# September 2024

# Panther Tales



September 2 Labor Day Holiday

September 3 SAC Committee Mtg. 9 am

**September 6** One School One Book Reading Event

September 6, 13, 20, 27 PTA Spirit Sales

**September 10** SAC Committee Meeting 4:30

**September 10** Open House 5-6 pm **September 10** PTA Meeting 6-6:30

September 16 PTA Cookie Dough Sales End

September 17 PTA Lost Pizza Co. Spirit Night 4-8 pm

September 18 Early Release Day 12:20

September 19 Kona Ice

September 23 Donuts with Dad Order Deadline

September 23-October 25 Parent/Teacher

Conferences

September 26 Pensacola Opera 4<sup>th</sup> grade @ 9 am

September 27 PTA Donuts with Dad

September 30-October 4 Literati Book Fair

October 4 Fall Pictures

October 5 PTA Carnival Hadji Shrine Temple

October 10 Pensacola Interstate Fair Art Reception

October 14 Professional Development Day/ No School

for Students

October 16-17 5<sup>th</sup> Grade All County Chorus

October 17 3rd Grade Music Program

October 21 5th Grade Fieldtrip to the Symphony





Monday, September 23 Benoit 5<sup>th</sup> /T English 1<sup>st</sup>
Tuesday, September 24 Potter 5<sup>th</sup>/ Didier 1<sup>st</sup>
Wednesday, September 25 Brown 5<sup>th</sup>/ Cleveland 1<sup>st</sup>
Friday, September 27 Wallace 5<sup>th</sup>/ Jeremiah 1<sup>st</sup>

Monday, September 30 Dupree 5<sup>th</sup>/ J. English 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday, October 1 Stroud 4<sup>th</sup>/ Summerford 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday, October 2 McGee 4<sup>th</sup>/ Gray K Friday, October 4 Broadwater 4<sup>th</sup> / Cotita K

Monday, October 7 Harrison 4<sup>th</sup> /Huber K Tuesday, October 8 Williams 4<sup>th</sup> /Lassiter K Wednesday, October 9 Simmons 4<sup>th</sup> /Baker K Friday, October 11 Chapman 3<sup>rd</sup> / Vaughn K

#### Monday, October 14 NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, October 15 Garic 3<sup>rd</sup> /Melville 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday, October 16 Whiddon 3<sup>rd</sup> /Crosby 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday, October 18 Mitchell 3<sup>rd</sup> / Chism 3<sup>rd</sup>

Monday, October 21 Duncan 3<sup>rd</sup> / V. Taylor 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, October 22, McCraney 3<sup>rd</sup> /Gunter 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday, October 23 Greene 2<sup>nd</sup> / T. Harris 2<sup>nd</sup>

Please note there are no conferences scheduled on Thursdays!



**September 2-HOLIDAY** 



What Book will Pine Meadow be reading together as a school?

Find Out: September 6th



SEPTEMBER 10 5-6 pm

SAC Committee Meeting 4:30

PTA General Assembly Meeting 6-6:30 pm

Come and see what your students have been up to. Check out the classroom and speak with the teachers.

Amazing things are happening at PME!







Use this QR Code to become a PTA member.

Cost \$7



Sales End September 16



Spirit Night September 17<sup>th</sup> 4-8 pm



September 6, 13, 20, 27



#### September 27 \$5 for 2 Donuts & 1 pumpkin

Each Dad gets one pumpkin to Paint.
Extra Students: \$2 for 1 donut & 1 pumpkin

Deadline to order September 23

Parents must use legal name and bring your government

issued ID for entrance.

#### Schedule:

Multiple Students 8:15 - 8:45 am
K & 1<sup>st</sup> Grade 8:45 - 9:15 am
2<sup>nd</sup>& 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:15 - 9:45 am
4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> 9:45 -10:15 am





When: September 19<sup>th</sup>
What: Kona Ice
Cost: \$4.00

All students will be able to purchase this cool treat after lunch at the gates behind the gym.

Information coming home soon!

# PENSACOLA OPERA

THE PENSACOLA OPERA IS COMING TO PERFORM FOR 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE:

SEPTEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup> @ 9 AM

#### Media Center News

Mrs. Edmunds Mrs. Stepherson



September 30 - October 4
Tuesday, October 1st Family Night
2:30-6:00 pm

Cash and Credit Cards Accepted/No Checks
Online Sales Start August 30th.

https://efairs.literati.com/?school=pine=meadow-elementary-school-pensacola-fl

We are using a different company this spring for the book fair! Literati uses gift cards as their cashless payment for students and others. Here is what you need to know!

