

EAGLES NEWS

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- * **PCA v Bradford**
@ Bradford
4 PM August 26
- * **SonShine Preschool Orientation**
8:30 AM August 27
- * **PCA v Malden**
@ Malden
5 PM August 28
- * **No School. Labor Day**
Monday, September 1
- * **PCA v Neponset**
@ Neponset
4 PM September 2
- * **First Day of Preschool**
8 AM September 3
- * **PCA v DePue**
@ PCA
5 PM September 4
- * **PCA v Ladd**
@ Ladd
5 PM September 8
- * **PCAHS Volleyball v Rock River United**
@ PCA
5 PM September 9
- * **Mums Delivery**
September 11
- * **Grandparents Day**
8:30 AM September 12
- * **11:30 AM Early Dismissal**
September 12



Welcome back, parents and students! It is so good to be together again!

Please take time each week to read our News Note. There are many important things communicated to you through this note.

If at anytime you have questions or concerns about something, please do not hesitate to contact the office. We prayerfully enter the year ahead and ask you to pray with us!

"Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint."
Isaiah 40:31



- **Paperwork!** The beginning of school means lots of paperwork to fill out and turn in! Every student must have a *new teacher's card* and a *new emergency medical authorization form*. We also need certain medical forms for Preschool, K, 2nd, 6th, 9th and 12th and a legal birth certificate for kindergarten. Please contact the office with questions.
- A Student Directory will be coming home soon (Pre-K thru 12)! This includes student names, parent names, addresses, and phone numbers. Please let the office know if there is information you do not want included.
- **Additional Fees....** There are just a couple additional fees we ask parents to pay each year. The costs are detailed below.
 - 1) Grades 4 & up received a STUDENT PLANNER on the first day of school. Cost is \$4.50. This fee will be added to your TADS account UNLESS you pay the office before September 1st. Thank you.
 - 2) ART SUPPLIES add up. If you would like to help with this school expense, we suggest a \$5 donation.



Grades K-12 need a set of headphones for computer class. If you were in computer class last year, your headphones should still be here.



Orientation tomorrow, August 27
8:30 a.m.

First Day Wednesday, September 3
8:00 a.m.

Activity Fee

New this year! A one-time fee will be assessed for each student who participates in an extracurricular activity. This fee applies to all students who participate in a sport, in cheer, and in scholastic bowl, and will be incurred at the first instance of their involvement.

The fee for full-time PCA students is \$50; all other participants, \$100.

These funds will help offset costs for uniforms, equipment, and activity-related services.

Please pay at the office or ask for your TADS account to be billed.



Princeton Bible Church
AWANA (ages Pre-K thru 6th grade)
and Youth Group (grades 7-12)

begin on

Wednesday, September 3rd

6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Come, and bring friends!

Bus Families



Sometimes our schedule differs from Princeton schools. Please watch the News Note, text alerts, and our private Facebook group for notices of when we will NOT have bus service.

No p.m. bus service Friday, Sept. 12.

Thank you, Concessions Volunteers!

Thurs, Aug 28 – Natalia S. & Laura R.
Thurs, Sept 4 – Annalise B. & Katie M.



August

September

26 – Mrs. Lunger
27 – Griffin Gray
27 – Violet Scruggs
29 – Atalie Melo
31 – Trustin Crew

09 – Liliana Barker
10 – Ian Donofrio
10 – Hagen Harris

Mums Fundraiser

Money and forms due this Friday, August 29. Delivery is Thurs, Sept. 11. We will send a text alert when mums are ready for pick-up. We ask parents to pick-up all of their orders from school and deliver to your buyers.



Lockers

As your student may want to personalize his/her locker, we are asking that no stickers be used. Thank you!

Parent-Teacher Organization

Our next PCA PTO meeting will be Wednesday Sept 3rd from 5-6pm.

Additionally, Homestead float work will be on the following dates:

Wednesday, August 27th @ 5 PM @ PCA

Monday, September 1st (late afternoon/evening, exact time TBA)

Friday, September 5th (evening)

Additional dates may be added.

Location will be just north of Princeton.

Questions? Text Katie @ 815.303.4593 or Hallie @ 815.303.4971

We are looking for PCA families to donate candy to distribute at the parade. You can also donate money to the office if that is easier.

Welcome, new teachers & staff!

Mrs. Person - Kindergarten

Mrs. Ross - 6th/7th Lang. Arts

Miss Hooper - K-12 Art

Mrs. McCoy - 7-12 History

Mrs. Lunger - 6th History; 6-8 Science

Mrs. Hartsough - HS Creative Writing

Beth Schultz - Lunch

Keith Barnett - Custodian

Grandparents Day

Invites are going home this week and RSVPs are due 9/8. Please let the office know if you need additional invitations. If your student's grandparent is not local, or unavailable, please have them invite a family friend! We could use several more breakfast casseroles, coffee cakes, muffins, fruit, and juice for the breakfast. Please contact the office if you can help.

Get Involved!

Did you miss Orientation or run out of time to check out all the tables? Sign-up forms for various activities are still available in the office. We need help with... concessions, classroom parties, special breakfasts, teacher appreciation, graduation, etc. Thank you, parents, for giving of your time!

Mrs. Person's Kindergarten Note

We are off to a great start in Kindergarten! We have reviewed letters A-D and done some fun activities with those letters. We have learned that God's word is truth and how God breathed everything into existence. We have a reward system that is called "fill the bucket". When we complete each section of the day if the children were good we fill our bucket with a small handful of pompoms. The children voted on having a pajama day when we fill our bucket. Please continue to work with your child on their letters and teen numbers.

