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District Newsletter
August 2023 - October 2023

FOCUS AND TEAMWORK



Concert Series 2023/2024

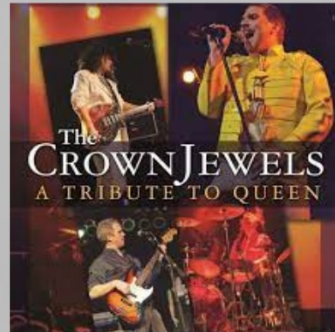
CTC Concert with the following acts
@ Pillager Schools CTC Center.

Hard Days Night
A Tribute to the Beatles



Saturday, Oct. 28

The Crown Jewels
A Tribute to Queen



Saturday, Nov. 18

A John Denver Christmas
by Layne Yost



Sunday, Dec. 10

Xpedition
Tribute to Journey, Foreigner,
Kansas, Styx



Friday, April 12

Sponsored by



Totally Awesome
80's Christmas Show



Saturday, Dec. 16

Free Falling
A Tribute to Tom Petty



Thursday, May 2

Other shows include:

Transit Authority-A Tribute to Chicago- date to be
announced. Look for additional shows to be added!

On sale August 22nd

@ 10:00 AM.

Check us out & purchase tickets at ctccenter.org
Bands subject to change



From the desk of Mr. Michael Malmberg, District Superintendent

As a new school year begins, I want to thank all of you for the many ways you work with us all year long on behalf of the school. All of us at Pillager Public School value the partnership we have with you and appreciate your support and involvement. Pillager Public School is a great place to be and we are extremely proud of our students, staff and the great facilities that we have.

Athletic Complex Construction Wrapping Up

Although the project took longer than we had hoped, this summer, our athletic complex facelift and upgrade will be completed. We replaced our small bleachers with a new larger one to accommodate a larger seating capacity of 700 that attend our events. The grandstand also included elevated seating, a press box to accommodate coaching staffs, video and statisticians, along with radio station personnel. The project also included upgrades to our varsity baseball and softball fields. These improvements included leveling ground, fencing, two-sided scoreboard, paved paths for handicapped accessibility, permanent bleacher seating for both fields with picnic table area, dugout work and press boxes, irrigation repair, logo fence screens, and speaker systems. The final aspect of the project included new LED lighting and replacing the wooded poles with steel ones. We also replaced and updated the discuss cage for the track. The total cost of the project was just over one million dollars and was funded through our capital project allocation and also long-term facility maintenance fund. This is a terrific complex for our community and is part of the strategic plan created for the School Board to follow and strive towards.

CTC Center Events

We continue to look for exciting events to be held in the CTC Center. Look for the ad in the newsletter advertising some up and coming events this year at www.ctccenter.org

School Branding, New School Videos, and New Hashtag

Last year we kicked off the new branding for our school district with a new theme for our district. That theme was #PulltheSled. We wanted to send the message to all of the school community that the strength of our district is in the pack and that it takes all of us to accomplish great things and how proud we are to be a Husky. You will see that hashtag on school emails and all communications. Check out the new school branding videos that were created telling our story on each building on our website at www.isd116.org.

New Staff and Positions

We have been very fortunate here at Pillager to be able to retain and recruit for many of the open positions that we have had the past few years. We are always looking for people to join us as education assistants, custodians, bus drivers, office staff and substitutes. If you are interested in any of these, please check out the website and look under the employment tab.

Have a great school year! Welcome back!

"PullTheSled"

Michael Malmberg



The Pillager Education Foundation is a group of volunteers who support our school through fundraising for classroom grants and student scholarships.

Our mission statement is: "Working with our communities, we will support innovative approaches and enhance student excellence in academics, arts, athletics and activities."

For more information on how you can get involved or how to donate funds to the Pillager Ed Foundation, please see our website at www.pillageredfoundation.org

NEW STAFF TO PILLAGER SCHOOLS

Angela Hupf, Middle School Math

I grew up in Castlewood, SD. Attended and graduated from Dakota State University in 2021. After graduation, I started my teaching career in Kimball, SD. While in Kimball, I taught math for grades 5-12. In my spare time, I enjoy reading, being outside, doing puzzles, spending time with my family, and playing volleyball and softball.

Robert Petersen, 3rd Grade

Hello, I am Robert Petersen, and this will be my first-year teaching in Pillager. I will be teaching third grade for the 2023-2024 school year! A little bit about me, I have recently graduated for St. Cloud State University with a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education. I grew up not far from Pillager, about 20 minutes South in the small town of Randall and graduated from Little Falls Community Schools. Some things I like to do in my free time include hunting, fishing, and spending time with friends and family. I am excited to be joining the Pillager Husky family and starting my teaching career in a place that's so close to home!

Kaitlyn Lanners, Middle School Math

My name is Kaitlyn Lanners. I grew up on my family farm near Buckman, MN. I graduated High School from Pierz Healy High in 2019 and graduated from MSU Moorhead in 2023 where I earned my degree in Elementary Education with an emphasis in Middle School Math. This will be my first year teaching, but I have been a substitute teacher in North Dakota for about a year and a half while working on my degree. Although working with my family on the farm keeps me busy, in my spare time, you can find me with family and friends in the outdoors. I enjoy hunting, fishing, riding ATV, and being active.

Elaina Christiansen, Elementary Special Education

Hello! My name is Elaina Christiansen, soon to be Elaina Fritz, and I am excited to be starting my teaching career in the Pillager School District. I grew up in Brainerd, MN and graduated from Brainerd High School in 2018. In high school I spent most of my time playing softball and hockey. After high school, I attended Bemidji State University where I played D2 softball for five years. In the fall of 2022, I graduated with a Bachelors of Science in Elementary Education and began my Masters in Special Education in the spring of 2023. In September of this year I will be getting married to my wonderful fiancé Brandon. In our free time we enjoy spending time with our families and friends, being active, playing games, and drinking coffee. I am looking forward to meeting new faces in the fall and working within the Pillager district. I am so excited to be a Pillager Husky.

Kamela Berg, 3rd Grade

Hello, my name is Kami Berg and I am excited to be back teaching at Pillager Public Schools! I graduated high school from Pillager in 2009 and received my teaching degree from Crown College in 2013. I have been teaching for 10 years and have taught in Pillager, Clarissa, and most recently Crosby-Ironton. My husband, Phil, and I enjoy going to sporting events, bike riding, traveling, and spending time with friends and family. I am looking forward to joining the 3rd-grade team at Pillager Schools and being back "home." Go Huskies!

Lonnie Stokes, Head Volleyball Coach

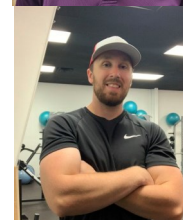
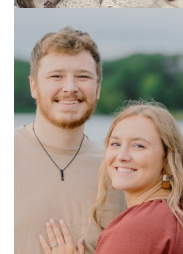
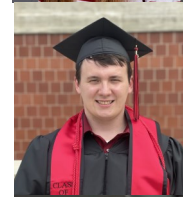
Pillager Public School welcomes Lonnie Stokes as the head volleyball coach. Lonnie Stokes was previously involved in the Pillager volleyball program and brings to the head coaching position almost 7 years of coaching experience along with 25 years of playing experience in various leagues and tournaments including the USVBA. Lonnie Stokes attended St. Cloud State University in 1988. Then went on to attend Northwest Technical College later in life where he received a degree in medical coding. Lonnie Stokes has and currently works in the Pillager community as a rural carrier for the USPS. Lonnie played in four state tournaments while attending Bertha-Hewitt high school. He lettered in football, basketball and track while in high school. He is interested in sports, hunting, fishing, and spending time with his family at their home located on Lake Buchanan in Ottertail. Lonnie and his wife Shauna have four adult children, three of which graduated from Pillager High School.

