

## Trending Now @ PGS



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## From the Principals:

We occasionally get requests from families asking for work that their child can take with them while they will be away on a family trip. We thought it would be worth sharing our school policy related to that. First, we remind families that maintaining good school attendance is important. When emergencies arise and your child is not able to be in school, it is not our practice to provide the work that they will miss. When children don't receive the instruction that goes with the work, they can become frustrated and defeated. What we can do, however, is provide a list of educational activities that they can interact with to continue learning while away from school. These activities will vary slightly from grade to grade, and teacher to teacher, but are likely to include:

**Writing**-we encourage your child to keep a detailed record of their adventures and write a lot.

Reading-the most important thing a learner can do is continue to read books that are just right for them. Visit appropriate websites-there are numerous websites that teachers use with students in class and as homework that we can encourage students to engage with.

**Practicing basic skills**-all children can benefit from practicing math facts, whether addition, subtraction or challenging themselves with multiplication and division. We will work to provide instruction on skills missed when they return to the classroom.

~Mrs.Borio & Mrs. Buckle

Lost and Found: Is your child missing a coat, gloves, water bottle or anything else they may have brought to school...and never brought home? Come check out our PGS Lost & Found collection in the café! Students can take a look during school for any missing items and/or clothing. Parents are welcome to come down and check as well.





Important Links: PGS Website - Pine Grove School Website
PGS PTO - PGS PTO Link PTO- Konstella
Avon Public Library: Avon Public Library Resources

## Avon District Calendar 2022-2023 PGS Minute

January

27 Spirit Day - Wear your PGS Spiritwear **February** 

10 Valentine's Dance (details below)

16 PTO Meeting 6:30 pm

20-21 No School Presidents Day Recess

28 Grades K-2 Author visit Christine Geist

28 Board of Education Meeting 7:00 pm AHS

**Lunch on Monday:** Crispy Chicken will be served but without the wrap.

Valentine's Dance: First time Ever,

February 10, 2023 6:00 -7:30 pm Tickets are \$5.00 Dancing, Crafts,

Food & More Tickets are running out - Buy yours today Buy Your Tickets Here

**Reminders:** If you need to pick up your child early please do so by 3:00 or earlier.

Did you know you can report absences and early pick-ups in School Dismissal Manager. Here is the link: School Dismissal Manager If you don't have account please email the office at: pinegroveoffice@avon.k12.ct.us.

Attention 4th Grade Parents!!! Do you want your child's legacy to live on at the school long after they have graduated? If so, the Legacy Book Club is for you! Parents have the opportunity to purchase a book through Konstella, have their child sign it, and have it put on the library shelves for years to come. The Legacy Book Club is a great opportunity to leave a lasting impression of your child at the school they loved for years to come! Click <a href="mailto:here">here</a> to purchase a book. Any questions, please contact Allison Yaffee at Allison. Yaffee@gmail.com Last day to order this is Tuesday, January 31, 2023

**2022-23 Yearbook** Upload your children's photos to the link below all year long. **Pine Grove- CT 2023 Yearbook | Entourage Yearbooks Link** Download the **Entourage App** on your phone