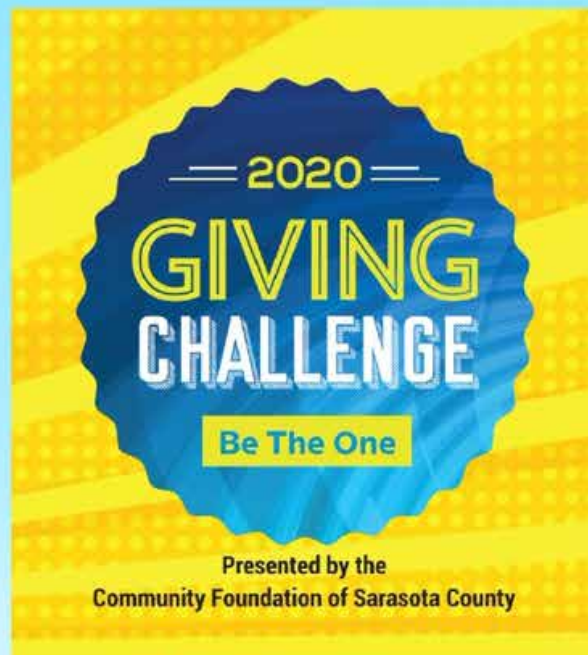
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www.GivingPartnerChallenge.org



This year's Proceeds from PVA's 2020 Giving Challenge – will go to Pine View School to enable purchase of:

1. **A Planetarium** to benefit Grades 2-12. A planetarium will put Pine View school on the map for being one of the premier schools that is investing heavily in its STEM program. The planetarium has multiple applications and can be used in all grade levels for multiple curricular activities.
2. In order to reduce the use of plastic bottles on Pine View campus, PVA is collecting funds to install **chilled water bottle refill fountains**, in addition to our existing water fountains on campus. Pine View should be a leader in the environmental movement to reduce, reuse and recycle!
3. PVA and teachers at Pine View realize that our students under a lot of stress and pressure. **"Inner Explorer"**, a program that can be downloaded to a smart phone or is accessible on computer, is a series of daily 5-10-minute audio-guided mindfulness practices. The program focuses on key areas of development, bringing mindfulness to education and helping students prepare for learning. Daily practice teaches kids the practical techniques to appropriately handle difficult emotions such as stress, anxiety, anger and more. Inner Explorer offers programs for all age-groups (PreK-12) that help students with the following themes:
 - Discovering Breathing and Relaxation Exercises
 - Learning Awareness of Senses
 - Using Thought and Emotional Regulation
 - Developing Compassion and Connection
 - Promoting Social Emotional Learning

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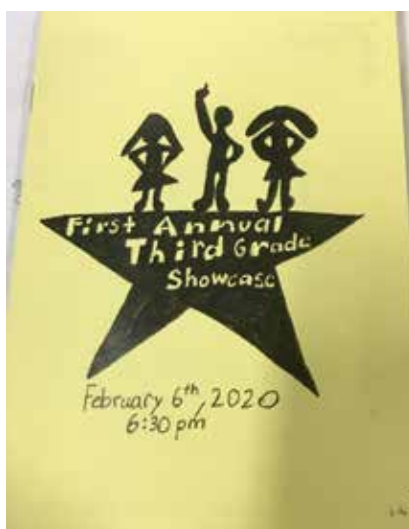
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Interested in volunteering? We have available opportunities! Please contact Diane Thompson at dthomps1477@gmail.com.





The Third Grade Team appreciates the support from PVA in bringing the New Third Grade Showcase to life.





Principal's Perspective

March, 2020

Dear Pine View School Parents and Community:

While the rest of the country is chilly and shoveling snow, we are truly fortunate in the Sunshine State to enjoy our warm weather, our incredible students and teachers, and our amazingly supportive Pine View parents! In this month's Principal's Perspective, I want to share some updates and kudos to some amazing people.

Again, I want to personally thank the tireless efforts, incredible dedication, and truly demonstrating the Pine View motto of 'going the extra degree' to Pinnacle co-chairs, Melissa Perrin and Megan Heller, and the entire Pinnacle Committee with PVA! They all put together and made an absolutely wonderful Pinnacle a huge success at the Sarasota Yacht Club! While we are awaiting final expenses and donations to be counted, we know it all goes to help support teachers enriching and inspiring the gifted education of our PV students, grades 2 through 12. Thank you, Melissa and Megan, everyone on the Pinnacle Committee, and Isa Chauhan for your tireless work, your leadership, and your commitment to Pine View School!



