

PIONEER MIDDLE SCHOOL

Panther Post

Week of November 18, 2024

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

"A person's a person, no matter how small."

Dates to Remember

- November is "R" is for "Respect" Month
- November is Veterans' Month
- November 21: Social Media Parent Presentation 6:30PM
- November 26: Phys. Ed. Swimming
- November 29: PD Day No School for Students
- November 29 & 30: Basketball Skills Camp
- December is Panther P.R.I.D.E. Month
- December 2: Term 2 Begins
- December 2: School Council & Friends of Pioneer meet at 7:00PM
- December 6: Report Cards Go Home
- December 6: Friends of Pioneer Movie Night at 6:00PM
- December 11 & 12: Parent Teacher Interviews 4:00-7:00PM
- December 17: Band Winter Concert 6-8:00PM
- December 21 January 5: Christmas Break
- January 6: Classes Resume
- January 6: School Council & Friends of Pioneer meet at 7:00PM

Items of Note

We will be hosting a parent information session on November 21 at 6:30 on **Social Media Safety & Awareness**. All parents and caregivers are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Pioneer will be hosting a **Basketball Skills Camp** November 29 & 30. For more information, visit <u>https://tinyurl.com/vytkdau8</u>.



The Band Parents Association is continuing to offer Subway lunches on Mondays and Domino's Pizza lunches on Wednesdays in term 2. If you'd like to take advantage of this, please check your SchoolCash Online (<u>https://wildrose.schoolcashonline.com</u>) account for exact dates, prices, and ordering information. The deadline for ordering is December 13.

STAFF PROFILE Kara Egeto Teacher

Kara grew up in Edmonton, Alberta, with a love for the outdoors and a sense of adventure. While studying at the University of Alberta, she met her future husband, who was also training to become a teacher. They quickly bonded over their shared passions—riding motorcycles down winding roads, camping under the stars, exploring hiking trails, and a mutual interest in education.

After earning her bachelor's degree in education, Kara moved to Rocky Mountain House, eager to begin her teaching journey away from the city and closer to the mountains. In 2007, she married her university sweetheart and welcomed a son in 2009, followed by a daughter in 2011. Temporarily pausing her teaching career, Kara embraced her time as a stay-at-home mom, cherishing every moment with her children until they were both in school. When the time was right, she returned to the classroom.

In the warmer months, Kara is often found outdoors—golfing, hiking, camping, or gardening. During the colder months, she can usually be found at the arena, cheering on her kids' hockey teams, or curled up by the fire with a good book and one or more of her five feline fur babies.





