



PISD UPDATE

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CALENDAR

Thursday, October 20, 5:00

Volleyball @ Questa

Saturday, October 22

Cross Country @ Santa Rosa

Volleyball @ Mora

Harvest of Health Fair

Rodarte Community Festival

Thursday, October 27, 4:00

Volleyball vs McCurdy

Friday, October 28

Cross Country @ Districts

Saturday, October 29, 5:00

Volleyball vs Escalante

Thursday, November 3, 5:00

Volleyball @ Mesa Vista

Saturday, November 5

Cross Country @ State

Volleyball vs Questa

Tuesday, November 15, 6:00

Regular Board Meeting

UPDATE YOUR PEÑASCO WARDROBE

The athletic department will be selling Peñasco Panther Pride t-shirts. T-shirts are \$15 and can be purchased in the concession stand for home games or you can contact Coach Mandy to get your Peñasco gear. We will be selling hats soon. Come out and support our Peñasco athletes!





PISD HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

**MS/HS PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES:
8-11 AM, 2-4 PM**

**ELEMENTARY PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES:
ONLINE & IN-PERSON: SCHEDULED BY TEACHERS**

**MS/HS PAC MEETING W/ DINNER SERVED BY
CULINARY ARTS STUDENTS:
4-5 PM**

**FESTIVAL W/ GAMES & FOOD
5-8 PM**

**TRUNK OR TREAT
5:30-7 PM**

**WANT TO DECORATE YOUR TRUNK? LET US KNOW!
RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER.**

YOUR NAME & PHONE #:

YOUR CHILD'S NAME:

**CANDY, CAKE WALK ITEMS & PUMPKINS DONATIONS
ACCEPTED! (DROP OFF AT GUARD SHACK)**

ELEMENTARY LITERACY NIGHT



On Thursday, October 6, Peñasco Elementary hosted a literacy night with games, activities, photo booth, book giveaways, and a Scholastic Book Fair. More than 70 families attended, and the book fair sold almost 25% more in books than any previous year--which means that our school now has more money to purchase books for the library.

Thank you to Mrs. Michelle Esquibel, Ms. Lulu, and the entire elementary staff for organizing the event. Thank you to all of our students and families who attended!



Top, clockwise: Families browsing activities, Victor Martinez posing at the photo booth, Ms. Lulu, and Dasia Calabaza at the book fair.



NEW PANTHER STATUE



Thank you to my crew for their hard work installing the panther statue and landscaping.

--Maintenance Supervisor Ray Pino

Top, left to right: Anthony Mondragon, Anthony Sandoval, Jerome Ortega, Sheila Sanchez, Lloyd Deada.

Not pictured: Hannah Fernandez.



MARTINEZ-YAZZIE



Native students took a field trip to UNM for Native American Programs Career Day. Thanks to Ms. Geffroy for organizing the trip!

Art class with Alessandra Ogren & Julia Geffroy – CLR through Picuris Pueblo Arts





HISTORY COMES ALIVE FOR 7TH GRADE

Mrs. Julia Geffroy presented to Coach Mandy's 7th grade New Mexico History class about artifacts that included pieces of pottery, arrow heads, corn kernels that could be dated back hundreds of years from the Zuni Pueblo, a mano, and a metate which was used to grind seeds into flour. The students are learning about early peoples in New Mexico and artifacts that they left behind.





PUMPKIN CARVING IN FIRST GRADE

Ms. Vigil's first graders learned all about pumpkins (including the guts!)



Top, clockwise: Zekeyla Duran, Rylee Romero and Ms. Vigil, Immanuel Quintana, and Samuel Rodriguez. Thank you to Ms. Deb for the photos!



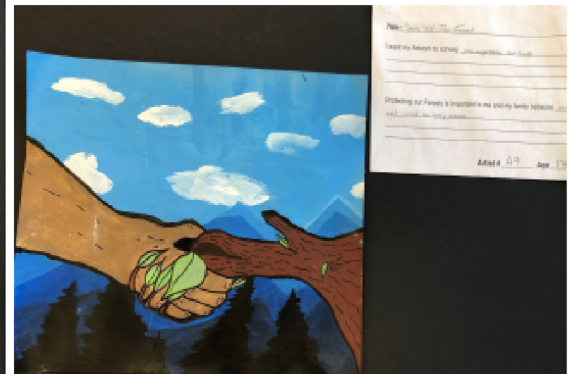
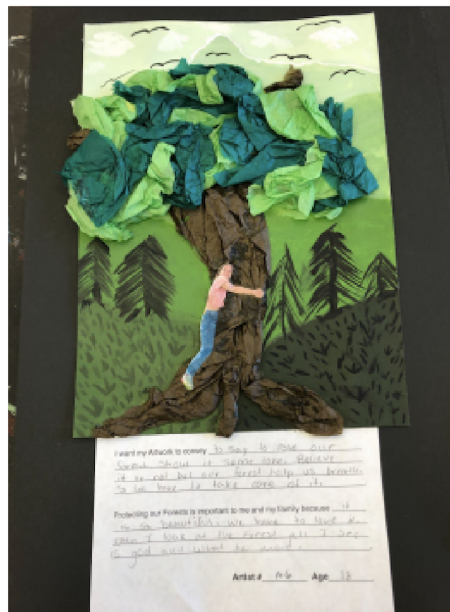
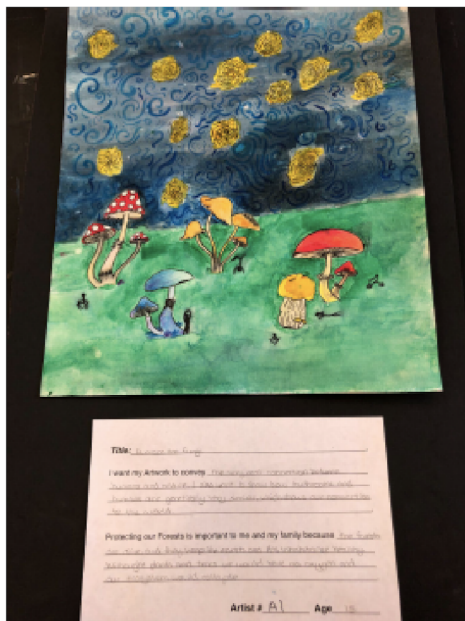


