



PIONEER MIDDLE SCHOOL  
**PANTHER POST**

Week of March 3, 2025

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

*“I think we all have empathy. We may not have enough courage to display it.”*

*~ Maya Angelou*

**Dates to Remember**

- March is “E” is for Empathy Month
- March is Women’s History Month
- March 3: School Council & Friends Mtgs. 7:00PM
- March 7: PD Day - No School for Students
- March 8: International Women’s Day
- March 9: Daylight Savings Time Begins
- March 10-14: PS Parent Portal Turned Off for Week
- March 10: Mi’kmaq/Celtic Fiddle Performance
- March 11: Gr. 6 Basketball Divisionals
- March 12: Ski Trip
- March 13: Gr. 7/8 Basketball Divisionals
- March 14: Minor Football Presentation 12:10PM
- March 14: Report Cards go Home
- March 14: Basketball Wrap-Up Assembly 2:15-3:25PM
- March 19 & 20: Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-7:00PM
- March 21: Awards Assembly 2:15-3:25PM
- March 21: Gr. 7 AB Ed. Parent Assurance Surveys Due
- March 24-28: Spring Break - No School
- April 1: Grade 6 Legislature Tour
- April is Panther P.R.I.D.E. Month

**GO PLAY OUTSIDE!**



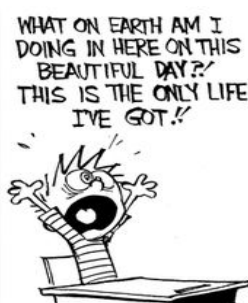
**Items of Note**

**March is a busy month around Pioneer.** Basketball is winding down. Archery is winding up. Term 2 report cards are going home and we have parent-teacher interviews. Students are taking in a fiddle concert and going on a ski trip. There will be a basketball wrap up assembly and an awards assembly. With Spring Break thrown in there, all this happens in the first three weeks of the month.

With the warmer temperatures, there is a lot of water (soon to be mud) on our playground. We do what we can to keep the children clean & dry, but these **puddles** can be like a flame to a moth sometimes. We have a limited supply clean used clothes we can lend students, but they don’t often want to wear them, so if your child has an attraction to these puddles, you may want to pack a change of socks & pants for them.

Students will be walking to the Lou Soppitt Centre on March 10 for a performance by **Keith Mullins**, a talented musician from Cape Breton, touring with **Morgan Toney**, a Mi’kmaq fiddler who blends traditional Mi’kmaq songs with Celtic fiddle music. Morgan and Keith recently won two East Coast Music Awards and were nominated for a Juno, so this may be a rare opportunity as their popularity continues to grow.

Mr. Wilbur



Ms. Morrish