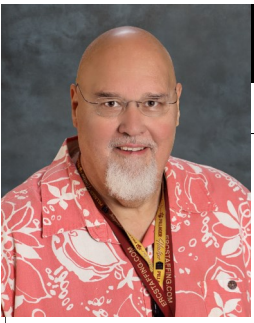
Coleman Larson, Strength Coach

I am a Certified Personal Trainer and Certified Nutrition Coach through the National Academy of Sports Medicine. I am the current Strength and Conditioning Coach for Minnesota Hockey Camps in Breezy Point, MN and the NA3HL hockey team Minnesota Loons in Breezy Point, MN. I currently run my own personal training business named Optimal U, which is primarily based out of Pine River, MN and Breezy Point, MN. I am a former Correctional Probation Officer out of Bay County, Florida. I currently reside in Pine River, MN with my fiancé Hannalee, where I am a father to two-year-old twins named Mia and Maverick. When I am not coaching, I like to enjoy working out, and being with my family.

Jordan Schiffler- Middle School / High School Special Education

Jordan Schiffler grew up in Albany, Minnesota and graduated from Albany High School in 2019. He graduated from Saint John's University with an Elementary Education degree in 2023. This will be his first year teaching outside of experience in college. His hobbies include being outdoors, whether that is being with family, going golfing, or being on the lake. He is very much looking forward to teaching at Pillager Schools!





Facility Services Manager, John Gordon

We are excited to announce that CTC is partnering with us on this year's new concert series. The CTC Concert series this year at the CTC Center will run October to May with various Tribute acts. CTC is our naming sponsor and we are excited to continue our relationship in this series with CTC's CEO Kristi Westbrook and newly added Jill Casper Director of Marketing and Community Engagement. The following bands are confirmed and their performance dates are as follows:

Saturday, October 28, 2023, Hard Days Night - A Tribute to the Beatles
Saturday, November 18, 2023, The Crown Jewels - A Tribute to Queen
Sunday, December 10, 2023, A John Denver Christmas by Layne Yost
Saturday, December 16, 2023, Totally Awesome 80's Christmas Show
Saturday, February 17, 2024, Transit Authority - A Tribute to Chicago
Friday, April 12, 2024, Xpedition - Journey | Kansas | Foreigner | Styx
Thursday, May 2, 2024, Free Fallin' - A Tribute to Tom Petty

More info on ticket sales and pricing will be available on the CTC Center website ctccenter.org. Tickets will go on sale around August 22 @ 10:00 AM. Bands and dates are subject to change.

Our Custodial Crew is working with a purpose of pride in getting the school renewed and refreshed for the upcoming school year. I am very proud of the crew and the passion and attention to detail in getting the job done during the summer. Please thank them for keeping our schools clean and helping in keeping our students safe. We all look forward to our students and staff returning this fall.

Gordon Out!

Welcome back Husky students! The Pillager Health Office is ready to care for you when needed during the 2023-2024 school year!



School Nurse



Please see the Health Services page on the school website for general health information and forms that you may need for your student (medication authorization forms, seizure action plans, immunization forms, etc.) <https://www.isd116.org/departments/health-services>

Immunizations: We've been working on immunization compliance over the summer. Remember that Minnesota Immunization Law requires that students have their immunizations up-to-date or an exemption form on file on the first day of school. New immunizations are typically due for Kindergarten, 7th and 12th grade students.

Seizure Action Plans: Minnesota schools are now required to have seizure action plans in place for students with a history of seizures. See the Pillager Health Services webpage for a copy of a seizure action plan and submit it to the health office.

Hearing and Vision Screening: More information to come on Pillager's annual fall hearing and vision screening event for our 1st, 3rd, and 5th grade students.

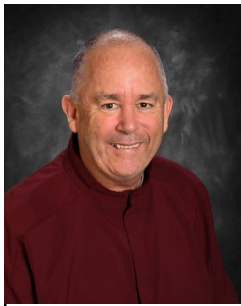
Questions or updates on your student's health? Email jshypkowski@isd116.org or call 746-2062. Records can be faxed to 746-4236.

Jamie Shypkowski, RN, RD, LSN, PHN
Pillager School Nurse
Elementary Health Office: 746-2062

FOOD ALLERGIES

According to Food Allergy Research & Education, 1 in 13 children have a food allergy. The most common food allergies in children are allergies to peanuts, milk, shellfish, and tree nuts.

If your child has a food allergy and you have not notified the health office, please call our staff at (218)746-2114.



High School Principal, Jason Savage

I hope this letter finds you all in good health and high spirits as we approach the start of the new academic year. It is my pleasure to welcome you back to Pillager High School for the 2023-24 school year. We are eagerly anticipating the first day of school on Tuesday, September 5th.

To kick off the school year on a strong note, we will be hosting a special event for our incoming 9th-grade students and new students. The 9th Grade and New Student Orientation will take place on August 23rd at 5:30 PM in the CTC Center. This orientation is designed to help students acclimate to their new environment and get a head start on their high school journey.

I am thrilled to inform you that the upcoming year promises to be a fantastic one for both our staff and students at Pillager High School. We have been working diligently over the summer to ensure a positive and productive learning environment. Our dedicated teachers and support staff are ready to provide you with the tools, guidance, and support needed to excel academically and personally.

As we approach the first day of school, I encourage you to make the most of the remaining days and weeks of summer. Take the time to relax, recharge, and engage in activities that bring you joy. However, also keep in mind that an outstanding start to the school year requires some preparation. Please set goals, gather necessary supplies, and mentally prepare yourselves to hit the ground running when classes commence.

One exciting event to look forward to is our Homecoming celebration at Pillager High School. The week of September 18th-22nd will be filled with various activities and festivities, culminating in a football game against Staples-Motley High School. It's a fantastic opportunity to come together as a school community and showcase our Husky PRIDE!

We will be sharing updates through our school website, Facebook, and other communication platforms, which is a great reminder to update your contact email and phone number with the school.

I am genuinely excited to begin this new chapter with each and every one of you. Let's make the 2023-24 academic year at Pillager High School a memorable one filled with growth, success, and endless possibilities. Together, we will achieve greatness! Wishing you all a wonderful end to your summer break and a fantastic start to the school year.

Sincerely,
Jason Savage
Pillager High School Principal
#PULLTHESLED

ALC (Alternative Learning Center)

ALC through Freshwater Education District will be offered after school at the Pillager High School. This is for students who are behind credits and need to make them up in order to graduate.

Classes will be held on Tuesdays after school depending on student scheduling needs. Students already enrolled should attend on Tuesday, September 5 at 3:15 p.m. in room 521.

If you have any questions regarding ALC you may contact :
Ann Hutchison at ahutch@isd116.org
Sue Turner at (218)746-2116 or sturner@isd116.org.

District Leadership Team Seeks Parent Representatives


The Pillager School District is seeking parent representatives to serve on the District Leadership Team. This team meets three times per year to seek input on presentations from District leaders on District data, newly offered programming, District goals for the World's Best Workforce document, curriculum resources, and other district programs. Members provide feedback and questions on those presentations.

If you are interested, please contact Ryan Krominga at rkrominga@isd116.org or (218)746-2103.



Watch Facebook and isd116.org for more details as they become available!

Pillager School Homecoming

Monday, 9/18	Tuesday, 9/19	Wednesday, 9/20	Thursday, 9/21	Friday, 9/22	Saturday, 9/23
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Volleyball vs Browerville - JV Football vs Crosby-Ironton 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pepfest and meet the candidates - Coronation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Volleyball vs Verndale (away) - CC Meet at Madden's 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Homecoming parade 2pm - MS Dance 4-6 p.m. - Football vs Staples 7 p.m. - HS Dance 9-11 p.m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Homecoming 5k 8 a.m. Pillager School

HUSKY GEAR

Husky Gear

If you are looking for School Spirit clothing, check in the High School office. Online sales will be made throughout the year as well. Please visit the Booster Club Facebook page to order.
www.pillagerboosterclub.com

#HUSKYPRIDE

WORK WORLD

EXPERIENCES

at Pillager High School

Pillager High School offers a work experience program for high school students. This program supports students in high school completion and assists in their enthusiasm to join the work world.

