



Pine Island MS/HS

Daily Announcements

● Announcements for May 6, 2024

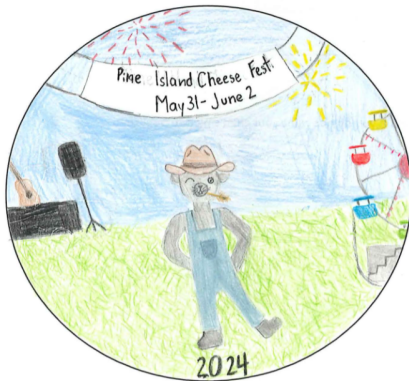
- The Middle School/High School Library is closed for checking out books for the 2023-2024 school year. This is also a reminder to please return any borrowed books to the Library. Thank you.
- The Pine Island Cheese Festival Button design winners have been voted on! With 125 Pine Island Students submitting artwork, the 2024 winners are:

1st place: Ivy Scheel (5th grade)

2nd place: Jack Kohlhagen (1st grade)

3rd place: Millie Rutledge (5th grade)

Honorable Mentions: Lainee Dessner (5th grade), and Lydia Dohrman (1st grade)



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1st Place:

Ivy Scheel

5th Grade

[Link to Cheesefest Winners](#)



Registration is open!

Join us June 1st at 8:30am for the 2024 Pine Island Ribbon Run! Registration can be completed on [EventBrite](#) by clicking the button below.

Here are some important details about this year's event:

- **Early bird registration closes May 18th.** Register before then for the lowest price and to guarantee your t-shirt size.
- **Register with a team!** The top 3 largest team get to pick a cancer-related non-profit organization to donate proceeds to.
- If preferred, a paper registration form can be found for printing on the [website](#).

Register Now

The Pine Island Ribbon Run is less than a month away! The 5K is open to runners and walkers. Early bird registration ends on May 18th. Register TODAY!

[Ribbon Run Registration](#)

PRIOR Announcements:

- **Items now on SALE - ALL ORDERS DUE BY MAY 7TH:**

Once again the Entrepreneur class has created a business. This year's company is the PI Threads Co. As a company, we have created a sweatshirt, t-shirt, and stickers that are being offered for sale. With every purchase of a sweatshirt or t-shirt, stickers are available for half off.

100% of the Proceeds from the T-shirts go to the PI Sharing Shelves and the proceeds from the Stickers and Sweatshirt

Attached below are the posters with QR codes for the sweatshirts and Tis the picture of both stickers and sweatshirts we have available plus a link provided to the order form of our products. Please reach out to Ms. Banach for any additional question at diane.banach@pineisland.k12.mn.us

LINK TO ORDER SWEATSHIRTS:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1INIW6Jop8gjQpg3l6clhyJ0OjfyxjKaKU3u_BmykKM/edit?ts=66266b29

LINK TO ORDER COMMUNITY TSHIRTS



- Attention Students- We will be taking 9th-grade, 10th-grade, and 11th-grade all class pictures on Wed May 15th during prowl. An announcement will be made when each class should be released to the front of the school for their all-class picture. 11th graders will go first so they can leave with their honors pass.
- Caitlyn "K"rusher" Lerum struck out 12 Mayo batters and went 2 for 4 scoring 2 runs to lead the Panthers to a 7-2 victory over the Spartans. Sophia "Powerhouse" Polzer also went 2 for 4 with an RBI. Kiley "Clutch" Passow went 3 for 4 with a run scored, and Peyton "Bam Bam" Barnett went 2 for 3 with a run scored and an RBI. Jenna "Jackhammer" Schleusner had 2 RBI.
- Pine Island Trap Team- Congratulations to Ryan Boe on his perfect "25" this week.
- Congratulations to the boys and girls track and field teams on a great night of PRs and season best efforts! The boys team placed 1st and the girls team placed 2nd. Earning team points were:
 Shot Put: Blake Schiltz - 4th
 Discus: Lyndee Northrop - 1st, Ben Northrop - 1st, Blake Schiltz - 4th
 Long Jump: Reese Koenen - 2nd, Lyndee Northrop - 3rd, Drew Sailer - 3rd
 Triple Jump: Reese Koenen - 2nd, CJ Tree - 1st, Sam Taddy - 4th
 High Jump: Ella Schmoll - 1st, Katie Applen - 2nd, Drew Sailer - 3rd
 Pole Vault: CJ Tree - 1st, Ben Edwards - 2nd, Austin Luckey - 3rd
 4x800: Elena Kabat, Paxyn Rendahl, Ashley Pederson, Macy Koenen - 2nd, Bo Rosane, Vaughn Anderson, Kaden Chim, Jamison Rosane - 1st
 100 m hurdles: Elena Hartung - 1st (facility record), Eliza Fletcher - 3rd
 110 m hurdles: CJ Tree - 1st (facility record), Sam Taddy - 3rd

