

PIONEER MIDDLE SCHOOL  
**PANTHER POST**

Week of March 22, 2021

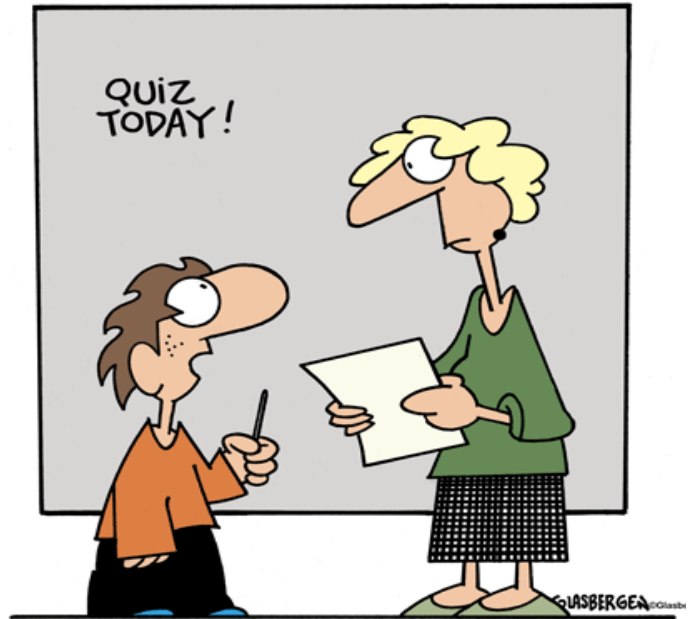
"All students will learn and grow academically, socially, emotionally and physically!"

*"If parenting has taught me one thing it's that it is possible for a kid to shower for 40 minutes without actually getting clean."*

*~Kim Bongorno*

### Dates to Remember

- March 22: AHL/In-Person Learning Transition Day
- March 26: Report Cards go Home
- March 30 & 31: Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-7:00PM
- April 2: Good Friday--No School
- April 5-9: Spring Break--No School
- April 12: School Council Meets at 7:00PM
- April 13: Friends of Pioneer Meets at 7:00PM
- April 23: PD Day--No School for Students
- May 3: School Council Meets at 7:00PM
- May 7: PD Day--No School for Students
- May 9: Happy Mother's Day!
- May 21: No School
- May 24: Victoria Day--No School
- June 4: PD Day--No School for Students



**"It's not called 'cheating'.  
It's called 'leveraging my potential'!"**

### Items of Note

Pioneer has what is referred to as a "**closed campus.**" Which means that students can only leave school grounds if signed-out and picked up by a responsible adult. That responsible adult would be the parent/legal guardian or someone they designate. This is for the safety & security of our young students and means they cannot leave without clear parental consent.

**Cell phone usage** can be a significant distraction for students while in class. We appreciate that parents may need to reach their children at various times of the day. However, students are required to put their phones away during class time--either in their locker or in a designated spot within the classroom. Students found using their cell phones will have to relinquish it until the end of the day. Multiple instances will involve parents having to come in to pick up their child's phone.

Get your **50/50 raffle** tickets (AGLC lottery # 572292)! The take-home jackpot is currently at \$1150. You can get your \$2 tickets from the school office or from one of our Friends (Sam Sims, Geoff Barnes, Nicole Heath, Sam Leavitt, Laura Henning, Kim Rogers, Jackie Janes, and Candace Colwell). Draw date is April 1.



**Get Your 50/50 Tickets from a Friend of Pioneer. Tickets are \$2 each and will be drawn on April 1. All proceeds go towards our playground revitalization.**