

**Pembina North Community School**

**Home of the Panthers!**

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# The **Paw Print Newsletter**

**April 2025**

## **Parent-Teacher Interviews**

**April 2nd & 3rd**  
4:00-6:30 pm

Appointments can be booked at  
[www.pncs.schoolappointments.com](http://www.pncs.schoolappointments.com) or by  
calling the school office 780-954-3790

There's still time to sign up for a  
Parent-Teacher Interview.

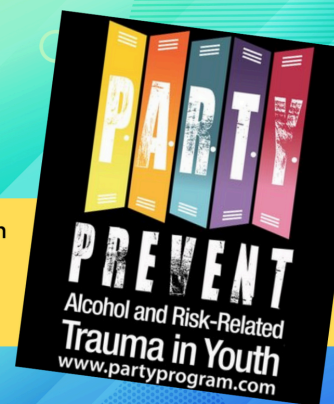
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or call the school office  
and we'll book a spot for you!



Our Grade 9's will go to Westlock  
on April 8th to take part in the  
P.A.R.T.Y. Program  
which is organized by  
Westlock Victim Services.  
Lunch will be provided.

## **Grade 9 P.A.R.T.Y. Program Tuesday, April 8**

The program will be held at Westlock Youth  
Unlimited. Our bus leaves PN at 8:30 am  
and returns by 3:30 pm.  
Pizza lunch will be provided.



Registrations  
are open for  
2025-26  
Kindergarten  
and PN-Prep.  
Check out  
our website  
at  
[www.pncs.ca](http://www.pncs.ca)  
for full  
registration  
details!

## **Pembina North Community School Kindergarten Information Session**

**Wednesday, April 9 @ 1:00 pm**



If your child turns 5 years old by December 31, 2025 they are eligible to attend Kindergarten.

**PNCS offers Full Day Kindergarten, Twice Weekly**

Join us for our Kindergarten Information Session on April 9th where you can meet the teacher,  
tour the classroom and find out what to expect during your child's Kindergarten year.

Your child will also take part in fun classroom activities, have a snack  
and get a picture taken with our school mascot, Paws the Panther!

Visit our website [www.pncs.ca](http://www.pncs.ca) for full registration instructions or call the school at 780-954-3790.



**ICE CREAM SALE**  
\$2.00 PER BAR  
**TUES, APRIL 8**



**PLAID DAY**  
**April 10**



**Hot Dog Sale**  
**April 15**  
\$2.50 each  
Order due date April 10



**Home Alone  
COURSE**

May 2, 2025 | 9:00-11:30 am  
Pembina North Community School  
Fee: \$10 for Students grades 4+

Please fill out and return a consent form  
to Pembina North Community School  
by April 29.  
Call 780-349-5900 or email  
cneiderhoff@westlock.ca for more  
information.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE APRIL 29

**Bring a  
snack  
& water  
bottle!**



Hot dog orders can be placed through  
Powerschool or request a paper order form  
from your child's homeroom teacher.



# JUNIOR HIGH BADMINTON

Gr 8/9 PRACTICE: MON & WED 4-5 PM  
Gr 7 PRACTICE: TUE & THU 4-5 PM

BARRHEAD TOURNAMENT APRIL 10 (FULL DAY)  
NEERLANDIA TOURNAMENT APRIL 17 (AFTER SCHOOL)  
DIVISIONAL TOURNAMENT APRIL 24 (FULL DAY)



Please complete the  
Badminton Consent  
Form in Powerschool.  
Fees will be added to  
accounts once play-  
downs are completed  
to determine in which  
events the players  
will compete.





## Grade 10 Information

RF Staples will be hosting an **Open House** on Wednesday, April 16 from 5:00-7:00 pm. Our Grade 9 students are encouraged to attend. More information about the event will be available soon and will be emailed to parents of our Grade 9 students.

**Course selections** for Grade 9's going to RF Staples for Gr 10 have been submitted. Once schedules are created they will be sent to our students. After students have a chance to look at them with their parents, staff from RF Staples will come to our school to make any changes that may be needed.



Edge Photography  
will be here to take  
Class Photos  
in the morning  
on April 17th.



In the afternoon on April 17th some of our Jr High students will be practicing their Easter Bunny skills by putting on an Egg Hunt for our K-3's.



## Volunteer Registration

Pembina Hills School Division requires all school volunteers to complete the Volunteer Registration process.

### Step 1

Submit to the school office a completed Volunteer Registration form. A printable version of the form is available on the School Division webpage, or you can request one from the school office.

### Step 2

Submit to the school office a current Criminal Record Check. These are available through the Westlock RCMP, however you must have a letter from the school saying why you need a CRC.

### Step 3

Submit to the school office a Child Intervention Check. This is available through Alberta Children's Services. To request the online form email [cs.ircnorth@gov.ab.ca](mailto:cs.ircnorth@gov.ab.ca).

### Step 4

Once all 3 items are received by the school office the Principal will review the Volunteer Registration. If all the School Division requirements are met, the registration will be approved.