Students participate in a paid position with academic and career related skills being instilled through training and supervision. Progress reviews are scheduled with mentors in the workforce.

Interested students or employers can contact Ann Hutchison at ahutchison@isd116.org for further information.



Penmac

EDUCATION STAFFING



Now hiring Custodians & Educational Assistants

Custodian day shift and evening shifts available. Starting pay \$14.00 per hour. More for experience.

Educational Assistants for the 2023 school year! Starting wages \$14.00 to \$20+ per hour, based on previous experience and education.

Please contact Penmac Staffing in Brainerd at (218) 824-9675 or www.penmac.com Must pass an extensive background check.

Educational Assistant candidates with an AA Degree or have completed paraprofessional testing are preferred.

You can see complete information on all employment options on the school website at www.isd116.org/employment.



Middle School Principal, Wade Mortenson

Hello! Here we are again, very close to another school year getting started. Each year it feels like the summer goes by faster and faster! The school was a busy place as soon as the last school year ended. We were able to offer a comprehensive summer school program with a focus on academics and other enrichment activities. This program was well attended during the month of June. Many students were able to take advantage of this opportunity.

A lot of planning and preparation has taken place this past spring and this summer to make sure we get off to a great start for 2023-2024 and to provide our students and staff with multiple opportunities to be successful. We addressed some specific areas we feel will benefit our students. This school year we will be implementing a new teaming approach for our 5th and 6th grade levels. This will allow us to provide a more efficient transition for students coming from the elementary school. You will also see many of our students involved in some service learning projects to give back to the community (#operationgiveback).

As a staff, we feel very confident and prepared for the upcoming school year. Since our staff consists of lifelong learners, many meetings and conferences were attended this summer to enhance our skills in order to better provide for our students. We are also very excited to welcome some new faces to the MS team! This spring/summer we were very fortunate to add some very qualified and energetic individuals to the MS staff. They are ready to start building positive relationships with our students.

As you page through this newsletter, please make sure to read about our Middle School Transition Open House for all incoming 5th graders, and all new to the district 6th-8th graders being held on August 23rd. This will be in addition to the building-wide open house on August 30th. Last year this transition night was a huge success! It was great to see all of the excited faces enter the building ready for school to start.

I look forward to seeing our students in the classrooms and hallways this fall. I am confident it will be another successful school year. We have created a culture in this building where it is imperative positive connections are made each day with our students and staff. I assure you this will continue. As always, I welcome any questions you may have, please give me a call or shoot me an email.

Thank you!!
#pullthesled

Wade Mortenson

Middle School Transition Open House

August 23rd - 6:30-8:00:

Once again, this year we would like to provide a transitional open house for all of our incoming 5th grade students, and all NEW to the district students grades 6th-8th. This evening we will be able to provide students a chance to tour the school, meet staff members, experience a mock daily schedule, dive into Schoology, discuss procedures and expectations, possibly distribute Chromebooks, and simply get acquainted with the Middle School. Look forward to seeing you on the 23rd of August!!!

HUSKY PRIDE TIME

All 7th and 8th grade students will have the opportunity to participate in a PRIDE TIME each day this school year. An additional focus for the 2023-2024 school will be a service learning component where students will be giving back to the community (#operationgiveback).

During PRIDE TIME, students will be involved with character education lessons related to a variety of topics. This will also be the time for students to complete missing work and/or retake assessments.

PRIDE TIME will also provide students with other opportunities such as math and reading interventions, classroom enrichment, mentoring other students, Math Masters preparation, Science Fair project time, etc. The flexibility of PRIDE TIME will allow us to meet the specific needs of our students more efficiently.



The Husky Hangout

An "After School Targeted Services Academic Enrichment Program" through the Freshwater Education District is available to students In Grades 5-8. The program is based on a minimum enrollment of 11 students.

WHO: THE HUSKY HANGOUT is available to any Pillager student in grades 5-8 who wishes to take advantage of after school academic support and enrichment activities during the school year.

WHAT: Each two-hour session consists of:

- One Hour of Homework Help and/or Academic Enrichment Activities. The lead teacher in collaboration with course teachers to help students complete homework assignments. If a student does not have assignments to complete they will receive supplemental math, reading, study skills instruction.
- 30-45 Minute-long Learning Activity Students will participate in a hands-on learning enrichment activity each week. Activity examples include: cooking, service-learning project, craft/art project, science experiments, community education classes, etc.
- 15-25 Minute-long Physical or Growth Mindset Activity

WHEN: Every Tuesday and Thursday: 3:15- 5:15 p.m. Starting early to mid October. Students may join at any time, however, sign-up forms are required.

WHERE: Pillager Middle School, TBD

WHY: Students can benefit from additional academic support while also developing improved social, study, and communication skills.

HOW: Parents and teachers who are interested in referring a child to THE HUSKY HANGOUT should contact the Middle School Office.

INTRODUCING!

5th & 6th Grade School within a School

Pillager Middle School is implementing a 5th and 6th grade school within a school

Highlights of the Program

- Ease the transition to middle school
- Provide additional time for math and english classes
- Embed interventions
- Support the social-emotional needs of our children
- Reduced number of teachers for each student

Sample Schedules

5th Grade Schedule

1. Core Class (Math)
2. Core Class (English)
3. Exploratory 5 / PE (Every other day)
4. Core Class (Social Studies)
5. Skinny (Math / ELA = 25 Minutes each)
6. Core Class (Science)
7. 4 Exploratory Courses
 - Health
 - Intro to Singing
 - Intro to Instruments
 - PE 5

6th Grade Schedule

1. Core Class (Math)
2. Core Class (English)
3. Core Class (Science)
4. Skinny (Math / ELA = 25 Minutes each)
5. Band/Choir or Arts 6 / AVID 6
6. Core Class (Social Studies)
7. Engineering / PE (Every other day)

Dream Catcher's Improv and Drama Camp

Presented by Pillsbury Players

\$50 with scholarships available

Registration URL:

<https://forms.gle/aQekhhqSiSXNtAyYA>

August
7th-11th
2023

8:00am-12pm

for ages 8-12

12:30pm-4:30pm

for ages 12-18

6:30 performance for both groups on
Friday, August 11th



Elementary Principal, Josh Smith

Welcome back to a new year at Pillager Elementary School! I hope this newsletter finds you excited and ready for a year of growth, learning, and new opportunities. As the principal of Pillager Elementary, I look forward to this journey with each one of you. First, I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new students, staff, and their families. We are happy to have you join our school community and look forward to getting to know you better. For returning students and families, welcome back!

At Pillager Elementary, we aim to foster an inclusive and supportive environment where every student can grow academically, socially, and emotionally. Our staff is committed to providing a high-quality education that promotes critical thinking, creativity, collaboration, and a love of learning. We believe in the potential of each student and are here to inspire them to reach their fullest potential.

Communication and partnership between school and home are essential for success! We value your input, support, and involvement in your child's education. This partnership will include opportunities to stay engaged through newsletters, emails, parent-teacher conferences, and our school website. We encourage you to stay informed about your child's progress and to reach out to us with any questions, concerns, or ideas you may have.

I am honored to serve as the principal of Pillager Elementary School and I am excited about the upcoming year. Together, we can embrace the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead and make this year one of growth and success for all of our students. I look forward to meeting and working with each of you in the coming weeks and months.

Josh Smith, Principal

Assessments

Academic progress toward grade-level standards in Kindergarten through 4th grade is monitored in a number of ways. An assessment tool that will be used is Star360. STAR assessments are computer-adaptive tests. Computer-adaptive tests continually adjust the difficulty of each child's test by choosing each test question based on the child's previous response. On average, students will complete the STAR tests in approximately 20-30 minutes.