Kudos to PV faculty member, Summer Grantham, and Pine View's BuildOn.org team for partnering with PV families, The Ratners, The Famiglios, and the Sarasota Film Festival in our showing of the great film, Frozen II! It was an incredibly chilly evening, so apropos that we showed Frozen II. The funds raised will go toward this group building a school in Nepal in support of Pine View's mission to make a difference in world around us, and living out the motto, "To whom much is given, much is expected."

Thank you to Pine View's School Advisory Council, Chair, Carole McLaughlin, and Blake Wiley and David Delaney for coordinating this year's 23rd annual Pine View-hosted Sarasota Special Olympics which was held on Saturday, February 22nd. This is an annual way we engage our community, and celebrate the amazing gifts of the special athletes throughout Sarasota County, and allows our PV students to earn volunteer hours. It was truly a heart-warming event, and one of the most special ways to give back to our community.

Kudos to Peramathon 2020 chair, Woomee Yu, and all the volunteers of the PVA Peramathon Team who came out and counted laps or helped the students, our amazing teachers, and of course- our awesome students! We had a very chilly day, but it was a wonderful opportunity to get some exercise, raise some funds for our school, and enjoy the comradery of being on the track together. Thank you to all parents and our business sponsors for supporting Peramathon 2020!

This is a busy and important time of year for many reasons- we are continuing to prepare our students, grades 2 through 12, for outstanding success in the coming months on statewide assessments, and myriad other tests. On the school website, you will find an introduction letter and schedules about the upcoming Florida Standards Assessments (FSA's), Advanced Placement (AP) mock schedules, Advanced Placement (AP) exam schedules, End of Course (EOC) exam schedules. Thank you to Lori Wiley, our School Testing Coordinator, for all her work in making the spring testing go as seamlessly as possible!

I have been visiting with seniors to start our preparations for graduation and drafting my comments which make the ceremony so personalized and special for them. It's hard to believe it's right around the corner, and Pine View thanks each and every parent for their love, support, and encouragement of their students- whether a second or twelfth grader, going the extra degree makes all the difference!

Thank you!

Stephen P. Covert, Ph.D.
Principal

The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others. Mahatma Gandhi



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3	9:15 - 10:10
4	10:15 - 11:07
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7	1:06 - 1:58
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9	3:00 - 3:52

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Pine View School Mission Statement

The mission of Pine View School is to provide a qualitatively different learning environment that nurtures a passion for intellectual curiosity, encourages risk taking, independence and innovation, and is committed to a tradition of academic excellence and social responsibility.

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SAC Mission Statement

The mission of the School Advisory Council (SAC) is to enhance school decision making to improve students' academic performance and intellectual, social and emotional growth and development. As such, the SAC serves in an advisory capacity to the principal regarding school improvement; assists in preparation and evaluation of the school improvement plan; and provides input and assistance in preparation of the school's annual budget and the use of school improvement funds, as per Florida law.

SDMT

Mission Statement

The Shared Decision Making Team is the policy making body at Pine View. Teachers, support staff, parents, and students have representatives who serve on this committee. Visitors are welcome to attend.



Pine View Information

AIDES

Aristi, Nicolina.....Monitorial Aide
Auerbach, Jessica. Campus Security
Bachert, David..... Campus Security
Chaustre, Ivonne.....ESE Aide
Cherubino, Lucy.....Monitorial Aide
Dooley, Melissa.....Media Aide
Elliott, Carmen.....Monitorial Aide
Ebers, Susan.....Monitorial Aide
Fuentes, Joel.....Tech. Support
Goldman, Cynthia.....Monitorial Aide
Gross, Lenny..... Physical Education Aide
Guardado Henriquez, Hugo..Tech. Support
Hawkins, James. Campus Security
McGuire, Bob.....Para Professional Aide
Medlin, Laura ESE Aide
Moleiro, Eugene. Monitorial Aide
Morgerson, Patrica.....Monitorial Aide
Sandefur, Deana.....Health Room Aide

2019 – 2020 CALENDAR

August 12.First Day for Students
September 2.....Labor Day
October 11..... End of 1st Grading Period
October 14..... Professional Day-No School
November 25-29.....Thanksgiving Holiday
November 26-29.....Thanksgiving Holiday
December 20.End of 2nd Grading Period
December 23.January 3 - Winter Break
January 6.....Professional Day-No School
January 20.MLK Day-No School
February 14Mini Break-No School
February 17.President's Day-No School
March 11.End of 3rd Grading Period
March 12.Professional Day-No School
March 13-20..... Spring Break
April 10.Mini Break-No School
May 25.Memorial Day
May 29.Last Day of School for Students

Pine View's 212° Philosophy

At 211 degrees, water is hot.
At 212 degrees, it boils.
And with boiling water,
comes steam.
And with steam,
you can power a train.
One degree more =
Exponential Results

-- By S.I. Parker



If You Need ...

