

# Trending Now @ PGS

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## IMPORTANT CONTACTS::

To contact the PTO: <http://www.pgspto.com/>

Pine Grove School Website:

<https://www.avon.k12.ct.us/pgs-home>



**From the Principal:** Greetings Everyone! This issue of Trending Now has very important links that I encourage you to review prior to report cards and parent teacher conferences next week. **Beginning this year, paper copies of report cards will no longer be sent home. Parents/guardians will view them on PowerSchool beginning November 14th at 8:00 AM. Simple to follow instructions are available on the PGS Website under News and Announcements**

1. **Understanding Your Child's Report Card.** (This link is especially important for new families and parents of Kindergarteners.)
2. **Signing up for a PowerSchool Account.** This is a very important step for all families.
3. **Conferences with our Unified Arts teachers.** Many of our UA teachers work with over 400 students per year. If you are interested in speaking with them, please review the letter from Specials Teachers to reach out and set up a conference time:

Click the link below to see the PGS Website News and Announcements to view helpful documents.

<https://www.avon.k12.ct.us/pgs-home/general-information/pgs-news-and-announcements>

We recognize this is a busy time of year. We appreciate you taking the time to review this info! - Mr. G

**Shout Outs!** Thank you to the volunteers who made phone calls for Piney Paws this week. Parent Anne Connellan and students Ezra McKinniss and Sofia Mucciacciaro

**Scholastic Book Fair** - Sponsored by The PTO. This is an opportunity for you to purchase books for your child or your child's classroom. **If you are attending the fair after school with your child, you will need to send a note in with your child and then pick up your child in the cafeteria at dismissal time. Then you will re-enter the building through the front doors See times in PGS Minute.**

## PGS Minute November

- 12 PTO Pie Pick Up 3:00-6:00 pm
- 12 Veteran's Day Celebration 10:30-11:15 (wear your red-white & blue)
- 12 Scholastic Book Fair 3:25-5:30 pm
- 12 After School - All-Pro Sports, Food Explorers, Jr. Engineers Robotics, Photography and Brownies
- 13 Grade 1 Gifts of Love Field Trip
- 13 Scholastic Book Fair 3:25-4:30 pm
- 13 After School - Cheerleading
- 14 Book Fair 8-8:50 am & 3:25-4:30 pm
- 14 After School - All-Pro Sports, Cub Scouts
- 15 **Early Dismissal** 11:50 Parent Conferences
- 15 Scholastic Book Fair 11:30 am - 7:30 pm
- 15 No After School Activities
- 15 Evening Parent conferences 5-7:30 pm
- 15 Superintendent Community Chat @ Avon Public Library 3:00-4:00PM
- 16 **Early Dismissal** 11:50 Parent Conferences
- 16 No After School Activities
- 16 Scholastic Book Fair 11:50am-4:30 pm
- 19 Gr. 1 Gifts of Love Field Trip
- 20 Board of Education Mtg. @ AHS 7:00PM



**PowerSchool** - Report Cards can be viewed in PowerSchool. Report Cards will not be printed this year. You must have a PowerSchool account set up to access the report card. Click the link below for directions on how to create an account.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XtFWeNkYjacYyEuHLWuKllqH8FilhtdhXp7O-71aPA/edit?usp=sharing>

**How to get into PowerSchool** - Go to the Avon Website

<https://www.avon.k12.ct.us/pgs-home>

Scroll to the bottom of the screen and click on the rocket icon.



**Lost and Found** - There are many water bottles, hats and coats in the lost and found located in the back of the cafeteria. Please check to find missing items when you visit for conferences next week. .