PISD STUDENTS WIN AT HIGH ROAD ART SHOW

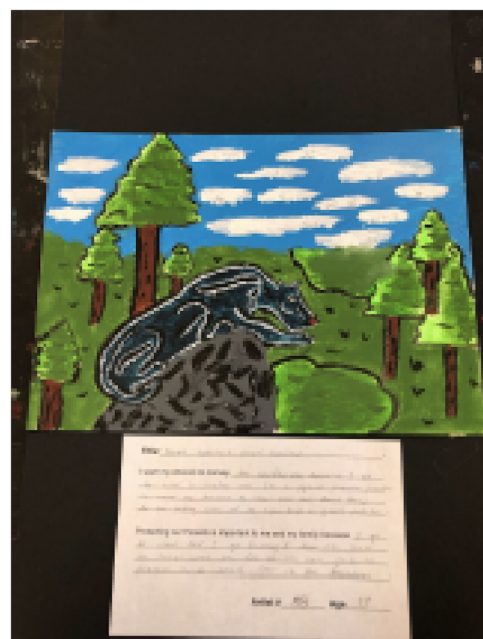
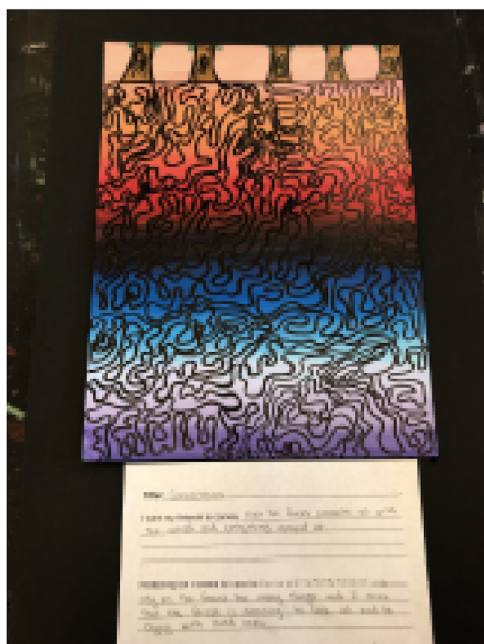
Congratulations to the winners of the Youth Art Show, as part of the High Road Art Tour. Thank you to everyone who went out and voted for the youth art. Thank you to art teacher Ms. Alessandra for giving students this opportunity!