It is important to know who to go to when you need to get something done. This list should help both new and returning students and parents.

When in doubt, ask the wonderful staff and dedicated volunteers at the front desk. They are always there to help.

IF YOU NEED:

SEE

Accident Ins. Claim Form	Jenny Reyka
Activities Calendar	Denise Valentine
Activity Bus.....	Jenny Reyka
Admissions	Eileen Cabrera
Announcements	Denise Valentine
Attendance	Maureen Borden
Audio-Visual Aids	Cathy Tracy
Custodial Assistance	Front Desk
Deposit/Withdrawal of Funds	Teri Fisher
Discipline Information	Michelle Ball-Fauls
Intramural Information	Joe Digiacomo
Lockers.....	Front Desk
Medical Attention	Deana Sandefur
Parking.....	Front Desk
Sign In	Front Desk
Sign Out	Front Desk
Snack Machine Refunds	Student Union
Student Activities	Lenny Gross
To report theft or vandalism	John Bobianski
Transportation.....	486-2141
Transcript Request.....	Sue Manders
Withdrawal from school	Sue Manders



Attendance Information

ATTENDANCE POLICIES

You can view your student's attendance information on the 'FAMILY ACCESS' portal

ALL ABSENCES For an absence (including those for religious observance) to be considered **excused**, one of the following must be submitted to the front office within 3 days of a student's return to school:

- **Signed absent note from parent/guardian** that includes student name/grade/dates of absence/reason for absence. If a reason is not given the absence will not be excused.
- **Doctor Note** – Highly recommended anytime available.
- **Passports** - To excuse a future, full day absence, a student must bring a signed note to the front office at least 3 days prior to the anticipated absence. This note is then attached to the passport form which must be signed by all teachers and a parent/guardian before being returned to the front office for administrative review. Passports will NOT be excused for students identified as *excessively absent* (see below) or during FSA's, EOC's or other standardized testing.

PARTIAL DAY ATTENDANCE

Per Sarasota County School Board policy, a middle or high school student must be present 4 periods of the school day to be considered in attendance for the day. Elementary students must be in attendance until 12:30 and/or not dismissed prior to 12:30 to be considered in attendance for the day.

EARLY DISMISSAL PROCEDURE

All students leaving campus prior to the end of their academic day **MUST** be signed out in the front office. To avoid classroom disruptions, a student should bring a signed note from a parent/guardian to the front office before school to obtain a pass to be dismissed from class. The student then meets their parent/guardian in the front office for sign-out. High school students (including those who are 18) leaving campus early and driving themselves **MUST** have a signed note from a parent or guardian advising that the student has permission to leave school early (For safety, random verification calls to home will be made). If a student is being picked up by someone other than a parent/guardian, the student **MUST** have a signed note from the registering parent/guardian giving permission for the student to leave with the person named in the note.

EXCESSIVE EXCUSED LATE ARRIVALS/EARLY DISMISSALS

If a student has 5 excused late arrivals or early dismissals in a semester, Pine View School considers this excessive and will require doctor notes for future late arrivals/early dismissals to be considered excused.

EXCESSIVE ABSENCES

If a student has nine absences/semester or eighteen absences/year which have not been excused with medical documentation, the Sarasota County School District deems this to be excessive and Pine View School will require doctor notes for future absences to be considered excused.

MORNING WAKE-UP CLUB

If a high school student is late to school five times without an excuse note, the student will receive a letter inviting them to join the "Morning Wake-Up Club". If the family 'opts in' to this intervention they will receive an automated Connect-Ed message at 6:30am encouraging their student to arrive on time for school.

UNEXCUSED ABSENCES

High School students: Attendance and administration closely monitor unexcused absences (full day or any day with one or more unexcused class periods) and the following steps are taken:

5 unexcused – counseled by grade level administrator

10 unexcused – Saturday school and referral

15 unexcused – Saturday school and **** Loss of PV parking for two weeks (HS only)****

LOSS OF PERMIT/DRIVER'S LICENSE (8th-12th Grade)

The attendance records of students (ages 14 - 17, 8th - 12th grade) who have 15 unexcused absences (includes any day with one or more unexcused class periods) within a 90-calendar day period are automatically forwarded to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicle by the Sarasota County School District and driving privileges (license/permit) may be revoked.



