

PENN YAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

3 School Drive
Penn Yan, New York 14527

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Principals' Newsletter



Dear Parents/Guardians;

September seems to have gone by in a flash! The changing leaves and chill in the air remind us that Fall is seriously knocking on the door! Many of you may have students in our building for the first time, we welcome you, and encourage you to be active participants in your child's education.

The annual PYE Open House is scheduled for TOMORROW, October 4th from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Open House is an opportunity for parents and families to create a personal connection with teachers and to learn more about their child's classroom and school. The Mustang School Store will also be holding its Grand Opening during Open House! Stop by Room 151 to check out all the merchandise! PYE Apparel will be available to order. The PTG and other local agencies will also have information booths in the foyer. We hope to see you on Tuesday!

The rest of October looks to be a busy month...some important dates to mark on the calendar:

Thursday, October 6th—Picture Day (all payments are due on this day)

Monday, October 10th—**NO SCHOOL** in observance of Columbus Day

Thursday, October 13th—Monthly PTG meeting, 5:00 p.m. Room 142

Friday, October 21st— Roller Skating Party

October 24th–28th— Book Fair in PYE Great Room; Evening Hours Thursday 10/27

Thursday, October 27th—AIS Family Fun Night & Parent Meeting, PYE Cafeteria— Notices will be coming home with your child

Friday, November 4th— Family Movie Night featuring CARS 2

A few reminders:

Please note that in order for an absence to be considered excused, a note must be sent in upon a student's return to school. Parents/guardians are also expected to call the Health Office to report that their child is going to be out sick.

Our Lost & Found already has some items that need to go home! When you are in the building please take a look to see if anything belongs to your child. To prevent items from "going lost" please write your child's name in coats, sweatshirts, backpacks, and lunchboxes.

Please take a moment to review the attached information about ways to support your child's reading development at home.

Enjoy the sights and sounds of autumn! We look forward to seeing you at Open House!

Marcie Ware
Principal

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Assistant Principal