Ages 13-17

1st place: Savannah Browne, 2nd place Dazlyn Gonzales, 3rd place Zach Montoya



Runners up: Analise MacAuley, Jeremiah Martinez

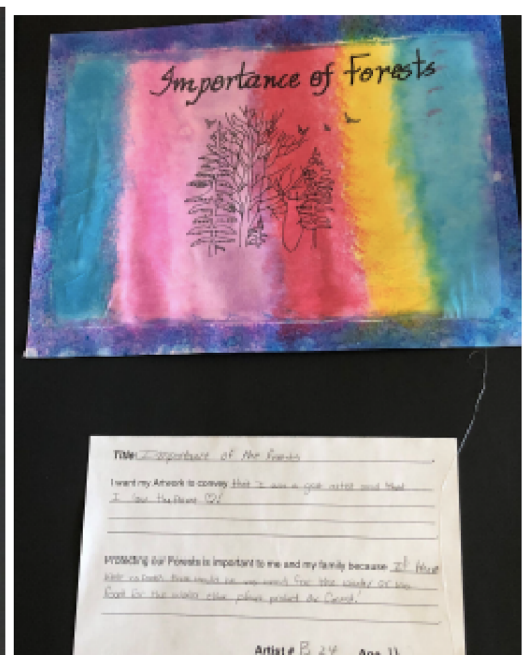
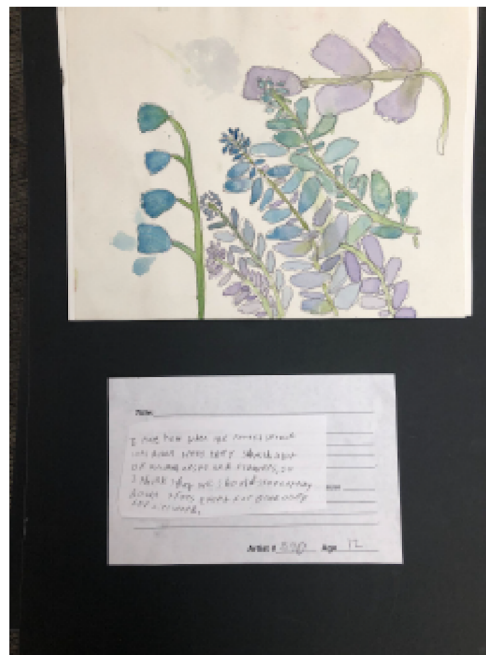
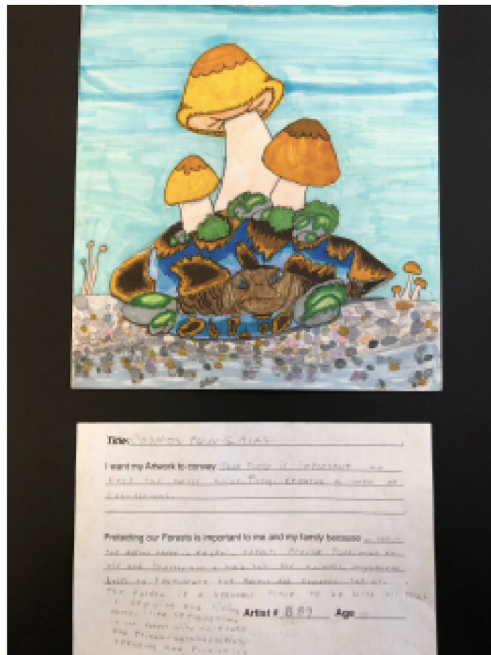


ART AWARDS

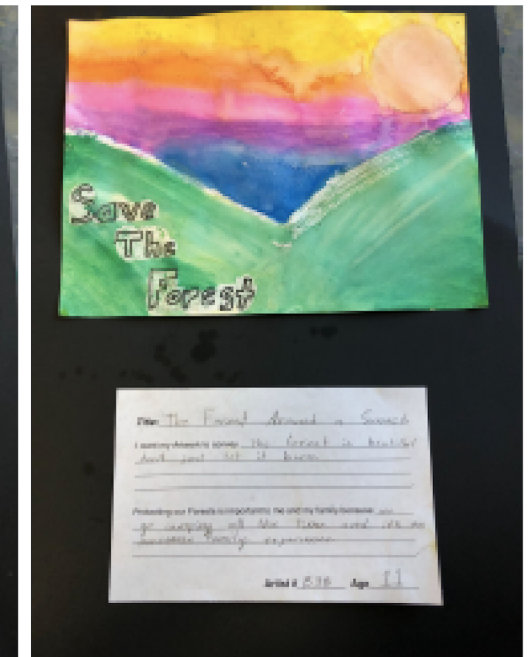
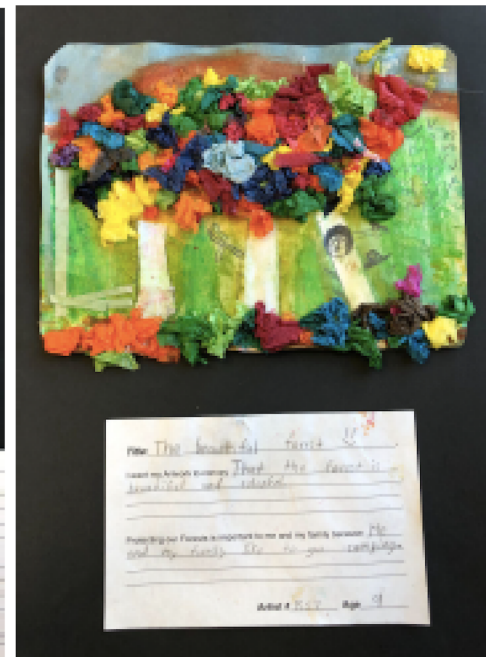


