

PINKSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

March 5, 2021

Upcoming Dates

3/18 - Report Cards
3/22 through 3/26 - Spring break (no school)
4/23 - Progress Reports
5/1 - Deadline for school choice forms click <u>here</u> to download
5/27 - Report Cards

We are postponing our annual Pasta Night Event at Pinkston Middle School until the spring (probably May). Because of COVID-19, we feel that it is best to be cautious by not having crowds in the building. However, since Pasta Night is such a popular family engagement event in our community, we do plan to adjust the activities accordingly. Currently, we are planning to present some type of outdoor "on the grounds" celebration that will enable us to showcase our students and their talents during the warmer month of May. We will send out the date and details soon!

Yearbooks are available to order **online only** this year. Visit <u>jostens.com</u>, click Yearbooks, order/buy, search for our school and complete your order.

Ν	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8	B-Mar	9-Mar	10-Mar	11-Mar	12-Mar
C	CHERRY FRUDEL	SCRAMBLED EGGS w/ HAM	BISCUIT	YOGURT PARFAIT	BREAKFAST COMBO
J	UICE	TOAST	SAUSAGE	JUICE	TOAST
F	RUIT	FRUIT	JUICE	FRUIT	JUICE
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8	B-Mar	9-Mar	10-Mar	11-Mar	12-Mar
C	CHICKEN STRIPS	STROMBOLI	CHICKEN & NOODLES	COUNTRY FRIED PORK STEAK	HAMBUGER
R	RED BEANS & RICE	FRIES	SEASONED BROCCOLI	MASHED POTATOES & GRAVY	SANDWICH SALAD CUP
C	QUICK BAKED POTATO	VEGGIES & DIP	SALAD	CORN	TATOR TOTS
s	ALAD	FRUIT	BREAD STICK	FRUIT	VEGGIES & DIP
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	RUIT	MILK	FRUIT	ROLL	COOKIE
F	RUIT MILK	MILK	MILK	MILK	MILK

💐 Pinkston Girls Running Club 🕅

Pinkston Girls Running Club is an after school running program that promotes positive self image, healthily eating and an active lifestyle through running. Our goal is to train and run a virtual 5k. Forms may be picked up in Mrs. Porters classroom (6th) or Mrs. Lashley's classroom (7th). ALL forms will be due by March 18, 2021.

Where: Pinkston Middle School

When: Mondays 3:15-4:30

Starting on April 5th, 2021

Ending May 17, 2021

QUIL AIR PATROL

Youth aged 12-18 can join!

TWIN LAKES

CIVIL AIR PATROL IS LOOKING FOR CADETS!

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We are an organization that develops leadership skills, inspires a love of aviation and STEM, encourages a habit of regular exercise, and engages in character building.

Cadets meet once weekly on Tuesday nights from 6-8 p.m.

For more information contact Michelle Webb at 901-826-6621 or find us on Facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/CAPAR107</u> Dear Parent/Guardian of a 6th grade girl:

All 6th grade girls will be screened for scoliosis on Wednesday February 24th. Scoliosis is a sideways curving of the spine, resembling an S-curve. Eighty-five percent of the time, scoliosis has no known cause and tends to run in families. This type of scoliosis first develops between the ages of 10 - 15 years and occurs more often in girls than boys. If scoliosis is detected early, treatment can be started and almost all of the curving is prevented.

The procedure for screening is a simple one in which the child's back is observed as he/she stands upright and bends forward. Students will be asked to expose their spinal area for the exam. Tops may be left around the neck, draping down to cover the front of the body. It is recommended that students wear a bra, sport bra or cami to lessen some of the anxiety associated with the procedure. The screening will be conducted in privacy with only the student and nurse present.

Any curvature or "back hump" that is noticed during the screening may indicate the need for further studies. If a problem is found, you will be notified. We will recommend that you take your child to a physician of your choice for an evaluation.

An Arkansas law was passed in August 1988 making scoliosis screening mandatory for all 6th grade girls. The only acceptable reason for exclusion from screening is if it is contrary to the parent or guardian's religious beliefs. This must be put in writing and handed to the examiner when the child is called to be screened. Phone calls will not be accepted. If your child is currently under treatment for a back problem by a medical doctor, please let us know that in writing. ANY 6TH GRADE GIRL WHO IS ABSENT AT THE TIME OF SCREENING WILL BE CALLED TO THE OFFICE AT A LATER DATE FOR SCREENING.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the screening, please feel free to contact the nurse at (870) 425-1236.

Thank you, Nurse Ellen

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Screenings will continue Tuesday March 9th for last names N-Z, and make-up for A-M.

BOMBER SPORTS

Monday, March 8 • SOCCER VS. MTN. VIEW (HOME) JVG/JVB 4:30

Tuesday, March 9

- JH/HS TRACK @ HARRISON (FIELD EVENTS ONLY) 3:30
- BASEBALL VS. ALMA (HOME V/V 4:30
- SOFTBALL VS. ALMA (HOME) V/V 4:30
- BASEBALL VS. BATESVILLE (AWAY) V/JV 4:00
- JH CHEER TRYOUTS

Wednesday, March 10

 BASKETBAL 5A STATE TOURNAMENT @ HOT SPRINGS HS HS BOYS VS. LAKESIDE 7:00 ONLINE TICKETS ONLY

Thursday, March 11

- JH/HS TRACK @ HARRISON (RUNNING EVENTS ONLY) 3:30
- SOFTBALL VS. HARRISON (HOME) V/JV 5:00

Friday, March 12

- BASKETBALL 5A STATE TOURNAMENT @ HOT SPRINGS HS HS BOYS VS. TBA 7:00 ONLINE TICKETS ONLY
- BASEBALL VS. BERGMAN (HOME) V/JV 4:00
- SOCCER VS. SILOAM SPRINGS (AWAY) JVG/VG/VB 4:00

Saturday, March 13

- BASEBALL (@ SHILOH) VARSITY VS. SHILOH @ 12:30 VARSITY VS. LINCOLN CHRISTIAN @ 2:30
- SOFTBALL (@ BERRYVILLE)
 VARSITY VS. SPRINGDALE HAR-BER @ 10:00AM
 VARSITY VS. BERRYVILLE @ 12:00



March 8 thru March 13

