

Pittsfield High School

Board Report - November 19, 2019

Mid-Term

Mid-term for the second quarter is Thursday. Mid-term reports will go in the mail on Tuesday, November 26, 2019.

Disc Golf

Picture Pittsfield partnered with the PHS PE department to bring a disc golf instructor into all of the physical education classes to demonstrate and promote disc golf. The students had a great time learning the sport and look forward to going out and playing at the new disc golf course.

NHS Inducts New Members

The following students were inducted into the Lorena Bueker Chapter of National Honor Society: Mackenzie Amann, Lexi Ebbing, Alexis Groom, Kate Hoover, Caty Miller, Cassidy Poor, Rylee Shaw, Haley Smith, Abby Springer, Cade Tomhave, Allison Wessel, and Audry White.

ILMEA All-District Festival

The following students participated in the ILMEA All-District Festival in Macomb:

Emily Pursley
Mackenzie Amann
Rilee Lash
Katelyn Musgrove

Student Council - Food & Toy Drive Sauk-A-Thon

The 2019 PHS Student Council, Food and Toy Drive, began Tuesday, November 12th. South School and Pikeland Community School have partnered up with PHS Student Council to support the food drive.

Student Council will be collecting food, personal items, and money for 20 Pikeland families and 30 adult members of our community. Each child will receive a toy they have specified on the wish list, plus an outfit (top and bottom) of winter clothing unless they have noted some other clothing needs. New this year --The Sauk-A-Thon will be between classes instead of homerooms. All items need to be dropped off in your class sponsor's homeroom.

A giving tree with gift tags will be set-up in the front foyer and the cafeteria during Turkey Tournament. These purchases must be for new items. Monetary donations will also be collected throughout the competition.

Community Food/Toy and Cash donations are also welcomed and appreciated. You can drop off items at Pittsfield High School until December 6th.

Other holiday events sponsored by the PHS Student Council:

Homeroom door decorating contest.

McDonald's Night - December 4th from 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Pittsfield FFA

Made fleece tie blankets for St. Louis Children's Hospital in honor of Landon Davenport.

KHQA will air their morning show starting at 5:00 a.m. tomorrow morning in the PHS FFA classroom.

Pittsfield FFA won a nationwide video voting contest sponsored by The Showtimes.

Parent Meetings

Parent meetings were held for junior and senior parents. Topics included preparing for my student's senior year, financial aid, dual enrollment, cost of college, scholarships, applying to colleges, and other options after high school.

WCR Visit

Evie Morrison, the new director for the West Central Region Education for Employment System, was in this week for our annual meeting. She was able to tour the building and see our vocational programs.

SIP Day AM

Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors switched between the following blocks throughout the morning:

Reading

Writing

Math

Mindfulness

Digital Citizenship

Seniors switched between the following blocks throughout the morning:

Still - Winterizing your car

Westbrook - College Applications

Heafner - Resume Writing

JWCC - What JWCC has to offer?

Mindfulness

SIP Day - PM

Math, Science, and English teachers began reviewing the PSAT 8/9, PSAT 10 and SAT data.

Vocational Teachers worked to finalize the Vocational Career Fair for January/February.

Former Teacher/Dean at Liberty Village

Mr. Ray, a former English teacher and Dean at Pittsfield High School, is in at Liberty Village. Mr. Ray's birthday is November 24th. A card shower has been requested, and his address is below:

Tom Ray
Liberty Village #107
610 W Lowry
Pittsfield, IL 62363





SOUTH ELEMENTARY BOARD REPORT



November 2019

- ★ Our Monster Mash on October 25th had a great turn-out with students and parents participating in a number of activities and games. Thank you Little Brave Boosters for organizing a fun event.
- ★ Our Pre-K recently had their first field trip of the year to a pumpkin patch. It was a little cold, but the students had fun as part of their fall pumpkin unit.
- ★ On November 1st, South students were sorted into their houses. I don't think anyone could have anticipated the excitement and fun that this day brought to South School. We would like to thank Clint Weir for helping MC this event. Our first house meetings will be this week, and the students are looking forward to it.
- ★ Last night, we hosted our Title 1 Family Night. Families rotated between reading stations, game stations, wiggles station, and a snack station. We had over 100 people come out for the event on a fairly busy night. Thank you to the Title staff, Mary Pursley and Sandy Curless, as well as many volunteer staff, for helping to put on this event.
- ★ Our next big family family event will be Reindeer Games on December 13th. This event will be hosted by the Little Brave Boosters.
- ★ Recently, South finished our Little Cesar's Pizza fundraiser. This was a huge success as students sold over \$30,000 of pizza related products. This fundraiser directly benefits student classrooms as the proceeds are used by teachers to buy materials needed for the classrooms. I would like to thank BJ Yelliot and Erin Allen for the many hours of work they put in on the orders. We also had many other staff volunteers, parent volunteers, and even a few high school students help with this.
- ★ In the next few weeks, we will be heading into our next cycle of Dibels assessments and Math assessments. We are looking forward to seeing how much our students have grown.

SAUKEE ATHLETICS

PHS

Girl's Basketball

Opened up season tonight @ Routt
Participate in Brown County Tournament starting Saturday.
See schedule on back.
14 girls out for basketball this season.

Boy's Basketball

13th Annual Saukee Turkey Tournament Nov 25th-30th
See schedule on the back
25 boys basketball players

Wrestling

First match is November 26th at East Alton Wood River
7 wrestlers out this season

Fall Award Winners – See attached sheet

PCS

Girl's Basketball

7th grade Regional at Rushville- Industry
v. Camp Point 11/23/19 - 10:15 AM

8th grade Regional at Rushville-Industry

Boy's Basketball

8th graders - 18 players
7th graders - 15 Players

Wrestling

First official practice 12/2/19

Volleyball

First practice 12/2/19

All Sport Raffle ticket drawing will be held on November 30th at halftime of the Pittsfield game.

SAUKEE ATHLETICS

Fall Award Winners

PHS Volleyball: Took 1st place in the Pike County Conference Tournament

- **Pike County All Tournament Team:** Katie Cox, Chloe Lemons, & Josie Marable
- **Pike County All-Conference 1st Team:** Katie Cox & Chloe Lemons
- **Pike County All-Conference 2nd Team:** Josie Marable & Chloe Walston

Pittsfield Thanksgiving Tournament Schedule 2019

Pool A

Pittsfield
Routt
Lovejoy
Camp Point

Pool B

Payson
Western
Liberty
Illini West

Monday Nov 25

	<u>Home</u>		<u>Away</u>
5:00	Western	V	Payson
6:30	Liberty	V	Illini West
8:00	Pittsfield	V	Routt

Tuesday Nov 26

5:00	Lovejoy	V	Camp Point
6:30	Western	V	Illini West
8:00	Payson	V	Liberty

Wed Nov 27

6:00	Routt	V	Lovejoy
7:30	Pittsfield	V	Camp Point

Friday Nov 29

1:30	Payson	V	Illini West
3:00	Camp Point	V	Routt
4:30	Liberty	V	Western
6:00	Pittsfield	V	Lovejoy

Saturday Nov 30

1:30	Pool A 4 th	V	Pool B 4 th
3:00	Pool A 3 rd	V	Pool B 3 rd
4:30	Pool A 2 nd	V	Pool B 2 nd
6:00	Pool A 1 st	V	Pool B 1 st (Championship)

1st Team listed will be the home team and will wear light Colored Jerseys

Tie Breaker

1. Head to Head
2. Defensive Points allowed
3. Team Free Throw Percentage

2019 Lady Hornet Classic Schedule

Saturday November 23rd

High School Gym

9:00 West Hancock vs Rushville
 10:30 Brown County vs Peoria Christian
 12:00 Beardstown vs Liberty
 1:30 Pittsfield vs Rushville
 3:00 Peoria Christian vs West Hancock
 4:30 Unity vs Western
 6:00 Liberty vs Routt
 7:30 Brown County vs Pittsfield

