



We Are Pontiac

Daily Announcements for

Friday, February 19, 2016

Enter to Learn, Depart to Serve

Our Mission

We are committed to the development of our students as adaptive learners, global thinkers, and responsible citizens through collaboration across our school community.

Announcements:

PTHS is looking for two parent representatives to serve on the Student Handbook Committee. The committee is charged with reviewing current and implementing new policies and practices that pertain to all facets of PTHS. The committee meetings will take place at 7:00am in the Faculty Lounge on March 1, 7, and 10. Please contact Eric Bohm at 815-844-6113 or ebohm@pontiac90.org if you have any questions or are interested in serving on the committee.

- Baseball meeting - Monday, Feb 22 at 7:15 AM in the auditorium. Information along with practice schedules will be distributed.
- The Special Olympics Polar Plunge is coming! February 27th, the Pontiac Plunging Penguins will be diving into the frigid waters of Miller Park Lake. Please see Dawn Mack or Heather Christenson for details.
- Mark your calendar for the upcoming Sports Booster Draw Down on March 12th at the Pontiac Elks Club. Visit our website for more information or call the athletic office.
- Start Collecting Today – the Adapted Living Class is collecting plastic caps for the “Caps of Love”. Place the caps in the blue bins in the cafeteria.
- FFA WEEK: February 22 – 26: Monday: Greenhand Day, "Wear your Green", Tuesday: American Day, Wednesday: Camo Day, Thursday: Case vs. John Deere Day, "Bring your Tractor to School Day", Friday: Blue and Gold Day, "Appreciation Breakfast in Ag Shop", BRING YOUR COINS: Bane vs. Faber penny wars. Whoever has the most coins in their jug gets a pie in their face at the March meeting, PRIZES: Every day we will draw a member who is participating and will receive a FFA prize.

Calendar:

[Click here to link directly to the school calendar.](#)

Friday, February 19

- Route 66 Jazz Choir Morning Rehearsal – 7:00-7:45am
- Boys Sophomore Basketball @ Central Catholic – 6:00pm
- Girls Varsity Regional – 7:00pm
- Boys Varsity Basketball @ Central Catholic – 7:30pm

Saturday, February 20

FFA Auction -3:00pm

Sunday, February 21

IKWF Wrestling Tournament – 7:00am

Food Service Menu:

Breakfast: Breakfast Sausage Bagel, Orange Juice, Peaches, 1% Milk

Ala-Carte: Grilled Cheese, Chicken Rings, Tomato Soup, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Cheese Pizza

Lunch: Cheese Pizza, Shredded Romaine Salad, Tomato Wedges, Ranch, Pineapple, Red Apple, Orange Dream Bar, 1% Milk

Freshmen Learning Community Weekly:

[Click here to link directly to information about our FLC.](#)

This week the FLC teachers met at the regularly scheduled time this past Thursday to continue to collaborate on ways to communicate the exciting things taking place within the Freshman Learning Community. Teachers and administration continue to focus on reducing student failures within the FLC but also pushing communication out to families regarding the recent Progress reports for the 3rd quarter. We urge all students and parents to read the communications pushed out through skyward. We will be continuing to work at pushing out information in the most effective way possible now and in the future.

Counselor News:

At this time students should have met with their counselors to finalize their registration for next school year. If your child has not please have them see their guidance counselor as soon as possible.

- [February High School Years Newsletter](#)
- [ACT Online Prep](#)
- [Scholarships and Financial Aid](#)




Congratulations to Levi Ransom, Jake Lanning and Kevin Gschwendtner, who all advance to State for wrestling. Click on the IHSA picture below to watch LIVE.

Good Luck Boys!!



Congratulations to Olivia Welshans for placing 5th in State in the 69th annual Voice of Democracy Contest. Olivia has won over \$1,000 in scholarships as a result of the success of her speech.

Pontiac FFA Auction




February 20, 2016
Pontiac High School Commons

\$5 Ribeye or Pork Chop Dinner
Served 3:00 p.m.—?
Kid's Plates Available for \$1

Silent Auction—3:00p.m.
Live Auction—5:00 p.m
Proceeds Benefit the Pontiac FFA Chapter and Alumni

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