Students will also be assessed throughout the school year using Jan Richardson's "Next Steps in Guided Reading" framework. These assessments will be given by classroom teachers and our Title I staff.

The results of these assessments, Star360 and guided reading, will be used to guide instruction and interventions.

Catalyst

Catalyst is a systematic approach of using non-verbal skills to manage students with influence rather than power. Seven patterns of non-verbal skills have been identified in teachers who have excellent classroom management. Teachers who systematically utilize the full range of non-verbal management skills are able to reinforce consistent and fair parameters while preserving their relationships with each student, regardless of unique learning styles or cultural backgrounds.

New Faces and New Places

You are likely to notice new faces at Pillager Elementary School this year. We are excited to welcome these individuals and we are certainly excited to see the positive impact each of them brings to the students, faculty, and community of Pillager!

Ava Koep, Early Childhood Special Education
Elaina Fritz, Special Education
Kirsten Sundquist, First Grade
Alice Marcy, Second Grade
Kami Berg, Third Grade
Robbie Petersen, Third Grade
Nick Bunio, Music



Pillager Elementary School 2023-2024 Supply List

Early Childhood

1 pencil bag	1 change of clothes (left at school)	<u>Tuesday/Thursday class</u>
Scissors	1 large container of disinfectant wipes	1 box of markers (10 pack)
24 pack of crayons	<u>Monday/Wednesday class</u>	6 glue sticks
1 pack of Expo markers	1 bottle of glue	1 box gallon size Ziploc bags
1 2-pocket folder	1 pack colored pencils	
1 standard sized backpack	1 box sandwich Ziploc bags	

Kindergarten

4 boxes of 24 <u>CRAYOLA</u> crayons	1 pkg of 50 CLEAR TOP LOAD sheet protectors	GIRLS - 1 box of QUART size SLIDER bags
1 –2pk (or larger) Elmer's glue sticks	1 White, 1 inch <u>CLEAR VIEW</u> , 3 ring binder	BOYS -1 box of GALLON size SLIDER bags
1– 2 pocket POLY (plastic) 3 prong folder	Backpack (full size)	1 headphones (no earbuds)
1 box of 10 Crayola Classic Colors Markers	1 regular size box of Kleenex	1 small pack of Ticonderoga pencils
1 pack of 4 <u>fine-tip</u> BLACK Expo markers	2 containers of Clorox Wipes	
1 pair of kids' FISKARS scissors (pointed tip)	Pair of gym shoes (to be left at school)	

1st grade

1 package #2 pencils (Ticonderoga)	1 - 1 Inch Avery Clear View Binder	Kleenex
1 box of 24 crayons	1 Package of 50 page protectors	Quart sized Ziploc bags
4 dry erase markers (black only)	3 composition wide ruled notebooks, (no metal spiral, please)	Headphones or earbuds
Pencil Box	Backpack	
2 large pink erasers	Pair of gym shoes (to be left at school)	
Fiskar scissors	Clorox Wipes	
6 Glue sticks		

2nd grade

40 #2 pencils	1 pair of Fiskar scissors	2 pairs of tennis shoes for gym (a pair for indoors and a pair for outdoors)
1 handheld pencil sharpener	Pencil box	1 box of Kleenex
1 package of pencil top erasers	4 dry erase marker to use on white board	1 pkg of disinfecting wipes (Clorox/Lysol)
12 glue sticks	1 Sharpie fine tipped marker	1 pair of headphones for Chrome Book (prefer no earbuds)
1 wide ruled spiral notebook	1 <u>plastic</u> 2 pocket folder with prongs	Optional: baggies: snack sized, sandwich or gallon
1 box of crayons	Old clean sock to use as eraser on white board	
1 box of colored pencils	1 wooden ruler with inches and centimeters	
2 boxes of washable markers	Backpack or tote bag	*Please label items with your name.

3rd grade

30 - #2 pencils (mechanical or wood)	4 dry erase markers for white board
Pencil box	1 personal pencil sharpener (not battery operated)
1 box of colored pencils	1 wide ruled, one subject notebook
1 box of crayons	Gym shoes (to be left at school)
Erasers	1 clean sock to be used as whiteboard eraser
Scissors	Earbuds or headphones
1 pack of glue sticks	Clorox wipes
1 highlighter	1 box snack-sized baggies (last name A-M)
3 plastic two-pocket vinyl folders	1 box sandwich baggies (last name N-Z)



4th grade

(24) #2 pencils (Ticonderoga)	4 Dry Erase Markers	**PLEASE	1 Pair of scissors– pointed tip
Earbuds or headset for Chromebooks	Dry Erase Eraser or Clean Sock	MARK EACH	Inside gym shoes (to be left at school)
1 box of Colored pencils (12)	1 Elmer's Glue stick or bottle	ITEM WITH	Backpack (needs to fit in locker)
Pencil box or pouch	1 Standard Calculator	CHILD'S	Optional: mouse for Chromebook
Washable markers	2 notebooks	NAME	
Highlighter marker	2 boxes of Kleenex		
Clorox disinfecting wipes	4 plastic, two-pocket/3	Special request for Mrs. Klimek's, Ms. Watzke's and Ms. Thompson's Homeroom	
2 Blue OR Red Ink Pens	prong folders (no binders)	only: 1 composition notebook	

SPECIAL EDUCATION– Students receiving these services

Please give these items to your child's case manager. The following are in addition to the grade level supply requests.	3 boxes of Kleenex
	2 packs of whiteboard markers
	2 package of pencils

Fall Fun Fest

The Elementary Student Council would like to invite you to:
Fun Fest
Friday, October 27
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.



There will be games, food and more! This is a family event held in the Elementary Gym...all are welcome. Children are welcome to dress up in Halloween costumes!

No masks allowed. If you are interested in having a booth, contact the elementary office at (218) 746-2111.

Open to School Readiness to 4th Grade students and families.



October 27 - November 2

A large display is set up in the Media Center during "Scholastic Book Fair" week. Students are able to look through the hundreds of books available during library time.

The display is also open during Fun Fest on Friday night so parents can help their children pick a book.

All proceeds from sales are used to purchase library items.

ELEMENTARY PARENTS

Did you know we have a Parent Portal?



OR

Open your web browser and visit
bit.ly/pillagerportal

then, save it to your phone.

With the website open ...

iOS

- Tap upload
- Choose "Add to Homescreen"
- Tap Add

Android

- Tap 3 dot menu
- Choose "Add to Homescreen"
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PILLAGER
Elementary



The Pillager PTO is back! We are looking for new members to help support our elementary students, teachers & staff. Keep an eye out for updates on our Facebook page.



**TITLE I
SCHOOL**

Title I is a federal grant for schools that helps support students who need additional help. Our Title I funds are used to help reduce the number of reading groups, class sizes, etc.

Title teachers, as well as all teachers at Pillager are highly trained, licensed and working in their area of expertise.

We invite parents and community members to be involved with Title I. If you would like to help review and write grants or be involved in the planning of Title I or Title IIA, please contact our Local Educational Agency (LEA) Mr. Josh Smith or our Title I teacher, Mrs. Wendy Hall.

We encourage parents to be involved in their child's education here at Pillager Elementary School. All students in Pillager Elementary are able to receive services under the School Wide Title I Plan. We use data from our testing to determine strengths and needs of our students.

We want all parents to be aware of the many opportunities to be on school committees. This includes a Title I committee. The Title I committee will annually review the "Ten Elements" of school-wide planning as they work on the Title I plan.

The district-wide Parental Involvement Policy procedures have been developed jointly with parents of children participating in Title I programs. The school will distribute this policy to all parents of students participating in Title I, Part A on or before September 20 of the present school year.

If you have any questions concerning Title I, please feel free to see the LEA for Title I, Mr. Smith at (218)746-2110.