Jr. High Gym

9:00 Beardstown vs Unity
 10:30 Routt vs Western
 12:00 JV - Routt vs Unity
 1:30 JV - Brown County vs Beardstown
 3:00 JV - Pittsfield vs Unity
 4:30 JV - Beardstown vs Rushville
 6:00 JV -

Monday November 25th

High School Gym

6:00 Routt vs Beardstown
 7:30 Brown County vs Rushville

Tuesday November 26th

High School Gym

6:00 Pittsfield vs Peoria Christian
 7:30 Liberty vs Western

Wednesday November 27th

6:00 Routt vs Unity
 7:30 Brown County vs West Hancock

Friday November 29th

High School Gym

6:00 Rushville vs Peoria Christian
 7:30 West Hancock vs Pittsfield

Jr. High Gym

6:00 Unity vs Liberty
 7:30 Beardstown vs Western

Saturday November 30th

High School Gym

12:00 **9th Place Game** - Pool A 5th Place vs Pool B 5th Place
 1:30 **7th Place Game** - Pool A 4th Place vs Pool B 4th Place
 3:30 **5th Place Game** - Pool A 3rd Place vs Pool B 3rd Place
 5:00 **3rd Place Game** - Pool A 2nd Place vs Pool B 2nd Place
 7:00 **Championship** - Pool A 1st Place vs Pool B 1st Place

First team listed will be the home team.

Pool A	Brown County	Pool B	Beardstown
	Peoria Christian		Liberty
	Pittsfield		Routt
	Rushville		Unity
	West Hancock		Western

Tie Breakers: Head to Head
 Defensive Average (3-way tie automatically goes to defensive average no matter the scenario)
 FT Percentage

Administrative Report
Nov. 19, 2019
Grades 3 – 5

- October 19 – Student council held a Halloween party for all third through fifth-grade students. Students watched a movie, played games, and toured the haunted hallway. A spooktacular time was had by all!
- The week of October 21 third-grade held their annual pumpkin contest. Forty-seven students participated in this very competitive contest. Ben Musgrave was the winner.
- On October 31, C pod held its first-ever Halloween costume parade. Students paraded through the PCS gym for parents and the community. Twenty-four local businesses attended and passed out treats to students. Landon Davenport was our parade marshal.
- On October 31, SIP day, PCS staff reviewed data and discussed ways to improve our math performance. We also planned for a C pod parent night that will be held on the evening of December 3.
- Friday, November 8 – Our annual Veteran’s Day Program was held at P.C.S. to honor veterans in our community. The program included presentations, various pieces played by our band, poems read by our students, songs sung by our student body, as well as the honoring of veterans in attendance. Dr. Evans does a tremendous job putting together this wonderful event.
- Friday, November 15 – Was the second quarter midterm. D / F slips will be sent home this week.
- C-Pod November Students of the Month

Jack Love

PCS Administrative Report
November 19, 2019
Grades 6-8

- We spent our SIP Day working with our MAP data and our IAR data. I worked with the math department to determine areas we could work on. All other departments worked together on the informational text piece. We use our data to improve our curriculum as well as set goals with our students.
- D/F slips for second quarter will be mailed home this week.
- We held our popsicle party for those students who made honor roll and high honor roll. We held the party by grade level over three Team Times. Approximately 180 students were treated to popsicles!
- We are just getting started on the toy and food drive. There is competition in the air among the Dpod staff. This is also a friendly competition between Cpod and Dpod.
- Picture retakes for PCS students will be held tomorrow.
- We will be “decking the halls” next Tuesday. Each Team is working on decorations that go along with a Christmas movie. We will be hosting parents beginning at 3:00. Parents are encouraged to come in and visit our winter wonderland.
- PCS Christmas Concerts will be held at 7:00 in the evening on December 17. Band and chorus students are all gearing up for that program. The Christmas carols can be heard throughout the middle section of the building.
- Our Dpod student of the month for November is Eli Mendenhall.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