100 m dash: Reighley Sorum - 1st (facility record), Zoe Njus - 3rd, Owen Harstad - 3rd
4x200: Lisa Hoehne, Ella Schmoll, Katie Applen, June Lizarralde - 2nd, Abe Ferber, Bentley Lujero, Owen Harstad, Peyton Loftus - 1st
1600 m run: Macy Koenen - 4th, Seth Konik - 1st, Vaughn Anderson - 3rd, Talon Schutz - 4th
4x100: Reighley Sorum, McKinley Sorum, Lyndee Northrop, Elena Hartung - 2nd, Bentley Lujero, Abe Ferber, Cooper Rutten, Sam Taddy - 2nd
400 m dash: Katie Applen - 2nd, Jacob Carter - 1st, Ryder Schmidt - 2nd, Blake Schiltz - 3rd, Jamison Rosane - 4th
300 m hurdles: Elena Hartung - 1st, Eliza Fletcher - 2nd, McKinley Sorum - 4th, CJ Tree - 1st, Drew Sailer - 2nd
800 m run: Paxyn Rendahl - 1st, Elena Kabat - 3rd, Audrie Simpson - 4th, Bo Rosane - 2nd
200 m dash: Reese Koenen - 1st, Lyndee Northrop - 3rd, Owen Harstad - 1st, Abe Ferber - 2nd, Peyton Loftus - 3rd
3200 m run: Ashley Pederson - 2nd, Seth Konik - 1st, Talon Schutz - 2nd, Henry Morgan - 3rd
4x400: Zoe Njus, Macy Koenen, Paxyn Rendahl, Katie Applen - 2nd, Jacob Carter, Drew Sailer, Bo Rosane, Jamison Rosane - 1st

Complete Results can be found at the link below:

<https://www.athletic.net/TrackAndField/meet/548412/results/all>

- 8th-12th Graders: "We're going to Ireland in Summer 2026, and you're invited!"

We're excited to tell you more about the trip we're planning with EF Tours, our educational travel partner. Please be sure to register for this info session to be considered for this opportunity:

<https://bit.ly/4bbhcui>

In this info session, we'll talk about:

- How this opportunity will benefit your student
- What we'll see and do on our trip
- Everything that's included in this experience
- How your child can earn academic credit
- How we're keeping this safe and affordable
- How to enroll on this trip (before it fills up!) during EF's risk-free enrollment period

There are limited spots on this trip, so we would love to have you attend this meeting to learn more about this exciting opportunity!

RSVP to the Ireland info meeting is required in order to receive trip scholarships!



- **Spring Football Parent Meeting**

We will have a spring parent informational meeting for players who will be in grades 7-12 next fall. This meeting will be at 7:30 on May 15, in the Maroon gym. This meeting follows a guest speaker, the strength and conditioning coach from Wayzata high school, who will be speaking for all Pine Island athletes and parents beginning at 6:30. We strongly encourage you and your students to attend this presentation to learn more about training and overall wellness preparation as an athlete.

Youth Football

Registration for fall youth flag football (those entering K-6th grades in the fall of 2024) has been opened. Thanks to those of you that have already registered. You can find more information on our varying programs at the following link:

<https://www.pineislandsports.com/youthflag>

Yough Flag Registration Link: [Youth Flag Registration](#)

Football Camp

Registration is open for our summer Panther football camps this coming July. Camp for grades 1-6 will run July 15-18. Camp for grades 7-9 will run July 22-25, and for grades 10-12 will run July 22-26. More details about each camp are available on our website at

<https://www.pineislandsports.com/summercamp>

Registration available through this link:

https://pineislandsports.sportngin.com/register/form/288708856?_gl=1*f171d0*_ga*NTY4ODQ3NTQwLjE3MTQzOTQ1Mzk.*_ga_PQ25JN9PJ8*MTcxNDM5NDUzOC4xLjEuMTcxNDM5NTAxMi4wLjAuMA..

- **Music Trip Meeting:**

Start Spreading the News

2025 NYC MUSIC TRIP

**SIGN-UP + DEPOSIT
MEETING**

TUESDAY, MAY 14

7:15 PM

**PERFORMING ARTS
CENTER**



\$300 non-refundable deposit due Friday, May 17

- Hello Pine Island Middle School Students,

The Middle School Student Council is hosting a game called Gotcha!

Click the link to read the rules:

[Gotcha! Game Rules](#)--game begins Monday, May 6th at 8:12 a.m.