Gift cards are an easy student payment method that won't get lost in a backpack. They also make great gifts for teachers and librarians! You can buy bookfair gift cards form our online fair, and they can be used for both online orders and in-person purchases. If you're sending a gift card to another recipient, they'll know who it came from. Gift card codes are delivered via email. To redeem gift card, simply present or enter your code at checkout.

#### **Gift Card Guide for Parents**

- Go to efairs.literati.com.
- Select the "GIFT CARDS" tab at the top of the page.
- Choose a gift card amount. (For a custom amount, select "Choose Your Own Gift Card.")
- If it's a gift to a teacher or another student, check "Send as Gift?" and enter your recipient's email, your name, and an optional message.
- Click Add to Cart, then continue to checkout.

Guidance Corner

Ms. Steiner

## Kindness

Kindness: How a Simple Act Can Make a Big Difference

Be a good role model.

Children learn to be kind by watching, so be sure you are setting a good example on how to treat

**others.** Think about what words you use when talking about people of a different race, religion or culture. Talk with your children about helpful ways to respond to intolerant speech or acts with kindness and support instead of anger. Think about how you respond to others in your life.

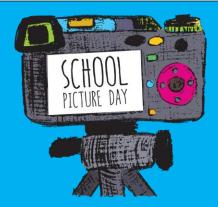
Create a culture of kindness in your home. Be sure everyone in the family is treated with respect and fairness. Make your home a place where everyone can share ideas and ask questions freely without criticism. Remind your children that people come from many different backgrounds, beliefs and family styles—even within your own family. Discuss how those qualities make us unique. Encourage your children to learn more about different races, religions, and countries.

#### Get involved.

Kindness comes out of respect for others. Being active in your child's school and community activities are great ways for kids to get to know other people from different cultures, beliefs and families. Talk together about groups they can join or activities they can participate in that are designed to bring people together for a common goal.

Step up.

Give your children some ideas for how simple acts of kindness can really make a difference. Younger children can learn to share toys, while older children can learn to support those being singled out or bullied. Encourage your children to step into a "caring and courage zone." This can be by comforting a classmate who is being teased, for example, or reaching out to a new student. If they are not sure how to do this, ask them, if they were new in school, what would make them feel more comfortable? The answer could be anything from a companion for lunch, help finding a locker or a classroom, or something as simple as a smile and hello to make that person feel more welcome.



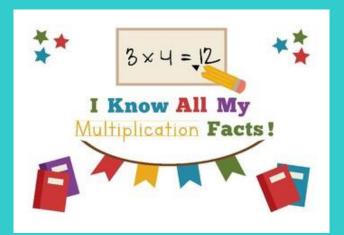
**OCTOBER 4** 

OCTOBER 5
PME FALL CARNIVAL
10 AM – 2 PM



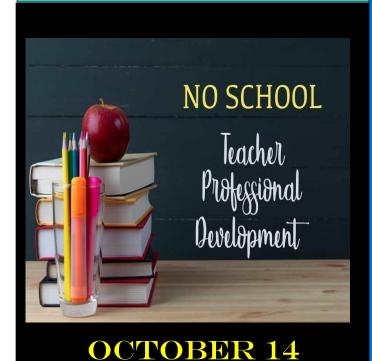
Children under the age of 2 are free.

# 3PD GRADE



3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Students are learning their multiplication facts to ensure their success in other math skills being taught as well as to prepare them for fourth grade math. It is imperative that students are memorizing and learning their times tables.

Parents, please help your student be successful by practicing this skillset at home.



### SCHOOL YEARBOOK

#### To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook

(Must be a parent or student 13 years or older)

- 1. Go to www.treering.com/validate
- 2. Enter your school's passcode: 1012923600032466

**Price**: \$20.22



- ~Share a toy, game, or book with a sibling or friend.
- ~ Do a chore without being asked.
- ~Smile, Wave, High-Five or Say Hello.
- ~ Invite someone new to play with you on the playground.
- ~Sit with someone in the cafeteria or on the school bus.
- ~Thank a teacher.
- ~ Help a classmate with schoolwork.
- ~ Leave an uplifting note for a classmate.
- ~ Assist a teacher.
- ~ Greet janitors, school-bus drivers, cafeteria workers or other School workers you meet.
- ~ Make a card or letter for someone.
- ~ Read a book to a younger child.
- ~ Clean up a mess you did not make.
- ~ Let someone go ahead of you in line.

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