Absence Excuse Form

ABSENCE EXCUSE FORMS

Dear Parents and Guardians,

On the following page are two blank, absence request forms for future use. This form includes all the necessary information that attendance needs should your child be late to school, is absent or requires an early dismissal. (High school students with a driver's license, a registered parking space and a signed note from a parent may leave early and drive themselves.) The 'other' category can be used to request a Passport for a future full-day absence.

**STUDENTS 18 YEARS OF AGE MUST STILL HAVE
NOTES FROM HOME TO EXCUSE ABSENCES,
TARDIES AND TO LEAVE CAMPUS EARLY**

Please feel free to detach and copy this form for use throughout the school year - more copies can be obtained in the front office. This form is not required to excuse an absence but is simple to complete and will help assure that you've included all the necessary information for your child. Handwritten, signed notes are still accepted and doctor notes are always strongly recommended when available.

Thank you,

Pine View School Attendance

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA
PINE VIEW SCHOOL
1 PYTHON PATH, OSPREY, FL 34229
PHONE (941) 486-2001 FAX (941) 486-2042

ABSENCE EXCUSE FORM

Student Name _____ Grade _____
DOB _____

☐ Is LATE, Reason _____
☐ Is LEAVING EARLY _____
Time of early dismissal _____
Individual picking up _____
Reason for early dismissal _____

An individual picking up a student must be on the student's contact list

☐ High school student has permission to LEAVE EARLY
and drive themselves off campus.
Time of early dismissal _____
Purpose of early dismissal _____
Registered Parking Space No. _____

☐ ABSENCE (Full Day)
Date of absence _____
Reason for absence _____
☐ Passport Request
Date(s) of future absence _____
Purpose of absence _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Print) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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AP Research Colloquium

March 25 - 27

The AP Research students of 2019-2020 are proud to invite you to attend the AP Research Colloquium, a three-day series presenting the findings of eight independent year-long research projects. The research students present is their own. They designed and conducted their own studies on academic topics or issues of their choosing, representing a year of inquiry and hard work.

Interested parents and students of all ages are welcome to attend a single session or any combination of sessions. Please RSVP your interest to boglarka.lengyel@sarasotacountyschools.net by Thursday, March 19th.

Presentation Schedule

Wednesday, March 25th

8:20 a.m. Savannah James

This project delves into recent trends of Corporate Social Responsibility (CEO Activism) regarding President Trump's 2018 Family Separation Policy. The project analyzes CEO comments made directly to employees and consumers (via Twitter, companywide memos or news outlets) examining the importance and effects of CEOs speaking out.

8:36 a.m. Kaila Stafford

This project examines, through an understanding of cognitive animation theory, how the 3D animated expressions, movement, vocal patterns, mise-en-scene and interactions in How to Train Your Dragon are used to elicit audience emotions in order to better understand human-animal physical and emotion interaction in modern animation.

8:58 a.m. Cameron Burns

Inspired by jealousy of classmates experiencing PV's flipped classrooms, this research project focuses on that unique and developing style of teaching that swaps that activities usually associated with home and school and how it affects students after they leave the classroom. Come find out if students flop when classrooms flip.

Thursday, March 26th

8:20 a.m. Christiana Guan

This project explores the experiences of successful introverted CEOs of Fortune 500 companies through an exploratory case study focused on examining their management styles and financial successes.

8:36 a.m. Kaysha Kapadia

This study follows the shift in American comedy from 1990s to present-day sitcoms. Through a content analysis of joke styles and themes in the most-viewed sitcoms of the eras to examine how transformations in comedic intention, style, and format might reflect socio-cultural changes.

8:58 a.m. Luis Guevara-Flores

This project extends economist William Easterly's criticisms of NGOs and division of their philosophical approaches into "searchers" and "planners" by content analyzing NGO mission statement language in a real-world context.

Friday, March 27th

8:20 a.m. Benjamin Nicholson

In less than 2% of all SCOTUS decisions they have called for the case to be reargued, including some of the most politically and legally salient cases of all time. This study reviews transcripts of reargued cases to identify whether there are significant linguistic differences between cases that are reargued and those that are not.

8:36 a.m. Renn Lewis

This project analyzes the consumer behavior of high school and college students concerning marine plastic pollution and support of companies and organizations funding clean up projects. Through surveys, consumer willingness to purchase products versus donating to organizations is examined.

Attention Elementary Students!

Please join Niranjana Jayendran, Middle School Student, and Ms. McManus, Elementary Counselor for Morning Mindfulness. ☀️



Mind Full, or Mindful?

