



PIONEER MIDDLE SCHOOL  
**PANTHER POST**

Week of May 26, 2025

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

*"Even as kids reach adolescence, they need more than ever for us to watch over them. Adolescence is not about letting go. It's about hanging on during a very bumpy ride."*

~Ron Taffel

### Dates to Remember

- May is Panther P.R.I.D.E. Month
- May 27: Gr. 8 Phys. Ed. Swimming 9:15-10:00
- May 28: Grade 6 PAT - ELAL part A
- June is National Indigenous People's History Month
- June is Panther P.R.I.D.E. Month
- June 2: AHS Immunizations
- June 2: Grade 5 Info. Session at 6:00PM
- June 2: School Council & Friends of Pioneer meet at 7:00PM
- June 3: Divisional Track & Field Meet
- June 4: Grade 6 PAT - Science Field Test
- June 4: Grade 7 Land-Based Learning at Historic Site
- June 5: Divisional Track & Field Rain Date
- June 5: Bus Registration Forms Due
- June 6: PD Day - No School for Students
- June 9: Gr. 8 Reynold's Museum Field Trip
- June 12: Grade 6 PAT - ELAL part B
- June 12: Spring Concert @ 6:30PM
- June 13: Grade 6 PAT - Math part A
- June 13: Panther Colours Day (wear school swag or colours)
- June 15: Father's Day
- June 16: PS Portal Closed for Reporting
- June 16: West Central Open House for Gr. 8 at 4-6:00PM
- June 17: Grade 7 PAT - Math part B
- June 20: School-Based Nat. Indigenous Peoples Day
- June 21: Nat. Indigenous Peoples Day
- June 24: PS Portal Re-Opens
- June 24: Year-End Awards & Gr. 8 Farewell @ 9:00AM
- June 25: Last Day for Students
- Sept. 2: First Day for Gr. 6
- Sept. 2: First Day for Gr. 8 at West Central
- Sept. 3: First Day for Gr. 7 & 8



### Items of Note

**Grade 6 students start writing Provincial Achievement Tests** this week. Please be sure students arrive on time and well rested.

**Grade 8's are swimming on Tuesday.** Please be sure they bring their swimsuit and a towel.

Grade 7 students have received permission forms for the annual **land-based indigenous learning** activities at the National Historic Site. The forms are due by Friday, May 30. The field trip is June 4.

We will be hosting a **Grade 5 Parent Information Session** on June 2 at 6:00PM. If you know anyone with children in grade 5 who will be in grade 6 at Pioneer next year, please let them know.

Public Health nurses will be here June 2 to administer **routine immunizations** for those students whose parents have signed off on permission forms. While they will be catching up a handful of grades 7's & 8's, this is primarily for grade 6 students.

**2025-2026 Bus Registration Forms** have been distributed to students. If you want your child to ride the bus next year, these need to be completed and returned to the school by June 5.