Ages 9-12

**1st Place : Tonahli Tarin-Ogren, 2nd place Veda Chrsakov,
3rd place Jennifer Chacon**



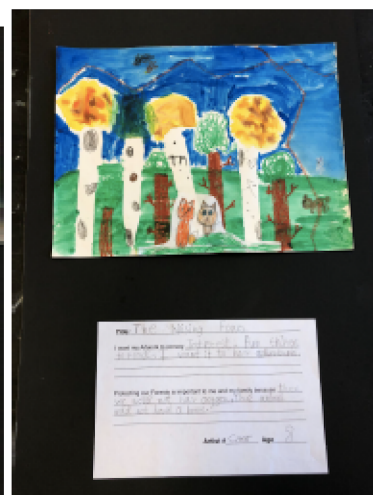
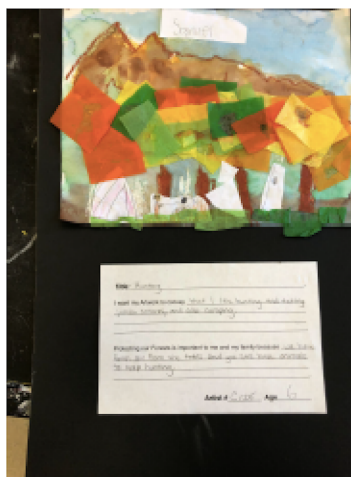
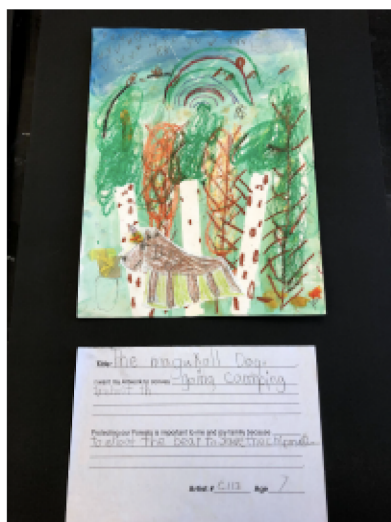
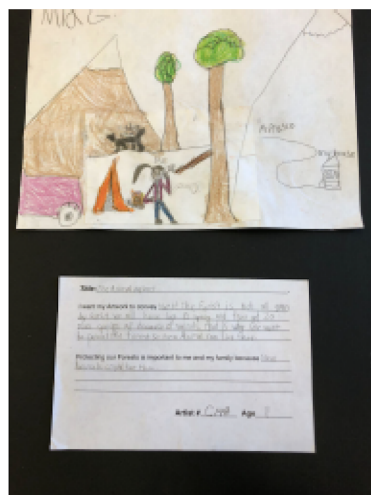
Runners up: Linaya Martinez, Eli Espinoza, Alyssa Rodriguez



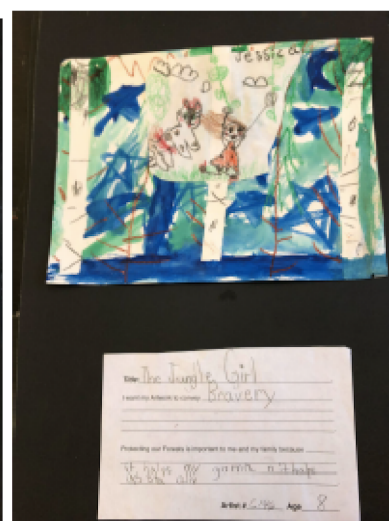
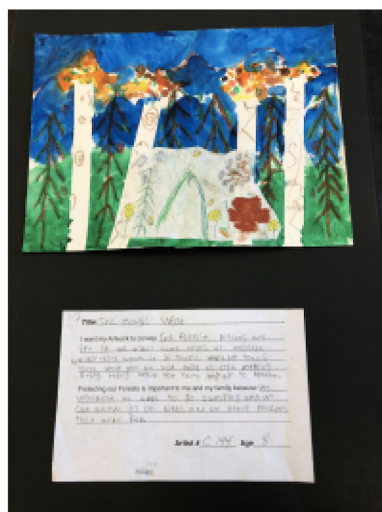
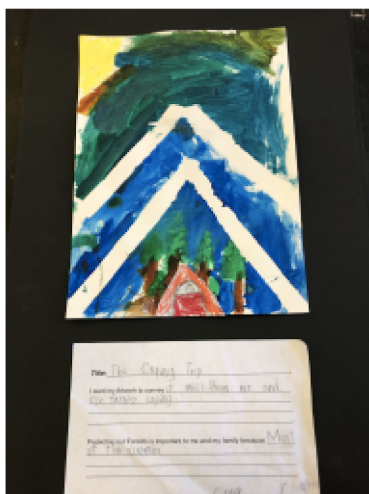
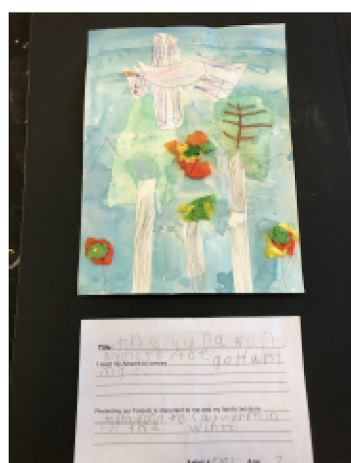


Ages 4-7

1st place Mia , 2nd place tie Delilah Lopez and Samuel Rodriguez, 3rd place Therese Martinez



Runners up: Savannah Ortiz , Jameson Dominguez, Nora Bradley-Bissell, Jessica Garcia





Peñasco Independent School District

Melissa Sandoval, Superintendent

Dear Elementary Parents,

Parental input and involvement is highly valued at Peñasco Elementary School. Studies indicate that children whose parents and/or guardians share in their education tend to do better in school. Some of the benefits of greater parental involvement include, higher overall grades and test scores, greater potential for long-term academic achievement, and positive attitudes and behavior. In addition, parental involvement encourages successful school programs which leads to all-around better schools.