Mindfulness Matters

Join us in Room 101
@ 8:45 on Wednesdays

A note from Elementary School Counselor, Kate McManus...

Dear 4th – 6th grade parents! If your child scored at or above on the following tests, they are eligible for the Duke TIP program.

Test Name	SubTest	Scores
Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) and NGSSS 2018 3rd Grade	ELA	≥ 335
	MATH	≥ 335
Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) and NGSSS 2018 4th Grade	ELA	≥ 343
	MATH	≥ 351
Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) and NGSSS 2019 3rd Grade	ELA	≥ 333
	MATH	≥ 335
Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) and NGSSS 2019 4th Grade	ELA	≥ 345
	MATH	≥ 352
Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) and NGSSS 2019 5th Grade	ELA	≥ 356
	MATH	≥ 363
	SCIENCE	≥ 235

Students need to enroll only **once** during their fourth, fifth, or sixth grades, as benefits continue to the end of their sixth-grade year. **If a student has enrolled in a previous year, do not re-enroll.**

If you choose to enroll your child into this program, please complete the following steps:

- Go to www.tip.duke.edu/enroll.
- If you have never created an online account with Duke TIP, click on 'NEW USERS' in the upper left-hand corner and fill out the new user registration form. This is where you will create a Username and a Password. If you have a username and password, log into the online system.
- After creating your account, you will be automatically logged into 'DUKE TIP'S ONLINE APPLICATION AND ENROLLMENT SYSTEM'.
- From the list of available applications on the left, select the '4th-6th Grade Talent Search'.
- Complete each page of the online enrollment form; making sure to click the 'Save & Continue' button at the bottom of each page.
- If your child qualifies for free or reduced lunch, please indicate that in the Financial Aid section.
- You may choose to register your student for the optional above-grade-level PSAT 8/9 test when applying online, if deadlines have not passed. Additional testing fees apply.
- At the end of the online enrollment, you will be prompted to pay with a Visa, Mastercard or Discover. Your enrollment may not be complete without making a payment.
- If you requested financial aid, no payment may be necessary; however, you must submit proper documentation within two weeks of your student's application.
- After submitting the online enrollment, a confirmation email will be sent to the parent email address. If you requested financial aid, instructions on submitting documentation will be included in your email confirmation.
- If you do not receive a confirmation email within 24 hours, please call 919-668-9100. Your application may not be complete. Do not submit your application and payment twice.

For further assistance, visit tip.duke.edu/contact.

Additionally, if you need information regarding your child's FSA scores, please contact Michelle Ball-Fauls, Administration Assistant.

Dear Pine View Elementary Families:

Fulfilled, happy, confident, responsible, kind, and loving. We have learned that these are goals families want for their children, and as teachers, what we want for our students.

We recognize that as a family member, you are our students' first teacher and we want to partner with you to help our children become tolerant, compassionate, and caring adults. To support achieving these goals and to help our students build their social-emotional skills, we are pleased to share that we are implementing Sanford Harmony in our school community.

This social emotional learning program has been made available through the generosity of entrepreneur and philanthropist, T. Denny Sanford. Mr. Sanford selected National University to disseminate Sanford Harmony at no cost to elementary schools and organizations throughout the United States.

Social emotional learning (SEL) helps children by promoting their health and emotional well-being and contributing to the prevention of violence, truancy, bullying, and substance abuse. In addition, SEL is associated with significant gains on academic achievement tests.

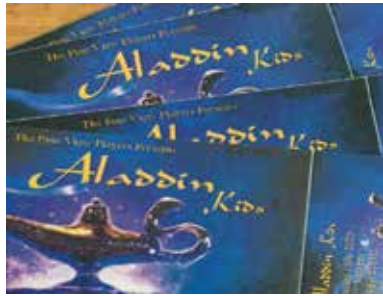
Sanford Harmony is designed to build healthy relationships among students by having them engage in activities that promote understanding and respect. Over the course of the five units listed below, students will enhance their abilities to learn, work, and spend time together.

- Diversity and Inclusion
- Critical Thinking
- Communication
- Problem Solving
- Peer Relationships

Information will be sent home periodically, sharing activities in each unit. You will find out more about Harmony Goals, Meet Up, Buddy Up, and other fun strategies being used in the classroom. We welcome your feedback. To learn more about Sanford Harmony please visit sanfordharmony.org.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Kate McManus/ Elementary School Counselor



The Pine View Players Proudly Presents Disney Kids Aladdin!