2023-2024 PILLAGER SCHOOL DISTRICT CALENDAR

BOARD APPROVED
02/27/2023

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First Day of School for Students: September 5
Last Day of School for Students: May 31

1st Semester: 85 days 2nd Semester: 84 days

Total Instructional Days = 169 Days

HOLIDAYS

Independence Day	July 4
Labor Day	September 4
Thanksgiving Break	November 23-24
Winter Break	December 25 - January 2
Presidents Day	February 19
Good Friday	March 29
Memorial Day	May 27

OPEN HOUSE

August 30	4:30pm - 7:00pm
August 23 (5th)	5:30pm - 7:00pm

NEW TEACHER ORIENTATION

August 21

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS (No School for Students)

August 28-31	October 23, 30	
November 3 (7:30-11:30am)	January 22, 26	April 1

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

October 30	MS/HS 1:00pm - 4:00pm Elementary 12:00pm - 7:00pm
November 2	4:00pm - 7:00pm
January 23, 25	4:00pm - 7:30pm

POSSIBLE SNOW MAKEUP DAY (If Necessary)

January 26	February 16	March 13
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SCHOOLS

PHONE

Early Childhood Center	218-746-3075
Pillager Elementary School	218-746-2111
Pillager Middle School	218-746-2112
Pillager High School	218-746-2113
Pillager District Office	218-746-3772

COMMENCEMENT MAY 24

KEY

- Regular Monthly Board Meetings 6:00pm
- Holiday or (No School)
- MEA Break for Students & Employees on 184-Day Contracts
- Semester Start/Stop Days
- Staff Development Day No School
- New Teacher Orientation
- Early Release Day 1:00pm

Check out our menus!

DAILY BREAKFAST AND LUNCH MENUS

You can easily view information about what is on our menu each day. You can see an image and description for food items, as well as nutrition information.

Please check daily for food choices as they may change!



Menus above represent sample menus and not actual menu items.

To download the app
search for "Nutrislice" on
Google Play or the App Store



See menus at:
pillager.nutrislice.com
or download the app

LUNCH ANNOUNCEMENT FOR 2023-24

BREAKFAST AND LUNCH IS FREE!



Even with breakfast and lunch free to students, it is more important than ever for every family to complete the "Application for Educational Benefits" form that will be mailed to your home in August. The application helps fund many of our programs, including technology.

The value to our school is:

Completing the form supports our technology, including repairs. *This year there will **not** be a \$25 insurance. Regardless of qualifying, the first repair to a student's chromebook will be covered by the district's plan for families that complete the Application for benefits form.*

- *Completing the form generates funding to retain small class sizes
- *Completing the form generates funding for basic skills training, core classes including math, reading and science.
- *Completing the form supports better pricing for resources such as our school website, internet access, and other technical resources based on the economic condition of Pillager
- *Completing the form generates funding for Title I intervention programs
- *Completing the form gives access to additional grant money available for other programs.

Help support our community by doing your part! Please take the time to complete and return the form. Your information is confidential. Your papers are shredded when they are no longer needed.



Our transportation services are handled by Fornshell Bus Service.

fornshellbus@isd116.org
(218) 746-3770

Online info: School Website
Use "services" tab on top of home page

Transportation Information

Parents, please call the bus garage by 7:00 a.m. if your child/children will not be riding the bus for the day. **This will help the buses stay on schedule!**

Fornshell Bus Service will be in the Media Center for Open House, September 1 from 4:30-7:00 p.m. to answer any questions regarding school bus transportation.

Special note: Students are allowed only ONE designated bus stop in the morning and ONE designated bus stop in the afternoon. These stops must be registered through Fornshell Bus and Pillager School.

Transportation information forms were due in July.

No bussing is guaranteed without a completed bus form. Please complete the Transportation form located on the School District Website as soon as possible:
www.isd116.org/departments/transportation.

Bus Safety on the roads:

- Parents and district residents need to understand state laws in regards to school buses.
- When school is in session, buses will be stopping on all forms of roads: state highways, county roads, city streets and township roads. When buses stop, it means that a child is being picked up or dropped off. Red flashing lights mean that you must stop. It is illegal to pass a bus on either side while meeting or following the bus when the red lights are flashing.

Bus Safety at school:

We also ask that you follow the bus safety in the area around the school building.

- The one way streets and driving restrictions have been developed for the safety of kids. The parking lot on the south side of the school is a one way parking lot. Please enter from the east end only and exit from the west end only. This helps the flow of traffic off of East Second St. as it is one way. Each student in kindergarten through grade ten receives bus safety training every year. All students take a written and practice test.
- As adult drivers, please be good examples. Thank you for your help in making school a safer place for kids.**

ACCESS TO STUDENT INFORMATION

Please stay connected to your student's progress and lunch account information by accessing this information online. You can get to this information from the school website through the link on the left side of the home page OR — through the web address below.

Parents

Click here

<https://pillager.onlinejmc.com>

Students

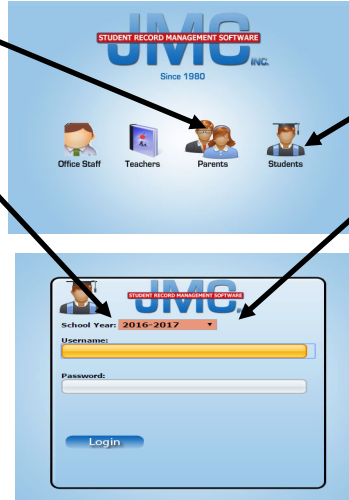
Click here

Make sure you have the correct SCHOOL YEAR

User name: parent's last name in lowercase letters

Enter your password. (If you do not remember your password, please speak to a secretary to access it.)

After you click "login" you may look at your child's absences, tardies, report card, progress report and lunch account info. You may also update your address, phone, or email.



Make sure you have the correct SCHOOL YEAR

User name; Last two digits of your graduating year, first initial of first name, last name.
Ex: 17jdoe

Password: Lunch number, first initial of first name last name. Ex: 1234jdoe

After you click "login" you may look at your absences, tardies, report card, progress report and lunch account info. (Online registration is not available at this time.)

Before and After School

Parents, please note that students should not be in the school building before 8:05 a.m. Please know that they will be asked to leave the school to either go outside or home.

The school is closed to all children after school unless they are in a supervised after-school activity or enrolled in "Fun Stop."

School Pictures

Wednesday, September 13 (K-4)
Thursday, September 14 (5-12)

ATTENTION SENIORS: Senior pictures are due October 10 (this includes senior portrait for yearbook, baby picture, and any pictures they would like to use for the senior slideshow).

JMC Alert System

Pillager School uses a recorded alert system to notify families of special school events, school closings, or emergencies. The numbers and email addresses are from the contact information that you have provided to the District Office.

If you are not getting these messages, or would like other phone numbers or email addresses used, please call the District Office to update your file.

Pillager School YouTube Channel

Pillager's YouTube channel for the school district will serve as a central location where we can offer live-streaming and manage school related events.

Please visit: <https://www.youtube.com/c/PillagerSchoolDistrict> and click on the **SUBSCRIBE** button.



ATHLETICS

See a full schedule of all athletic events and practices on the school website. The "calendar" tab links to the school calendar program that is updated regularly.

Fall Coach Line-up

Football: Paul Clark

I am extremely excited to be begin another year of football here in Pillager Husky Nation! This will be my 25th year coaching, and I am extremely motivated for the upcoming season. Our goal this year will be to improve from last year, compete every day, and put a team on the field that makes the school and community proud.



Assistants: Ben Horn, Eric Fornshell, Patrick Cox, and Chris Kappler.

Volleyball: Lonnie Stokes

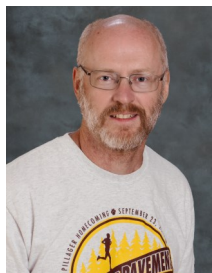
Lonnie Stokes is the new head volleyball coach at Pillager. He was previously involved with our volleyball program and brings almost 7 years of coaching experience along with 25 years of playing experience in various leagues and tournaments including USVBA to the coaching position.