[Click this link to sign up to play Gotcha!](#)--must sign up by Friday, April 26th at 3:15 p.m.

If you have any questions, please ask your student council reps or Mrs. Kabat (5th grade teacher/room 151).

- [Here is a letter](#) that gives details about this year's middle school student council elections.

- [WHAT: Elementary Track and Field Camp](#)

WHEN: May 29-31

WHERE: Pine Island Track and Field/Soccer Complex (located at the K4)

COST: \$30

Click [this](#) link to register and find out more info!

Email Amy Northrop with any questions: anorthro@pineisland.k12.mn.us

- [WHAT: Pine Island Cross Country Camp](#)

WHO: Next year's grades 7-12

WHEN: July 22-26

TIME: 8 am - 10:00 am for JH Camp or 10:30 am for Varsity Camp

COST: \$50

Click [THIS](#) link to register and find out more information.

Email Coach Amy Northrop with questions: anorthro@pineisland.k12.mn.us

- [WHAT: Panther Pole Vault Camp](#)

WHO: Boys and Girls going into grades 7-12 (2024-2025)

WHEN: Tuesday, June 11 - Friday, June 14th

TIME: 10-12 am Grades 7-8, 1-3 pm grades 9-12

WHERE: Pine Island Track at the K4 Site

COACH: Jarod White, MN State and NDSU Indoor and Outdoor PV Record Holder along with other alumni and Panther coaches will be teaching athletes the fundamentals of the pole vault. All skill levels are welcome.

COST: \$50 cash or checks payable to PICCTF on the first day of camp

Click [THIS](#) link to register and to find out more information.

Email Coach Amy Northrop with questions: anorthro@pineisland.k12.mn.us

- Boys & Girls Basketball (Grades current grades 6-11) check out the off-season club on the link below:

[300 Hour Off-Season Club](#)

- Parking Notice: The City Center Apartments located on 1st Ave SE and 4th St SE near the 5-12 school is currently having renovations and construction work done. This requires space for work to be completed as well as parking for the workers. They are requesting residents and students to please park in another location to help with this project.
- Student Support Update:
Mrs. Hoepfner and Cait Earle will continue to be available for individual check-ins whenever you need.

Please use the form below to connect with one of us by scanning the code, or by following this [link](#).

We are always here to support you.

PINE ISLAND STUDENT SUPPORT






 Cait Earle
 (District Social Worker)


 Brittany Kowalewski
 (Middle School Counselor & Social Worker)


 Chellyne Hoepfner
 (High School Counselor)


 Ashley McKittrick
 (Zumbro Valley Health Therapist)


 Tom Horner (District Mental Health & Wellness Coordinator)

Scan Here to Connect



- **SENIORS:** You have your own Senior Page for announcements. You can find it on the Pine Island website under the 5-12 School Tab and then “Senior Year Information - Class of 2024.” [Senior Year Information - Class of 2024](#)
- **When is the Fitness Center available?** Click here: [Weight Room Hours/Supervision](#)
- Lisa Daak and Kerry Rosane will be the advisors for the Middle School Yearbook this year. We are looking for YOUR photos to add. Please email us any photos from your classroom, clubs, sports, or after-school activities. Be on the lookout for additional ways you can contribute soon.

Lunch Menu

May Menu

HVL Calendar link: [HVL Calendar](#)

A complete list of athletic events can be found at www.hvlconference.org. The PI Athletic Department now has a web page with a variety of information on it for parents and athletes. There is a coach's directory, links to important websites, the extra-curricular handbook, PAC meeting dates, HVL Conference, athletic trainer and more...

Upcoming Dates:

- [5/8/24](#) - Senior Cap and Gown Day and Senior Awards Night

- 5/9/24 - Staff Appreciation Lunch provided by PTO:MSHS School - Thurs, May 9th 11:00 a.m.-1:15 p.m.
- 5/23/24 - Senior Lunch provided by PTO (@MSHS) - Thurs, May 23rd (approx 11a)

Music Event Schedule:

Click here for the full schedule:[Music Event Schedule](#)

All events are held in the Performing Arts Center unless otherwise noted:

- 5/6 - Band Fest 9-12 at 7 p.m.
- 5/9 - Spring Band Concert 6-8 at 6:30 p.m.
- 5/11 - Jazz Concert (band & strings) at 7 p.m.
- 5/13 - Spring Choir Concert at 7 p.m.
- 5/14 - MS Spring Choir Concert 6-8 at 6:30 p.m.
- 5/17 - Spring String Fling Thing Concert 8-12 (Orchestra) at 7 p.m.
- 5/20 - Special Education Activity Day (HS Band & Choir) during the morning
- 5/20 - Spring Orchestra Concert 6-7 at 6:30 p.m.
- 5/27 - Memorial Day Program (grades 9-12) at 10:30 a.m. - City of Pine Island

College/Military Visits:

- 5/21/24 - The Marines are coming on May 21 during lunch.