Ms. Williams is proud to share that the after school Elementary Drama Club successfully completed their 2nd ever show! This year the club invited 2-6th graders to join for a total of 54 actors. Students practiced for months after school in Ms. Williams classroom! Students sang beautifully and this year, without the background lyrics. We also had some incredible parent volunteers who helped with gorgeous set pieces, stunning programs, and even taught kids dance moves. It was a production of love and dedication. Truly an example of Pine View going the extra degree.





Thank you to our Choir Cabaret sponsors

Stephen and Redenta Picazio

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**PINE
VIEW
PYTHON
RUN**

**APRIL
18
2020**

**5K
2.1K**

5K and 2.10K (fun run) options

Fast track finish and trophies

T-shirts for the first 600 registrants

Part of the MTC/New Balance Racing Series

Post-race party with DJ, food and drinks





SPRING 2020 CONCERTS



WED MAY 6

Wind Ensemble
Jazz Band

THU MAY 7

6th/7th Beginning Band
8th Grade Band
Concert Band

7 PM | Auditorium | Free (\$5 suggested donation)



Solo & Ensemble MPA 2020



In February **over 100 Pine View Band students** participated in the district's Solo and Ensemble MPA (Music Performance Assessment) at Manatee High School. **Their performances earned an astonishing 98 Superior Medals.** Congratulations to all performers, and many thanks to our amazing band director, Victor Mongillo.

ARE YOU A FAN? MAKE IT OFFICIAL

Follow us at facebook.com/pineviewband & pineviewband.com

Subscribe for insider news at tinyurl.com/pineviewband

Wear the merch: hoodies (\$30) and t-shirts (\$15) available in Adult S, M, L, XL
NEW limited run of t-shirts available in Youth L and XL—don't miss out!



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT GLOBAL POLITICS?
DO YOU WANT TO DEVELOP YOUR LEADERSHIP AND PUBLIC
SPEAKING SKILLS?

JOIN MODEL UNITED NATIONS!

Come be a part of one of the largest, and fastest growing club on campus. Our nationally ranked team travels all around the state and country to compete at conferences, where you get the chance to simulate activities of the UN to gain diplomatic compromise. Most importantly MUN is FUN!



**MEETINGS EVERY WED. | 2-3 P.M.
MULTIPURPOSE ROOM**



Pine View Elementary School

As your student and their friends are taking part in this school year, the yearbook staff is capturing the story of the year to live forever in the 2020 yearbook.

Buy your student the best book of memories of this year – buy a yearbook. Don't miss out.

Yearbook price \$ 40.00
Order Deadline 04/30/2020

Go to yearbookforever.com

Walsworth yearbooks

yearbookforever.com



HOODIES ARE BACK!

\$28

Colors: (please circle choice) Blue, Gold, White, Light Gray, Dark Gray

Pink: A portion of the cost of the pink hoodie will be donated to the American Cancer Society Relay for Life

All proceeds from hoodie sales benefit the Pine View Serteen Club.

Youth Sizes: ☐ SMALL ☐ MEDIUM ☐ LARGE

Adult Sizes: ☐ SMALL ☐ MED ☐ LARGE ☐ XL ☐ XXL

Please make checks payable to Pine View School.

Name: _____

Homeroom Teacher: _____

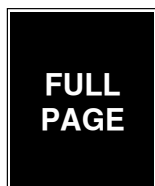
Please return this form and payment to the front office.

2020 yearbook ad order form Pine View Elementary School

Please complete and return this form with your photos, text and payment by March 30, 2020

Business name _____
Street address _____
City/State/ZIP _____
Daytime phone _____ Email address _____

Ad Sizes



- ☐ **Full Page Color Ad**
Approximate dimensions:
7 3/4" wide x 10 1/2" high
Cost: \$ 200.00



- ☐ **Half Page Color Ad**
Approximate dimensions:
7 3/4" wide x 5 1/4" high
Cost: \$ 100.00



- ☐ **Quarter Page Color Ad**
Approximate dimensions:
3 7/8" wide x 5 1/4" high
Cost: \$ 50.00



- ☐ **Eighth Page Color Ad**
Approximate dimensions:
3 7/8" wide x 2 5/8" high
Cost: \$ 25.00

Photos (Instructions, requests, comments):

Copy/text (for your ad):

Payment

total due		date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> cash	<input type="checkbox"/> check	check # _____

Purchaser signature

Date

Directions for ad submission

Please submit a fully designed advertisement on a flash drive or a CD to Dr. Singleton. You may also email me the advertisement to Vicky.Singleton@sarasotacountyschools.net.

For smaller advertisement, a business card may be used.

PINE VIEW RUN CLUB



How Does Exercise Impact Learning?

Everyone knows exercise is good for your body. However, did you know that exercise immediately benefits your brain as well?