Assistant: Angela Hupf.

Cross Country: Terry Hollingsworth

Terry Hollingsworth is no stranger to Pillager, having coached here in several different positions since 1992. He has helped with Cross Country since its inception in 2001 and became head coach in 2005. Terry expects another great year building on last year!



Assistant: Kelly Savage.

HOME CROSS COUNTRY MEET

SEPTEMBER 21
Pine Beach West Golf Course at Maddens

3:45 p.m. Open to any elementary students and/or family runners.
This will include our Youth Sports team of 2nd-5th graders.
4:00 p.m. Jr. High Girls, Jr. High Boys, Varsity Girls, Varsity Boys.

The girls run 4000 meters (2 1/2 miles) and the boys run 5000 meters (3.1 miles). Most of the conference schools are coming to run with us.

Start-up date and times for Fall Sports

August 14
9-12 grade football
9-12 grade volleyball
6-12 grade cross country
August 21
JH football
JH volleyball
August 22
5/6 football equipment day
August 29
5/6 volleyball
September 5
4/5 cross country
September 6
2/3 cross country
3/4 volleyball
September 7
Grades 3/4 football (FLAG)
September 11
5/6 Razzle Dazzle Football

Parent and Senior Night Football & Volleyball

Football

Parent's Night - September 15
Senior Night - October 13

Volleyball

Parent's Night - September 28
Senior Night - October 12



Check out the Pillager Huskies Booster Club on Facebook and their website!
pillagerboosterclub.com

Follow Huskies Sports
All Year Long on CASH 95



To listen to the Huskies go to
R&Jbroadcasting.com
Noah Caruso Coach's Show Final Whistle
4:00 - 5:00 pm

14th Annual



- Open to everyone!
- \$20 includes a t-shirt.
- Pre-register if possible by Sept. 8 to guarantee shirt size. Limited shirts availability on race day. \$30 after Sept. 8
- Call (218)838-1185 for more info.
- Registrations forms on the school website.

Saturday, September 23
Check-in: 7:00 a.m.
Race/Walk Start: 8:00 a.m.

Activities Director, Matthew Moen



Welcome back!

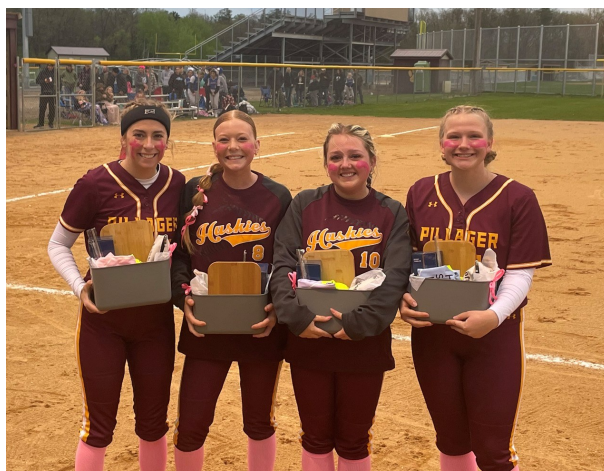
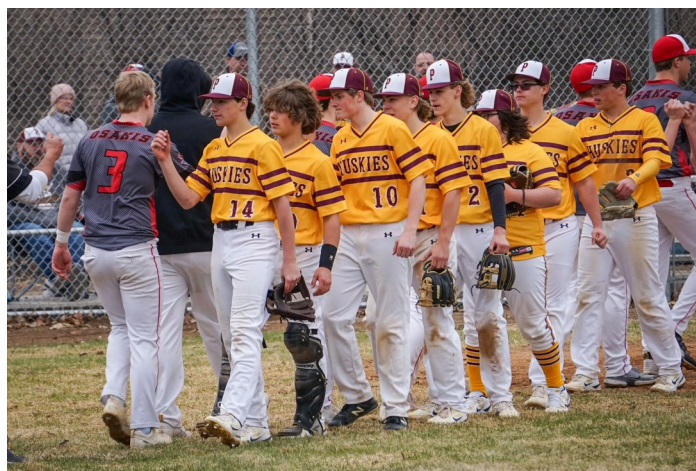
I am excited to begin another school year and with that we also begin the 2023-24 extra-curricular activities schedule! We are excited to be nearing the completion of the athletic complex this summer, we have new football bleachers, and LED lights on the field, the baseball field and softball fields were given upgrades and updates, we added walking paths, updated the signage around the facility and are excited to show off the finished product! This will give us some of the nicest facilities for our student athletes to use for many years to come. We are also beginning a partnership with Training Haus to be able to provide a strength coach, Coleman Larson, who will be working with all of our student athletes throughout the school year in the weight room.

We are looking forward to a fun fall sports season, we return many underclassmen to our football team, our cross country team returns many letterwinners from last season's successful team, and our volleyball team is returning many as well and are looking to have a successful season on the court. We are also continuing our co-op opportunities with Little Falls Schools, and are grateful to provide these extra opportunities to our students. All of our schedules for all junior high through varsity teams can be found online so be sure to make it to a game, or meet this fall.

We are also looking to continue our Husky Leadership Council with our student athletes so they can become better leaders not only on the field but in the classroom and community as well. We want all of our student athletes to show Husky pride in all that they do.

We have many exciting extra curricular opportunities throughout the school year, and we are always looking for people to help out as event workers, officials, etc. If you are interested in any of these opportunities please contact me. Thanks for your continued support of Pillager schools and go Huskies!

Matthew Moen
Pillager Activities Director



Baseball Awards

MVP: Kaden Imdieke

Cy Young: Eli Miller

Husky Award: Conner Hanson

Gold Glove: Conner Hanson

JV Player of the Year: Danny Heldman

Most Improved: Grant Grimsley & Lucas Hoglin

2024 Team Captains: Eli Miller, Conner Hanson, and Kaden Imdieke

All Conference: Eli Miller & Kaden Imdieke

All 6AA Section: Eli Miller

Softball Awards

MVP: Briana Blais

Defensive Player of the Year: Aidyn Schuett

Offensive Player of the Year: Lauren Anderson

Batting Leaders: Sam Berent and Claire Hardy

Most Improved: Kalyn Karppinen and Maddie Wright

Husky Awards: Kaylee Mudgett, Claire Hardy and Hunter Woidyla

PILLAGER HUSKIES CLAY TARGET TEAM UPDATE



Trap — Pillager finished 3rd in Conference with a total of 12,377.50 points and 28 participating athletes. Three athletes placed in the top 100 out of 11,289 athletes.

Andy Grell placed 27th in the State for the Season Standings and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#1 in 3A Conference 2 with 24.2 season average.

Shot 98/100 at the State Invitational top 100 and finished 13th overall.

Alexis Seeley tied for 94th in the State for the Season Standings and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#2 Female in 3A Conference 2 with a 23.7 season average.

Shot 95/100 at the State Invitational top 100 and finished 12th Female overall.

Ryan Beach tied for 94th in the State for the Season Standings and made ALL STATE TEAM!

Shot 95/100 at the State Invitation top 100 and finished 53rd overall.

Our season had many additional highlights that include 5 - 50 straights and 17 - 25 straights. Our Team scored 471 points at the MN State Championship. We missed the top 40 team cutoff to advance by 5 targets and placed 12th in Conference for the Championship.

Skeet — Pillager finished 2nd in the Conference with a total of 1099 points and 8 participating athletes.

Two athletes finished in the top 25 out of 415 athletes.

Andy Grell Placed 1st in the State High Gun Overall for the Season and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#1 in 1A Conference 3 with 24.5 average.

Allie Tryggeseth was #1 Female in 1A Conference 2 with a 22.5 average.

Allie took the podium as #1 Female shooter at the Championship in Prior Lake!

Our season also included 2 – 50 straights and 3 – 25 straights. Our team scored 421/500 at the MN State Championship, placing 4th overall.