~ Mrs. Person



Mrs. Bickett's Second Grade Note

Ready, Set, Grow! We're off to a great start of the 2025-2026 school year. I am amazed at how much this group of kids has grown over the summer! We are getting into a routine and learning our classroom rules.

This week we will have our first spelling test on Friday. List 1 words were put in travel folders last Friday. Please leave the list in their travel folder, as students will use it to copy their spelling words at school, as well as use it to study their words at home. Please quiz your child on their spelling words by having them spell them out loud for you or writing them down as you give them the word. This will help them prepare for their test on Friday.

Students will not have reading or math homework this week, but they will have spelling and verse homework. We are learning two verses: John 1:1, "In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God," and 2 Peter 1:21, "For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit." A copy of the verses will be kept in their zipper pouch in their travel binder. Please make sure it gets put back in the zipper pouch when you're done going over it with your child.



Second Grade continued ...

Bible: We have learned that all Scripture is breathed out by God, that God created everything in six 24hour days, that God is eternal, omnipotent, omniscient, sovereign, and omnipresent. We have also looked at the 2 parts of the Bible and will begin learning the Books of the Bible in order.

Phonics and Language: review of vowels and consonants, one and two vowel rules, k/c rule, marking vowels and defining a sentence.

Math: addition families 1-6, pennies and dollar bills, writing before and after numbers, distinguishing between vertical and horizontal, left, right, and am and pm. place value.

History: America's flag and freedoms and geography terms and map skills

Hand writing: review of lower case letters

Reading: Fun with Friends and Handbook for Reading

Spelling: list 1 words

**Mrs. Glass's Third Grade Note**

Welcome back to school! It is a joy to be together again!

Bible - We will be learning about God and what the Bible tells us about God. Memory Verse is Exodus 20:2-3. Our Bible test will be on Fridays over the memory verse and the books of the Bible we have learned for that week.

Spelling - List #1. Spelling tests are on Fridays. We will work on our words throughout the week for homework.

Math - This week, we will work on addition with carrying, linear measures, and multiples of 0 and 1.

English - This week, we will learn the four types of sentences: declarative, interrogative, exclamatory, and imperative.

Science - We will learn about the animals that are mammals and fish.

History - We will be learning about Christopher Columbus.

Mrs. Odell's Fourth Grade Note

Again, I wish you a "Happy New Year"! We are off to a wonderful beginning. I do look forward to knowing the students better, and you, too! This is going to be a great year growing in learning and relationships.

We have started off by memorizing Psalm 1. These kids are so good at memorizing! We will also be "digging" into study methods of God's Word. We will be using different study, discovery, and reference tools.

We are reviewing concepts in math and we will test on list 1 in spelling Wednesday. We will start to discover amazing insects and the children are welcome to bring in specimens in secure containers.

We have started a bit of homework. Your child should be studying spelling and math facts as often as possible even now.

Have a fantastic week walking with the King!!

Mr. Clausen's Fifth Grade Note

Welcome, Fifth Graders! We are off to a great start for the year! We are getting better at using our planners.

We are reviewing prepositions in English and learning to navigate our other new books.

Students have chosen their Nation Notebook subjects:

Bryant - Greece	Trey - Iraq	Patrick - Poland	Trevor - China
Regan - Sweden	Charlotte - Italy		

Students should try and average 2-3 pages completed per week in their Nation Notebook.



Mrs. Lunger's Jr. High Note

We have had a good start to our year. I have enjoyed getting to know your young people!

6th Grade History – Quiz on Thursday.

Nation Notebook nations have been chosen and the notebooks will go home with your students on Wednesday. Please be sure they work on a few pages every week in order to avoid a very hectic and emotional spring break as they then try to finish.

6th Grade Science – Quiz on Wednesday over sections 1 and 2 in our text. Your students have study sheets to help them prepare for our quiz.

7th Grade Science – Quiz on Wednesday over sections 1, 2 and 3 in our text. Your students also have study sheets to help them prepare for our quiz.

An Observation notebook has been given to them to observe, identify and describe (through words, photos or drawings) things they observe in nature around them.

8th Grade Science – Quiz Thursday over sections 1 and 2 in our text

Mrs. McCoy's 7-12 History Note

7th grade World History Quiz tomorrow. Map project #1 due by Thursday

8th grade US History Indigenous People of N. America Poster project due Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. Some class time will be allowed for using the computer lab this week. Assembling of poster will need to be done at home.

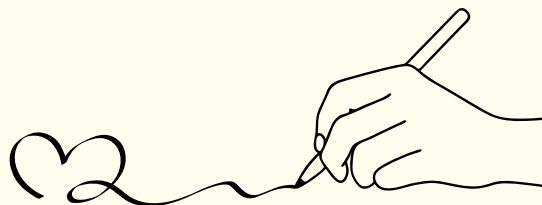
9/10th World History will be getting ready to begin a personal genealogy project this fall! More details to come

11/12th US History Quiz over sections 1.1-1.4 Thursday.

Mrs. Hartsough's Creative Writing Note

Parents of sophomores and juniors, please make sure your children have a folder and notebook specifically for Creative Writing class. Thank you!

~ Maria Hartsough





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ARCHITECTURE

HOMESTEAD FESTIVAL DESIGN COMPETITION

Ages/edades
3+
2025



Prairie Arts Center
Gallery Show



No Sets or Duplo Legos · MOC's only
Please Title your creation 😊

8/27 & 8/28 · 4:30-6PM Drop off Models at PAC Gallery
8/30 and 8/31 · 1-3PM Gallery Open for VOTING
9/5 · 5-7PM Opening Reception & Winner Announcements
9/7 - 9/21 · Saturday & Sunday 1-3PM Gallery Open
closed 9/6 for Homestead Parade
9/21 · 3-4PM Please pick up models at PAC Gallery

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