Exercise produces numerous chemicals that affect cognition, mood, and executive function. A chemical that dramatically increases post-exercise is BDNF.

BDNF – Brain-Derived Neurotrophic Factor – is like “miracle grow” for your brain.

BDNF causes growth in connections of brain cells (learning), growth of capacity of systems (attention, memory), and is even involved in growing new brain cells (previously not thought possible!).

BDNF is an anti-depressant, anti-toxic stress factor and correlates with intelligence and memory. Dr. John Ratey, a psychiatrist from Harvard, says that if exercise was a medication, we would all want to buy it – the effects are so beneficial and so powerful.

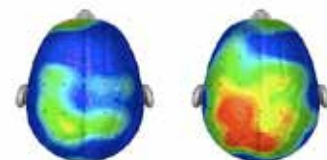
“SPARK Brain Builders” is an expansion of the already successful Run Club – SPARK will be held five days a week, starting on September 3. Forms will be coming home soon for elementary and middle school. All students MUST have a completed form in order to participate!

Pine View Run Club

Spark Brain Builders

A before school exercise program to prime the brain for learning

Composite of 20 student brains taking the same test



After sitting quietly After 20 minute walk

Research from composite of Dr. David Hillman University of Illinois

Spark Brain Builders will meet each morning from 8:15-8:45 on the track (weather permitting). The track will be supervised, and students are encouraged to get out and run or walk. Parents are welcome to accompany their child/children. If you can volunteer to help, please contact Cindi Wozniak!



GIFTED EDUCATION WORKSHOPS

Topics:

Workshop #1: Access and Equity in Gifted Education

Workshop #2: Gifted Education Standards

Workshop #3: Nature and Needs of Gifted Students

Workshop #4: Special Populations of Gifted Students

Registration:

<https://liis.sarasotacountyschools.net/PD3/#/>

**Non-District Employees:
At Login:
Click on "Non-Employee"**



Workshop #1

**September 7, 2019
9:00a.m. – 12:00p.m.**

Workshop #2

**December 7, 2019
9:00a.m. – 12:00p.m.**

Workshop #3

**February 8, 2020
9:00a.m. -12:00p.m.**

Workshop #4

**May 2, 2020
9:00a.m -12:00p.m.**

**All Meetings Held at
Pine View School**

PINE VIEW SCHOOL

1 Python Path
Osprey, FL 34279
(941) 486-2001



Just a Reminder, all volunteers need to register this year in the new system! They will be NEW VOLUNTEERS. The Community Involvement office will add level 2 data to volunteer profiles. Volunteers can add other schools once they log into their profile from the top dashboard icon. It is quick and easy to add another school.

Instructions for registering as a volunteer in the Community Involvement Portal:

1. Go to the Community Involvement Portal:
https://volunteer.samaritan.com/custom/528/#/volunteer_home
2. Search for the school you are interested in volunteering for.
3. Click on the school opportunity.
4. Select "SIGN UP" on the left side of the screen under the photo.
5. Select "NEW VOLUNTEER" and complete the application. EVERY volunteer needs to do this whether they have volunteered for 20 years or are brand new.
6. If you are a SCS Staff Member or Student, this is when you are finished. If not...
7. After you submit your application, you will receive an e-mail within one to two business days from "Sarasota County Schools <TheAdvocates@VerifiedVolunteers.com>" to complete a background screening. Click the link provided in the e-mail that starts with <https://app.verifiedvolunteers.com/verify> followed by a bunch of letters and/or numbers.
8. Complete the background screening using the information you provided in your application. Most of this information will auto-fill so you will only need to retype a few sections.
 - *Please note: This background screening will request your social security number. This is a secure server that is only associated with Sarasota County Schools. If you do not have a social security number or do not wish to provide it, this could extend the time it will take for approval due to a potential result in false background check findings (i.e., someone with the same name and birthday).*
9. You will receive a confirmation e-mail from "TheAdvocates <TheAdvocates@VerifiedVolunteers.com>" once Sarasota County Schools has reviewed your background screening.

Office of Community Involvement
941-927-9000 Ext. 31500
1960 Landings Boulevard – Green Awning Building
CommunityInvolvement@sarasotacountyschools.net

Community Involvement – Volunteers Count!

Level 1 Volunteering

Level 1 is the starting point for all volunteering. You must be Level 1 approved before you can be Level 2 approved. With a Level 1 clearance, you must stay within eye and earshot of a school faculty member or teacher at all times.