Five Stand — Pillager finished 1st in the Conference with 565 points and 5 participating athletes. Two athletes finished in the top 5 out of 98 participating athletes.

Andy Grell placed 1st in the State for the Season and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#1 in 1A Conference 1 with a season average of 23.9.

Shot 85/100 at the MN State Championship and placed 3rd in the State.

Mason Dixon placed 2nd in the State for the season and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#2 In 1A Conference 1 with a season average of 21.8.

Allie Tryggeseth shot 64/100 at the MN State Championship and placed #3 Female in the state.

Our Season included 4 – 25 straights! Our team scored 352/100 and placed 4th at the MN State Championship overall.

Sporting Clays — Pillager finished 1st in the conference with 611 points and 9 participating athletes.

One athlete finished in the top 5 out of 187 participating athletes.

Andy Grell placed 1st in the State for the season and made ALL STATE TEAM!

#1 in 1A Conference 1 with a season average of 48.4.

Shot 88/100 at the MN State Championship and placed 1st in the State. High Gun Overall.

Allie Tryggeseth placed #1 female in 1A Conference 1 with a season average of 39.

Shot 71/100 at the MN State Championship and placed #2 Female in the State.

Our Season included 2 – 50 straights! Our Team scored 379/100 and placed 3rd at the MN State Championship overall.

Andy Grell was the first athlete in the USA Clay Target League History to earn ALL STATE TEAM in all four disciplines.

National Championship – Mason, Michigan

Pillager had 10 registered individuals that competed against the best 2500 individuals in the country and we have two squads of five competing against the top 400 teams in the country. Alexis Seeley and Mason Dixon advanced to the final round where Alexis ran 100 straight targets! She finished as 2nd Female in the country and in the top 19 individuals in the nation! Alexis Seeley was the first athlete from Pillager to earn a spot on the NATIONAL PODIUM!

COMMUNITY ED & YOUTH SPORTS

ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.isd116.org

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPEN

On our school webpage click "Community Ed" at the top and Youth Sports can be found on that page along with a registration link.

Pillager Youth Sports is now a part of the Athletic department. Registration fees will be a part of the same family max as the high school (\$350 per family per year).

The Head Coach of each Youth Sport will be a part of the school-wide coaching staff and chosen by the Varsity coach of each sport. Parents are invited to join as volunteer assistant coaches.

All Pillager students get free entrance to all school athletics and activities FREE again this year.

FALL 2023 YOUTH SPORTS

Cross-Country

2nd-3rd grade- \$50

- Mondays, Wednesdays 3:15-4:15
- Season: September 6-October 11
- Meet in HS commons

4th-5th grade- \$50

- Tuesdays, Thursdays 3:15-4:30
- Season: September 5-October 12
- Meet in HS commons

Volleyball

3rd-4th grade- \$50

- Mondays, 6:00-7:30 & Thursdays 5:00-6:15
- Meet in the elementary gym
- Practice most Saturdays (some travel)
- Sat practice-Elm. gym 9:00-10:15 am
- Season: September 6-October 11

5th-6th grade - \$50

- Tuesdays, 6:00-7:30 & Thursdays 6:15-7:30
- Meet in the elementary gym
- Practice most Saturdays (some travel)
- Sat practice-Elm. gym 10:15-11:30 am
- Season: August 29-October 12, no practice August 31

Football

3rd-4th grade FLAG Football - \$50

- Tuesdays and Thursdays 6:00-7:15
- Meet on the Varsity softball field in front.
- Saturday morning games
- Games TBD
- Season: September 7-October 12

5th-6th grade TACKLE Football - \$50

- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 6:00-7:30
- August 22- August 30
- Tuesday, Thursday 6:00-7:30
- Sept 5- Oct 12
- Meet on the Varsity baseball field in back.
- Saturday morning games
- Games TBD
- Equipment on first day (Aug 22)

5th-6th grade RAZZLE DAZZLE Football - \$20

- Monday ONLY 6:00-7:00
- Meet on the Varsity softball field in back.
- Season: September 11-October 9

**SUPPORT
OUR KIDS
BY
ATTENDING
EVENTS
THIS YEAR.**



HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMP AUGUST 28 and 29 6pm - 7pm Grades K-4 (Fall 2023)

Come and join the PHS coaches and players to sharpen your football skills. HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMP will run on Monday, August 28 and Tuesday, August 29 from 6pm to 7:00pm. We will meet at the varsity practice fields. During this NON-CONTACT FLAG FOOTBALL experience, the players will warm up, spend some time working on basic football fundamentals, and playing flag football. Each player will receive a football camp gift for participating.

The participation fee is \$20. Proceeds from the camp go directly back to our football program. We will take registrations up to and during camp, we want you there!

Please detach the below registration form and return it along with the HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL fee before the last day of school!

If you have any questions, please contact Coach Clark at 218-242-2125 or (pclark@isd116.org).

Application & Registration Form for 2023 HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMP
PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____ Age / Grade (Present): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ Daytime Phone: (_____) _____

Please note any medical condition we should be aware of: _____

I understand the HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL coaches will not be held responsible for injuries or loss of property while the above student is attending. I do hereby release the State of Minnesota, Pillager School District, and the HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL coaches from all liability, including claims and suits in law or equity for any injury, fatal or otherwise. The signature below absolves the HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL staff of all responsibility for loss of personal property. Furthermore, I realize the risks involved to the student. I will pay, or cover through my insurance, any medical or hospital expenses, doctor bills, or other expenses which could be incurred as result of treatment given to the above named student for illness or injury while attending or subsequent to attending HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL. I hereby authorize the staff of HUSKY PUP SUMMER FOOTBALL to act for me according to their best judgment in any emergency requiring medical attention.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Name of Insurance: _____ Policy No: _____

Checks Payable to: Pillager Football Camps
Mailing Address: 323 E. 2nd Street South, Pillager, MN 56473
COME HAVE FUN AND LEARN ABOUT FOOTBALL!

Future Husky Youth Football Camp August 15 and 17, 2023 Grades 5-8 (Fall 2023)

Come and join the PHS coaches and HS players to sharpen your football skills. This year's camp will run on Tuesday, August 15 and Thursday, August 17 from 7pm to 8:30pm. We will meet at the varsity practice field. During this LIMITED-CONTACT camp, campers will be able to learn basic football fundamentals in all three areas of the game (offense, defense, and special teams). We will also spend some time working basic football schemes and playing fun football related games.

The camp fee is \$20.

Proceeds from the camp go directly back to our football program. We will take registrations up to and during camp, we want you there!

This will include instruction, camp gift, and a treat.

Please detach the below registration form and return it along with the camp fee!

If you have any questions, please contact Coach Clark at 218-242-2125 or (pclark@isd116.org).