Field Trips:

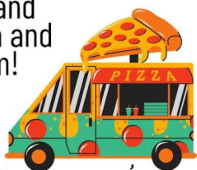
- 5/10/24 - FFA Petting Zoo and Tractor Parade from 8:00-11:15
- 5/16/24 - Trip to Minnesota Zoo for SPED- High school and Transition from 8:30 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.
- 5/17/24 - Trip to Valleyfair for MS Student Council and School Patrol from 8:15 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- 5/23/24 - Trip to Minnehaha Regional Park, 4801 S Minnehaha Drive, Minneapolis, MN 55417 for 8th grade from 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
- 5/23/24 - Trip to Goodhue Soil & Water Conservation District: Annual Soil & Water Conservation 6th Grade Field Trip Event Waugh and Otterness properties west of Goodhue, MN from 9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

College Signings (Congratulations)!

- Nate Klusmann - U-W Stout - Football
- Paxyn Rendahl - St. Scholastica - Basketball
- Brandon Week - South Dakota State University - Baseball
- Garrett Sperber - Luther College - Golf
- Ben Northop - U-W Eau Claire - Track and Field
- C.J. Tree - St. Mary's University of Minnesota - Soccer

STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

Head out to the back parking lot on your lunch break to enjoy a delicious lunch and treat from Firebrick Pizza and Tribute Soda Ice Cream!



Keep on Truckin'

P.I. STAFF

THE END OF THE YEAR IS ALMOST HERE!

Elementary Staff - Tuesday, May 7th
MSHS & ELC Staff - Thursday, May 9th



You are appreciated!

-Your P.T.O.

Parent - Teacher Organization

- We will use Channel 4 for our walkie talkies at the 5-12.
- PLEASE PUT ALL ABSENCES, INCLUDING INTERNAL SUBS YOU FIND YOURSELF, INTO TOC. Also, please let Kerry in the 5-12 office know if you found your own internal sub and when they are covering for you. Thank you!
- Please advise your subs that they CAN park in the numbered spots in the city lots, behind the legion and to the north of the school. (numbered 300 and higher) Please refrain from parking in the student lot on the east side of the building. Street parking is also available, but please check the signs.
- Please make sure you contact the office if you are taking the class outside. Please share your cell phone number with the office if you have not already so that we have a way to contact you if needed.
- **Casual for a Cause Wednesdays - Want to wear jeans mid-week? You can for a \$2 donation you can on Wednesdays! Thanks to your donations, we will be donating \$132.00 to the Pine Island Sharing Shelves. Donations for the 4th quarter will go to the Pine Haven Nursing Home. Stop by the office Wednesday morning before school to make your donation and grab a sticker.**
- **You can call the custodial staff directly for any maintenance needs? The extension is 3220. (After 2:30, call 3221).**

PASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		*Gr 7-12 7:05-8:05 am Ms. Kaul's Room	*Gr 7-12 7:05-8:05 am Ms. Kaul's Room	*Gr 7-12 7:05-8:05 am Ms. Kaul's Room
SCHOOL DAY	SCHOOL DAY	SCHOOL DAY	SCHOOL DAY	SCHOOL DAY
*Gr 7-12 3:15-4:15 pm Mrs. Schimek's Room 240	Gr 5-8 3:15-4:15 pm Mrs. Zincke's Room 221	*Gr 7-12 3:15-4:15 pm Mrs. Schimek's Room 240	Gr 5-8 3:15-4:15 pm Mrs. Zincke's Room 221	

**Designated PASS Room used to support academic eligibility for athletics and activities*

Early Dismissals:

- **Girls Varsity Golf dismisses at 9:30 a.m. for a 9:45 a.m. bus.**
- **Boys Varsity Golf dismisses at 12:00 p.m. for a 12:15 p.m. bus.**

Did you Know?

- **Student devices to check out- If you have a student that forgot their device, we have a limited number of devices to check out from the 5-12 Library. These devices should be returned when not in use/ by the end of the day and are not to be taken home at night.**

Subs:

5-12

Unfilled:

Anita Hunskor, all day, (Mike Downie covers Study Halls)
Jill Anderson, all day,
Andrew Boman, 7:30-9:15,
Tyler Baker, all day,

External Subs:

ReAnn Peterson, all day, Ariane Bromberg
Emily Kaul, all day, Daniel Thompson
Scott Miller, all day, Susan Powers

Internal Subs:

Cait Earle, all day, no sub needed
Open Para, 7:45-1:00, Haley Moe

