

Trending Now @ PGS

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From the Principal:

This week, the school's safety committee met to discuss school safety and ways we can continue to enhance our safe and comfortable school climate. As a result, I wanted to share three takeaways from our discussion. Thank you to everyone who works in partnership with our staff to keep PGS safe!

Main Lot Parking: THANK YOU!!!

I would like to thank all parents and family members for assisting us with improving the traffic issues in our parking lot over the past few weeks. Our security guard has been on site and reports that everyone he has spoken with has been cooperative and supportive! These efforts have all been geared towards ensuring the safest parking lot possible for our students, families, and staff.

Side Lot Parking: Your help still needed!

We still have had issues with parking in the side lot (near the dumpsters.) Many parents and family members are still parking in this area during afternoon pick up. This lot is designated for staff who travel between buildings as well as van and small bus pickup for students. This lot has become overly congested. We ask that parents and family members please refrain from parking in this area.

Parent Pick Up: Crosswalk Use

We ask that all parents and family members who pick up in the afternoon, use the crosswalk to get back to the parking lot after picking up their children. The additional time it takes helps us to model good safety with students. The parking lot is a busy place in the afternoon!

Thank you and have a safe holiday weekend! -Mr. G

Shout Out - Thank you to Mrs. Viruega for helping with the Piney Paws phone calls for several weeks. We appreciate her volunteer time!

Thank
You

PGS Minute



April

19 Good Friday - No School

- 22-23 Roaring Brook Nature Center Visits
Kindergarten classes
- 23 Board of Education Meeting @ AHS 7:00
- 25 Enrichment Clusters Gr. 3&4
- 26 Town Meeting 9:00-10:00 wear your class Colors
- 29-30 Gr. 3 Field Trip to CT Historical Society
- 29-30 Gr. 4 Field Trip to CT State Capitol
- 29-30 Community Council Sport Equipment Collection

May

- 1-17 Community Council Sport Equipment Collection
- 3&7 Enrichment Clusters Gr. 3&4

June

17 Last Day of School Early dismissal is at 11:50AM

Schedule your Photo Shoot:

Paul Cryan is coming to Pine Grove School to take photos of your child, children, family **May 29, 30 & 31**. Photos will be taken between 3:45 - 7:45PM.

[Sign up for your photo session through Konstella](#)

Coming Soon! Community Council members will be collecting new or gently used sports equipment that can be used during recess. [View the flyer giving more details about the collection.](#)