One of the ways we encourage parent involvement is through our monthly Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) meetings—now being combined with our Community School meetings. Parent voices are extremely important in helping to shape our school and PAC meetings provide a crucial platform for open parent-school communication. At Peñasco Elementary School, we realize that it takes a village to raise a child. We know that in order for us to excel, we need our kiddos to excel socially, emotionally, and academically. We also know for this to occur we need your support, dedication, and commitment as our valued parents and guardians.

We would LOVE for you to join our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC). If you are interested, please reach out to Anita MacAuley or Genevieve Trujillo at 575-587-2502 or Michael Noll at 575-779-1466. We meet monthly. We have already had several meetings, however we would like to see more parents and guardians involved and welcome your input. Our meetings take place in person at Peñasco Elementary or you can join a meeting via Google Meets. All meetings will be from 5:30-6:30, on the first Wednesday of the month. If you want to be a part of our Peñasco Elementary Parent Advisory Committee please let us know ASAP so we can share our agenda. We hope to see you all there!

When is PAC?

- November 2, December 7, February 1, March 1, April 5 and May 3
- Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/goi-rhtb-vnp>

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NEXT HOME GAMES/MEETS

Thursday, October 27, 5:00 pm: Volleyball vs McCurdy
 Saturday, October 29, 5:00 pm: Volleyball vs Escalante

BASKETBALL SCHEDULES



Peñasco Middle School Boys/Girls Basketball 2022-2023



Date	Opponent	Location	Time	departure
Wed. 11/30	Mora	Away	4:00pm	
Mon. 12/5	McCurdy	Home	4:00pm	
Wed. 12/7	Escalante	Home	4:00pm	
Mon. 12/12	Mesa Vista	Away	4:00pm	
Wed. 12/14	Questa	Home	4:00pm	
Mon. 12/19	Mora	Home	4:00pm	
Wed. 12/21	McCurdy	Away	4:00pm	
Mon. 1/2	Escalante	Away	4:00pm	
Wed. 1/4	Mesa Vista	Home	4:00pm	
Mon. 1/9	Questa	Away	4:00pm	
Jan. 12-14	NRG Tournament		TBA	

*Second game immediately follows the first game.

