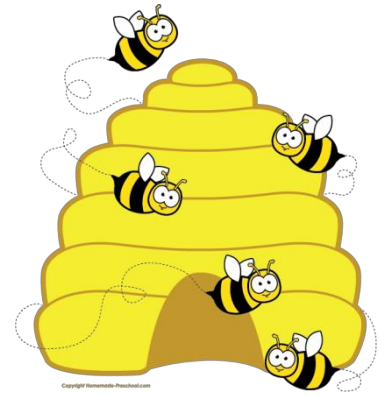


Pearl Rhodes Elementary

Weekly News

May 17, 2018



Upcoming Events

May 23

PRES Spring Concert, 6:30

May 28

Memorial Day, No School

May 30

5/6 gr. field trip to Boston w/
BES

June 5

Dist. Elementary Band
Concert, 7:00 @ PVRs

June 7

All school field trip to Great
Falls Discovery Center/Unity
Park/Fish Ladder

June 8

7th gr. Orientation @ PVRs

June 12

Field Day



June 13

6th gr. Parent Night at PVRs

June 14

All school field trip to
Montshire Museum of Science

June 20

6th grade Graduation, 6:00

June 21

Last Day of School, 12:15
Release, no lunch served

PTO NEWS

Light refreshments will be served after the concert. Refreshments are provided by parents, if you would like to donate something, please drop it off downstairs in the Town Hall before the concert.

PRES logo tee shirts & sweatshirts will be available to order at the Spring Concert!

Rehearsal Drop Off

On **Wednesday, May 23rd**, busses will be dropping students off at the Town Hall first thing in the morning and will not be stopping at the school. **If you transport your child please drop them off at the Town Hall at the regular time, 8:40^{AM}**. The breakfast program will not be available that morning; however, special arrangements can be made if necessary.

*Student's should wear comfortable walking shoes, as we will be walking from the town hall back to school after rehearsal.

PRES Spring Concert

Who: All students in PK – 6th grade

When: Wednesday, May 23rd @ 6:30^{PM}

Where: Leyden Town Hall

All families & friends are invited to attend. Arriving early is a good idea as seating is limited; students should arrive no later than 6:15 and be dressed in their best outfits for this special occasion.

Light refreshments will be served after the concert. Refreshments are provided by parent volunteers.



Summer Reading Program at RML

Dear Parents,

With summer vacation upon us, it's time to make plans to support your children's reading so that they can return to school in the fall without losing ground. To help youngsters enjoy reading for pleasure and to support and maintain effective strategies for reading for meaning, parents need to step up to the plate and create an environment conducive to success.

To support you in this, the Robertson Memorial Library is sponsoring a summer reading program which will run from about June 13 through the start of the new school year. To participate a young person must sign up (call me at 773-9334, or visit the library), maintain a 'books read' list, and submit a completed list by the due date in early September.

ALL who participate will be awarded a gift certificate to the World Eye Bookshop and become the invited guests at a make-your-own ice cream sundae party at the town hall on a Saturday in September.

The books your children read do not have to come from our library. The goal is to foster reading for pleasure while maintaining learned skills for effective reading. We do have a wonderful choice of books to entice your child, so please visit often!

Sincerely,

Chris Johnston

Director, Robertson Memorial Library

Public libraries, through their summer reading programs, put books in the hands of children. This is the best antidote for the 'summer slide' in children's reading achievement. Access to books and library programs over the summer results in more reading which, in turn, results in improved reading skills. -- Assistant Commissioner for Libraries and New York's State Librarian
Bernard A. Margolis

PIONEER VALLEY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

SPECIAL EDUCATION

PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Meeting Date: Thursday, June 7, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Where: Pioneer Valley Regional School in the Library

We need new members and we want your input.

What would you like to learn about next year?

- **Sensory Issues?**
- **Autism?**
- **ADHD?**
- **Transition Process?**
- **Post graduate opportunities?**

We invite you to come to express your concerns and tell us what topics are of interest to you. We also need to make plans to meet with School Committee members to share your concerns and thoughts with them.

Please come to this open house meeting and make connections with other concerned parents.

Hope to see you there! Any questions, please contact me, Chris Maguire, Administrator of Special Education:

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