To become a Level 1 volunteer, you should:

1. **Sign up!** Sign up on the district's volunteer portal called [Volunteers Count!](#) You can do this from home, at any Sarasota County school, or at the Office of Community Involvement (OCI) the Landings. OCI will notify you when you are approved.
2. **Reach out!** Once approved, you will be added to the schools approved volunteer list. If you are eager, reach out to schools so you can get started ASAP!
3. **Find the best fit!** If you aren't sure where you want to volunteer or what you want to do, contact the school district's Office of Community Involvement to find a school that needs your specific skill set. You can call (941) 927-9000 ext. 31500 or e-mail CommunityInvolvement@sarasotacountyschools.net.
4. **Possibly get Level 2!** Once you are level one approved, you may proceed to get your Level 2 clearance completed. Please Click "Level 2 Volunteering" to learn more.

Level 2 Volunteering

Level 2 is the highest volunteer clearance. This clearance permits you to be alone with students for volunteering purposes. This is also a common clearance needed to chaperone field trips and mentor. To get a Level 2 clearance, you must be fingerprinted by the district's Safety and Security Department.

To become a Level 2 volunteer, you should...

1. **Get Level 1!** You must first be a Level 1 volunteer before you become a Level 2 volunteer. You can become a Level 1 volunteer by applying on our volunteer portal, [Volunteers Count!](#)
2. **Be fingerprinted!** You can be fingerprinted at the District Safety and Security Department at the Landings or the North Port Police Department. The Office of Community Involvement will notify you once you are approved.
 - **Safety and Security Department at the Landings**
 - By appointment only
 - Hours: 8:30am to 12:00pm and 1:00pm to 3:30pm
 - Address: Blue Awning Building, First Floor at 1950 Landings Blvd. Sarasota, FL 34231
 - Phone number: (941) 927-9000 ext. 31132
 - E-mail: scsbfingerprinting@sarasotacountyschools.net
 - **North Port Police Department**
 - Please connect with a Volunteer Coordinator at one of our North Port schools to get information on how to be fingerprinted at the North Port Police Department.



EARN CASH FOR OUR SCHOOL

NO MORE CLIPPING. ALL YOU NEED IS YOUR SMARTPHONE.

The NEW and improved Box Tops mobile app uses state-of-the-art technology to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online.

LOOK FOR
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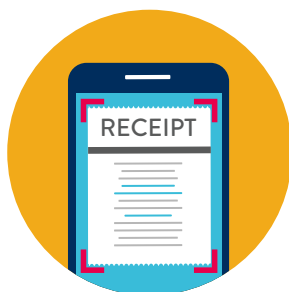


HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:



BUY BOX TOPS PRODUCTS

You can find Box Tops on hundreds of products throughout the store.



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Athletic Choice

(2020-2021 school year)

This is for non-traditional students wishing to participate outside of their zoned high school.

Applications can be downloaded at:

sarasotacountyschools.net/departments/athletics/

or

The Office of District Athletics

1960 Landings Blvd. (Maroon Awning – 3rd Floor)

Sarasota, FL 34231

***Enrollment Period: March 1 – April 1**

Previously awarded students are grandfathered in.

***Awarded students will be notified by April 15.**



STATE EQUITY LAWS

Due Process Procedures
Employee/Applicant/Students
Complaint Procedures

2019/2020

<https://www.sarasotacountyschools.net/Page/2613>

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2019-2020 DISTRICT CALENDAR

JANUARY 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19		21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

1st - 3rd - Winter Break (students and all staff)
6th - Professional Day (students, 186 day staff)
20th - Martin Luther King Day (students and all staff)

FEBRUARY 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16		18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

14th - Mini Break (students, 186, 196, 220 day staff)
17th - Presidents Day (students and all staff)

MARCH 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

11th - End of third grading period
12th - Professional Day (students, 186 day staff)
13th - 20th - Spring Break (students, 186, 196, 220, staff)
16th - 20th - Spring Break (240 staff)

APRIL 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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10th - Mini Break (students, 186, 196, 220 day staff)

MAY 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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24/ 31		26	27	28	29	30

25th - Memorial Day (all staff)
29th Last day for (students-186 Staff)

JUNE 2020						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

2nd - Last day for (196 day staff)
22nd - Last day for (220 staff)

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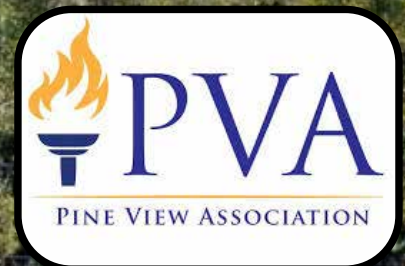
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