Peñasco High School

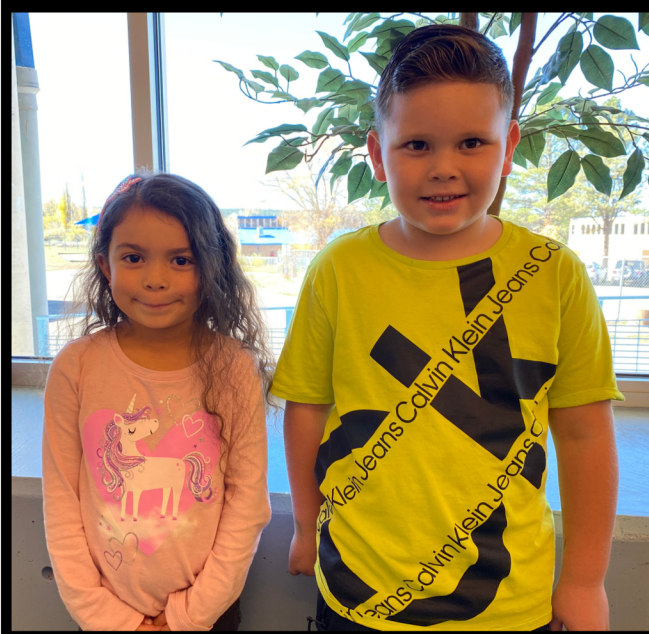
Boys/Girls Basketball 2022-2023

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sat. 11/26	Cimarron	Away	1:00/2:30/4:00/5:30
12/1-12/3	West Las Vegas Tournament	WLV	TBA
Th. 12/6	Coronado	Away	5:00/6:30
Sat. 12/10	Santa Rosa (Girls)	Away	2:00/3:30
Mon. 12/12	ATC (Boys)	Home	5:30/7:00
Tues. 12/13	SFIS (Girls)	Home	5:30/7:00
Wed 12/21	Clayton (Girls)	Home	4:00/5:30
Th. 12/22	Santa Rosa (Boys)	Home	4:00/5:30
12/27-12/29	St. Mikes Tournament (Girls)	Away	TBA
12/28-12/30	Tri-City Tournament (Boys)	Away	TBA
1/5-1/7	NRG Tournament	Espanola	TBA
Tues. 1/10	SFIS (Boys)	Away	5:30/7:00
Thurs. 1/12	Los Alamos (Girls)	Home	4:30/6:00
Sat. 1/14	Pecos	Away	2:00/3:30/5:00/6:30
Th. 1/19	Mora	Home	4:00/5:30/7:00
Sat. 1/21	McCurdy (Homecoming)	Home	2:30/4:00/5:30
Mon. 1/23	Laguna Acoma (Boys)	Home	5:00/6:30
Thurs. 1/26	Escalante	Away	4:00/5:30/7:00
Sat. 1/28	Mesa Vista	Home	1:00/2:30/4:00
Thurs. 2/2	Questa	Away	3:30/5:00/6:00/7:30
Sat. 2/4	Mora	Away	1:00/2:30/4:00
Thurs. 2/9	McCurdy	Away	4:00/5:00/6:00/7:30
Sat. 2/11	Escalante	Home	1:00/2:30/4:00
Wed. 2/15	Questa	Home	4:00/5:30/7:00
Thurs. 2/16	Mesa Vista	Away	3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30
Feb 20-25	District Tournament	TBA	TBA
Mar. 4-12	State Tournament	TBA	TBA

ELEMENTARY STUDENTS-OF-THE-MONTH



Pre-K (Greenfield): Eliza Bradley-Bissell and Niyah Gonzales



Kindergarten (Visarraga): Natalia Lopez and Aron Santistevan.
Gabriel Segura



1st Grade (Vigil): Dario Lopez, Rylee Romero, and Amarah Romero

ELEMENTARY STUDENTS-OF-THE-MONTH



2nd Grade (Trujillo):

Dante Ulibarri and Leslie Saenz



3rd Grade (Montoya):

Derrick Fernandez Lopez and Isabella Martinez. Not pictured: Nora Bradley-Bissell.



4th Grade (Lopez):

Kathleen Gonzales and Tommy Martinez (being photobombed during breakfast!)

ELEMENTARY STUDENTS-OF-THE-MONTH



4th Grade (Amplayo):

Eli Espinoza and Josiah Gurule. Not pictured: Robyn Trujillo



5th Grade (Ortega):

Cambrie Gonzales, Daniel Cano



Merikai Stoneback and Armando Cano:

"Merikai and Armando have both done an awesome job advancing in their math work!"

-Mrs. Carmen Gonzales,
Educational Assistant



Christian Hoover

"Christian walks his sister into the cafeteria for breakfast every morning. He is a great big brother!"

-Mrs. Gonzales,
Elementary Principal



Mrs. Michelle Esquibel

"Thank you to Ms. Esquibel, our students, and families for supporting our literacy night."

-Mrs. Gonzales,
Elementary Principal

Kate Abeyta, Rose Garcia, and Irene Romero

"Thank you to our Grandma volunteers for all their support to our students and teachers.."

-Mrs. Gonzales, Elementary Principal

This Week's Staff Appreciation: Norman Rodriguez

By Sierra Atencio and Rochelle Lopez

This week's staff appreciation is about Norman Rodriguez, As Peñascos MS/HS's head security guard, Norman has been working here at PISD for 16 years. For his first year here, he worked as a custodian. The security job opened up and he decided to jump on it.

Before Norman worked here, he was a construction worker. He built houses and buildings and also did landscaping. He was a construction worker for about 20 years. After retiring from construction he decided that he wanted to work with the Peñasco schools.

Mr. Norman Rodriguez says, "I really enjoy working here because I get to interact with the students, and I enjoy helping them out. I try my best to keep all of the students safe." On a regular day, Norman and Cody (the newest security guard) go around the district to check the doors around the district; they also monitor who enters and leaves the campus. Anyone that enters the campus must have an ID to enter.

Stay tuned for next week's news newsletter and make sure to check our broadcast "Tea Time". A special thanks to Norman and all other staff members.



Learn more in "Tea Time," the new journalism class broadcast:

<https://www.penascoisd.com/page/newsletter>



Aloha Districts

By Alyssa Atencio, Mireya Arellano, Alexuis Romero, Cheyenne Martinez

Districts in volleyball started, with the Lady Panthers playing Mora on October 6, and the Rangerettes won in 3. Each set was very close. The ladies had a follow up game against McCurdy on October 8 with a win of 3-1. On October 13, the Lady Panthers played against Escalante, losing in an instant 3. Although they took a loss, junior Haylie Martinez played an excellent blocking game, shutting down Escalante's "best" hitter, Brycelyn Martinez. The Lady Panthers hosted Mesa Vista on October 15, winning them in 3. As of right now, the Panthers are 2-2 in District games, with an upcoming game in Questa on October 20.

The Cross Country team will be attending the District meet on October 28, where it will be hosted in Mesa Vista by Legacy Academy. On October 8, the XC team attended the Cimarron meet. The girls finished in 1st place, and the boys got 3rd. Sophomore Jude Martinez finished in 2nd place, Freshman Jeremiah Martinez placed 6th, and Junior Matias Vigil placed 9th. Freshman Rochelle Lopez placed 2nd, 8th grader Maddisyn Rodriguez placed 4th, Senior Rhyen Vigil placed 7th, and 8th grader Amy Munoz placed 9th. On October 15, the Panthers attended the Academy Extravaganza, Charnelle Gonzales placed 4th, and freshmen Rochelle Lopez placed 6th, as a team the girls got 1st place. Sophomore Jude Martinez placed 3rd. The boys did not get to place as a team because of the lack of runners. On October 22, the team will travel to Santa Rosa for their last meet before Districts and State.