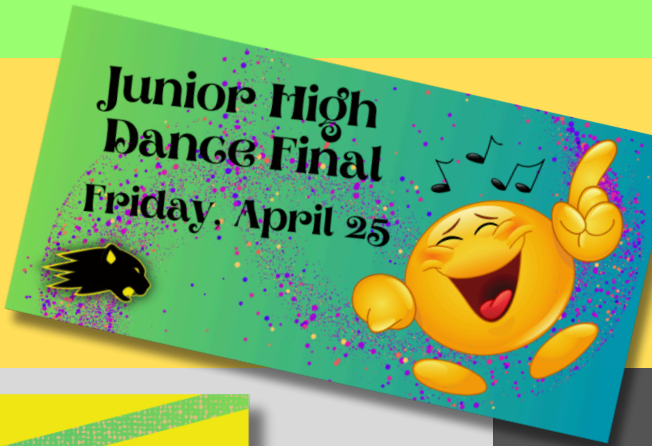
### Approved

The approved Volunteer Registration will be in effect for the duration of time that the volunteer has children at our school. It does not need to be done each year. If, however, there is a change to the Criminal Record Check or Child Intervention Check, updated copies must be provided to the school and the registration will be re-evaluated for approval by the Principal.



Let's all pull out our fanciest outfits and dress to impress on Friday, April 25th!

Our Jr Highs will be completing their Phys Ed Dance Unit on Friday, April 25th. They'll wind up the unit by going through their dance moves in the gym, followed by a fun dance!



**Taco Tuesday  
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Gr 4's will be participating in support of their overnight trip to Drumheller May 13-15

# Highway Clean-Up

May 3  
(Grades 4, 7, 8, & 9)

Gr 7-8-9's will be participating in support of their year-end trip to West Edmonton Mall on June 24

Complete the Consent Form in Powerschool to let the school know how many from your family will be helping.

Parents will be contacted with meeting times & locations & the area to be cleaned.





— Pembina North Community School —  
Fundraising Association

# GOLF FUNDRAISER

**SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2025**  
Hidden Valley Golf Course & RV Park

**\$400 TEAM ENTRY**  
-4 PERSON TEAM-  
9-Hole Texas Scramble & Steak Supper  
*\*Pre-Registration & Payment Required\**

Tournament Prizes  
Silent Auction Prizes  
50/50 Raffle

FOR MORE INFORMATION & TO REGISTER A TEAM, PLEASE CONTACT:  
Leah Breckenridge (leah.m.breck@gmail.com)

Enter a team and support our school! Funds raised from the Golf Tournament will go towards building an Outdoor Classroom for our school.

This outdoor space will also be a great shade/seating/picnic area for anyone using the school sports grounds or playgrounds.



## Upcoming Dates to Note:

May 13-15 Gr 4 Trip to Drumheller  
May 23 PNCS Open House  
May 29 Gr 1 Trip to St Albert Children's Festival  
May 31 PNCS Golf Tournament Fundraiser  
June 6 PNCS is hosting Gr 4-6 PHSSAM (Pembina Hills Small Schools Athletic Meet)  
June 11 Volunteer Appreciation Tea  
June 12 Last Kindergarten Day  
June 19 Gr 5 & 6 Trip to Fort Edmonton  
June 23 Gr 9 Farewell (afternoon ceremony)  
June 24 Gr 7,8,9 Trip to West Edmonton Mall (Scotiabank Theatre & World Waterpark)e  
June 26 Last Student Day

Please check our school website for  
Gr 6 & 9 Provincial Achievement Test dates



# April 2025

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>Apr 1</b> Kindergarten Day	<b>Apr 2</b> Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-6:30 pm	<b>Apr 3</b> Kindergarten Day Parent-Teacher Interviews 4-6:30 pm	<b>Apr 4</b> Panther Day (No School)	<b>Apr 5</b>
<b>Apr 6</b>	<b>Apr 7</b>	<b>Apr 8</b> Kindergarten Day Ice Cream Sale Gr 9 P.A.R.T.Y. Program in Westlock	<b>Apr 9</b> Kindergarten 2025-26 Information Session @ 1:00 pm	<b>Apr 10</b> Kindergarten Day Plaid Day Hotdog Orders Are Due Jr High Badminton Tournament @ BCHS (all day)	<b>Apr 11</b> Panther Day (No School)	<b>Apr 12</b>
<b>Apr 13</b>	<b>Apr 14</b>	<b>Apr 15</b> Kindergarten Day Hotdog Lunch (for those who ordered)	<b>Apr 16</b> Gr 9 students are encouraged to attend the RF Staples Open House @ 5 pm	<b>Apr 17</b> Kindergarten Day Class Photos K-3 Egg Hunt Jr High Badminton Tournament @ Neerlandia (3:45-6:00 pm)	<b>Apr 18</b> Good Friday (No School)	<b>Apr 19</b>
<b>Apr 20</b>	<b>Apr 21</b> Easter Monday (No School)	<b>Apr 22</b> Kindergarten Day Free Pizza Lunch	<b>Apr 23</b>	<b>Apr 24</b> Kindergarten Day Jr High Badminton Divisionals (all day)	<b>Apr 25</b> Kindergarten Day Formal Friday Jr High Dance Unit Final	<b>Apr 26</b>
<b>Apr 27</b>	<b>Apr 28</b>	<b>Apr 29</b> Kindergarten Day Free Taco-In-A-Bag Lunch Deadline to Register for Home Alone Course	<b>Apr 30</b> PN-Prep, Gr 1, Gr 2 Flouride Varnish Treatments	<b>May 1</b> Kindergarten Day Kindergarten Flouride Varnish Treatments	<b>May 2</b> PD Day (No School) FCSS Home Alone Course	<b>May 3</b> Gr 4,7,8,9 Highway Clean-Up

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