The Lady Panthers huddle up for game against Mora.



Aloha Districts continued

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Above: Boys getting ready to take off at the Cimarron meet.

Below: Girls pose for picture after receiving 1st place at the Academy Extravaganza.





Dollar General in Peñasco?

By Alicia Abeyta, Teeny Lucero, and Jayleni Medina

Dollar General is trying to open a store in the empty plot of land next to the post office. Many Peñasco residents are opposed to the idea of having a store that's the same as the Family Dollar but just with a different name. Workers from local businesses all agree that having this Dollar General would drive out our local businesses. Instead of adding the same thing twice, try to think about what this town actually needs.

Audrey Medina, a Family Dollar employee, feels that we don't need another store like this. "We have Garcia's and Pacheco's next door which are thriving. A new store will drive out those businesses." Clarissa Medina, manager of Family Dollar agreed. "Another store would take away from the family-owned businesses. Family Dollar is a big asset, and we do a lot for the community, but I feel like this is enough." Medina also said that in communities like Velarde and Espanola that had both a Dollar General and Family Dollar, one of the stores was forced to close. Another concern for the Family Dollar would be losing workers with the addition of a Dollar General.

Andy Jones, a Taos County employee, says he knows there's a stigma attached to dollar stores: "There's an idea that it's just a bunch of junk and it's just for poor people...I think they can be good and be bad. They can take away from other small businesses, they can take business away. But they can also provide something for the community." The planning department's job, according to Jones is to work with applicants, like the people who are working on this latest Dollar General, to make sure they meet all the requirements." He shared that to date, they haven't met all the requirements. "It's a process," Jones said. "We should make sure they meet all the requirements, like adequate parking, facilities, and a landscape plan."



Signs found around the Peñasco area.



Dollar General, continued

He shared that if it does get approved it would have to fit in with the community and the development doesn't become a problem. If it does get to a point where it will get approved or denied, the community has a say so. Community feedback is important, so that everyone in the Peñasco area has a chance to weigh in about whether it's good for the community or not. He feels like not being a Peñasco resident makes it hard to say whether or not it should be there. "A lot of times in the past, the community voice has been enough to be denied," he shared. Also, it's taken the Dollar General a year to finally want to finalize the decision of the build. To start building they'll need an access permit to work near the highway.

A lot of people in the town think opening a Dollar General would just be a waste. Opening a restaurant, gym, laundromat, car wash, feed/pet stores, clothing stores, a bank, credit union, police substation, etc would be a better option for the town. If the town doesn't want it, the chances of it being built are low since the community also has a say so.



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3V3 Penasco Basketball Tournament

By Kaileb Atencio

On Friday, October 14th, the class of 2024 hosted a 3v3 basketball tournament consisting of 8 teams. Registration cost \$20 per team. The teams also included some staff that were on some of the students' teams, and some staff even had their own team. Each game was 15 minutes long, and the score limit was up to 21 points.

The juniors had lots of food to sell at the concession stand such as nachos, chips, pickles, water, and Gatorade. This fundraiser helped the juniors raise money to pay for their prom.

The teams that were in the tournament were the 1 seed Team One, who was Dylan Lopez (junior), Elias Archibeque (senior), and Mr. Bobby Richardson, Peñasco's Tiwa teacher; the 2 seed team Swift included Jeremiah Martinez (senior), Kaileb Atencio (freshman), Demarcus Lopez (junior), and Anthony Naranjo (junior). The #3 seed team was The Has Beens, which were the staff: Amy Rendon (mathematician), Brandon Gurule (healthy guy who teaches), Coach Anelisia Pena (AVID teacher), and the one and only GOAT, Mandy Montoya (history teacher/athletic coordinator). The next team was the 4th seed, Aces, who had Rochelle K. Lopez (freshman), Diego Ortiz (senior & Ms. K. A. Ortiz's grandson), Sylvia Brown (senior), and the one and only all 2A second team junior, Ms. Analise MaCauley. 5th seed, Barbs, had Alexuis Romero (sophomore), Alyssa Atencio (sophomore), and Sierra J. Atencio (junior). Then, the 6th seed Rattlesnakes came along: Lyrik Montoya (sophomore), Matias Vigil (junior), and Adam Archuleta (senior). The #7 seed, Kat's Team, consisted of Katalina Atencio (7th Grader), BriannaLee Naranjo (7th Graders), Jonaya Funmaker (7th Grader), and last not but not least Adelita Trujillo (7th Grader). Last and least was the 8th seed, Geo's Team: the players on the team were: Geo Lucero (7th grader), Julian Martinez (7th grader), Dante Mascarenas (7th Grader), and we cannot forget about Daniel Martinez, who is also a 7th grader.



Players (students and staff alike) warm up for the 3v3 tournament.



3V3 continued

The 3v3 tournament kicked off with #1 Team 1 vs #8 Geo's Team on Court 1. Obviously Team 1 won; it would've been embarrassing if they didn't. Game 2 on Court 1 was #2 Swift vs #7 Kat's Team. #2 Swift came out strong, blowing out Kat's Team by a lot. This made #2 Swift go on to face #1 Team 1 and #7 Kat's Team vs #8 Geo's Team which Geo's team won, making Geo's team advance to the championship game of the losing bracket. On Court 2, #3 Has Beens took on #6 Rattlesnakes in the bottom of the bracket. The Rattlesnakes got an upset by defeating the Has Beens. #4 Aces defeat the #5 Barbs in a thriller. Analise made big plays to win the game and move on to face the #6 Rattlesnakes while the Barbs went to the losers' bracket to face the #3 Has Beens. The Barbs took 2 losses, making them eliminated, and the Has Beens won to face Geo's team in the losers' championship game. The Aces won against the Rattlesnakes, with Analise hard carrying the team on her back and sabotaging Matias Vigil with a poke in the eye. It led the #4 Aces to the championship to face #2 Swift who barely got the win against Team 1 in overtime, upsetting and surprising the whole entire school, thanks to senior citizen Jeremiah Martinez.

It was championship time and #3 Has Beens were warmed up to face #8 Geo's team. Mandy Montoya and Anelisia dominated Geo's team. Coach Brandon Gurule raised his arms in joy and acted like he won the NBA finals. The 2022-23 3v3 basketball consolation champions were the #3 Has Beens. Next was the real championship game, the #2 Swift vs #4 Aces. #2 Swift had home court advantage because the championship game happened on court 1. The Aces played all their other games on court 2. #2 Swift was on a roll and making #4 Aces eat their dust, especially with Demarcus Lopez's cockiness. Analise, the MVP of the tournament, did not let any of the cockiness slide as she was angry and hungry for some points. The Aces went on a 5 point scoring drive, thanks to Analise with lockdown defense. Rochelle also made some big plays, as did Kaileb, trying to get open on every single play, but his team was trying to get points up quick, then passing the ball. You cannot forget about Diego grabbing clutch rebounds and then passing them out to the open teammate. #4 Aces had great ball movement unlike #2 Swift, but it was not enough to win them the game. #2 Swift blew the Aces off of their feet. Anthony and Demarcus showed the whole school who they are. Kaileb and Jeremiah showed respect to the Aces and celebrated their win in style. In the end, the 2022-23 3v3 Tournament Champions were #2 Swift who got a reward for winning the tournament with a free ticket to a Peñasco Panther basketball game.

The event was a great success, and it helped the class of 2024 a lot, raising \$550 dollars. Big thanks to Ms. Stephanie Noll (ELA Teacher) and Anelisia Pena (great multitasker who played and hosted the tournament).



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SATURDAY

22 & 23

SUNDAY

Games, Food, Events, Vendors!

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WHEN?

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2022

9:00am - 12:00pm



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Planned Power & Internet Outage

Reason:

KCEC replacement of a significant transmission, distribution, and internet fiber pole

Kit Carson Electric Cooperative (KCEC) will be conducting a **PLANNED POWER OUTAGE** on **10/20/2022** and **10/21/2022**, replacing a 69 kV transmission, distribution and internet fiber pole that was damaged during last year's winter squall. KCEC is replacing the current pole with a more robust metal pole in preparation for this upcoming winter.

On Thursday, October 20, 2022, KCEC and contractors will replace the pole's distribution side, affecting 25-30 members on State Rd 240 Culebra Rd. The outage will last approximately eight hours, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

On Friday, October 21, 2022, KCEC and contractors will replace the transmission and fiber lines, affecting Penasco and surrounding areas. The outage will last approximately four hours, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Due to the high danger implications and remote location of the pole, KCEC and contractors need to implement enhanced safety protocols resulting in the two-day outage. KCEC encourages members to prepare for the outages and take proper necessary plans to secure the safety of members and their families.

Friday, October 21, 2022 :Penasco, Pot Creek, Picuris Pueblo & Surrounding Areas

Date: Friday, October 21, 2022

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Affected Areas

Penasco, Pot Creek, Picuris Pueblo, Rodarte, Llano de San Juan, Llano Largo, Llano de la Llegua, Chamisal, Tres Ritos, Trampas, Rio Lucio, Placitas & Rock Wall,

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- STEM/Robotics Afterschool Activity Leader
- Drill Team Coach
- Elementary Girls Basketball Coach
- Elementary Boys Basketball Coach
- Substitute Cooks
- Substitute Teachers
- Substitute Custodians

Find the certified position application here:

<https://www.penascoisd.com/page/certified-employment-application>

Find the non-certified position application here:

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For questions, email Amy Garcia at agarcia@penascoisd.com.