Application & Registration Form for the 2023 Pillager Youth Football Camp

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____ Age / Grade (Fall 2023): _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ Daytime Phone: (_____) _____

Please note any medical condition we should be aware of: _____

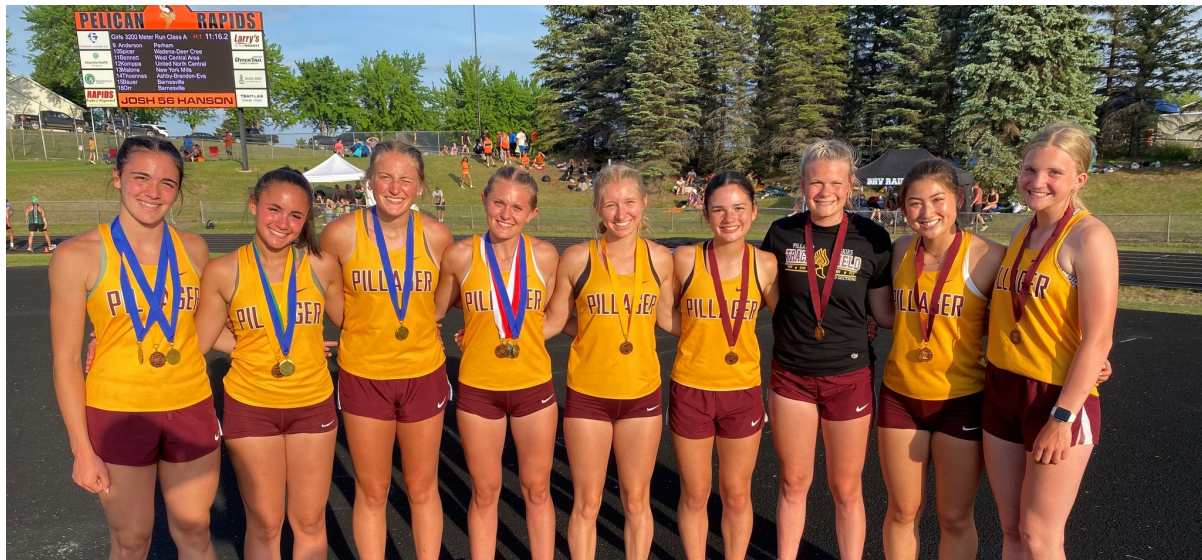
I understand the Pillager Football Camp director and instructors will not be held responsible for injuries or loss of property while the above student is attending the camp. I do hereby release the State of Minnesota, Pillager School District, and the Pillager Football Camp director and instructors from all liability, including claims and suits in law or equity for any injury, fatal or otherwise. The signature below absolves the Pillager Football Camp staff of all responsibility for loss of personal property. Furthermore, I realize the risks involved to the student. I will pay, or cover through my insurance, any medical or hospital expenses, doctor bills, or other expenses which could be incurred as result of treatment given to the above named student for

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Name of Insurance: _____ Policy No: _____

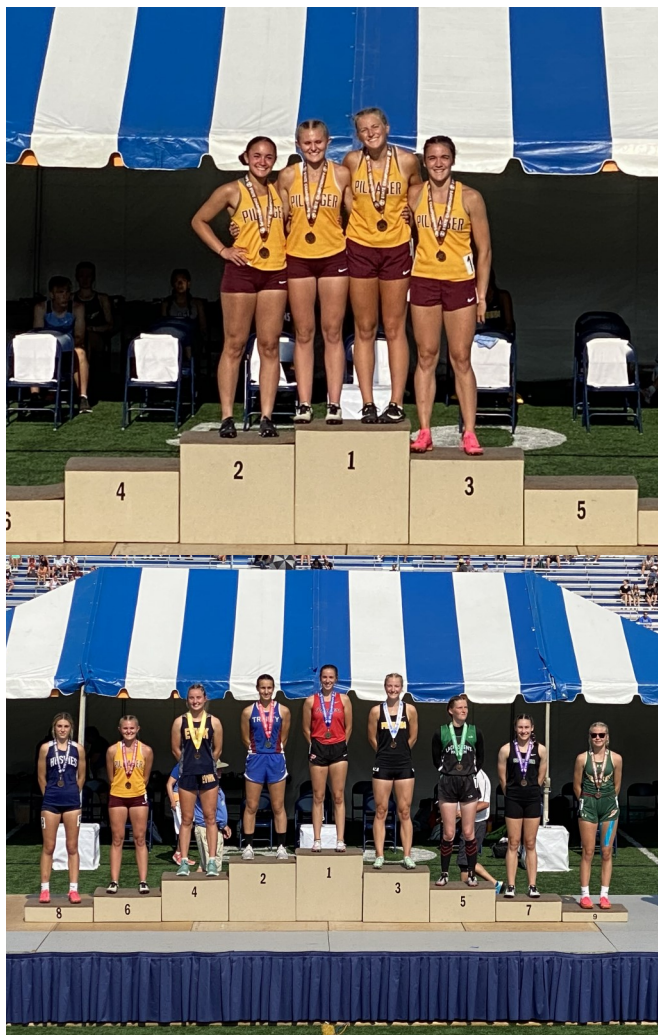
Checks Payable to: Pillager Football Camp
Mailing Address: 323 E. 2nd Street South, Pillager, MN 56473

PILLAGER GIRLS TRACK & FIELD 2023



PILLAGER GIRLS TRACK FIELD RESULTS 2023

The 4x100 not only set the school record but became the first girls relay to earn All-State honors for Pillager ever



Letter Winners

Grace Grimsley
Jessa Kimman
Lillian March
Sienna Houle
Tahlia Craft
Audrey Bock
Emma Reeder
Zoe Adams
Bridget Danielson
Elsie Turner
Ava Swanberg
Katherine Saulsbury
Violette Metz
Alainna Dobson
Gabriella Conkin
Jasmynn Williams
Alivia Brown
Elizabeth Abear
Khloe VanVickle

Park Region All-Conference

Jessa Kimman(100H,300H,4x100,LJ)
Tahlia Craft(PV)
Zoe Adams(4x800)
Grace Grimsley(4x100,100H,TJ,HJ)
Sienna Houle(D)
Elsie Turner(4x800)
Violette Metz(100,300H,4x100)
Alivia Brown(4x100,100,200)
Alainna Dobson(4x800)
Khloe VanVickle(4x800)

Section Qualifiers

Jessa Kimman(4x100-1st,100H-2nd,300H-3rd,LJ-10th)
Grace Grimsley(4x100-1st,100H-9th,TJ,HJ-10th)
Tahlia Craft(PV-4th)
Zoe Adams(4x800-6th)
Elsie Turner(400,4x800-6th)
Violette Metz(100-1st,300H-4th,4x100-1st)
Alainna Dobson(4x800-6th)
Alivia Brown(4x100-1st,100-4th,200-5th)
Khloe VanVickle(4x800-6th)

MVP

Jessa Kimman

Most Valuable Sprinter

Violette Metz

Most Valuable Distance

Emma Reeder

Most Valuable Jumper

Grace Grimsley

Most Valuable Thrower

Sienna Houle

Most Improved

Khloe VanVickle

Husky Award

Lindy Cordes

State Meet Participants

Jessa Kimman(100H-6th,4x100-9th)
Grace Grimsley(4x100-9th)
Violette Metz(100-13th,4x100-9th)
Alivia Brown(4x100-9th)

Academic All-State

Grace Grimsley

Tahlia Craft

Violette Metz

Team Academic All-State

Gold 3.90

2024 Team Captains

Elsie Turner
Lindy Cordes
Bridget Danielson
Violette Metz

Honor Roll Performances/School Records

Jessa Kimman	HR#2	100H-15.49
Violette Metz	HR#2	100-12.83
Violette Metz	HR#4	300H-48.72
Tahlia Craft	HR#5	PV-9'0"
4x100	School Record	50.47

PILLAGER BOYS TRACK & FIELD 2023



PILLAGER BOYS TRACK & FIELD RESULTS 2023

All Conference/All Section 2023

DJ Reynolds: All Conference--4x200M, 200M (HM);
All Section 4x200M

Brayton Kriegl: All Conference-- 4x200M, 200M (HM), 4x400M (HM); All Section 4x200M; All Section 4x400M

Braden Hoffer: All Conference---800M (HM), 4x400M (HM); All Section 4x400M; All Section 4x800M, 800M

Chase Mannie: All Conference-- 4x200M; All Section 4x200M

Dawson Weinhandl: All Conference---400m, 4x200M, 4x400M (HM); All Section 4x400M, 400M

Justin Anderson: All Conference---4x400M (HM); All Section 4x400M

Jakeb Hooge: All Section 4x800M

Tyson Decker: All Section 4x800M

Chris Bock: All Section 4x800M

Zach Macheel: All Conference---Shot Put (HM), Discus (HM)

Asher Scull: All Section Shot Put

Team Awards: Academic All State-Gold

Individual Academic All State: Dawson Weinhandl

Individual Team Awards:

Husky Award: Dawson Weinhandl

MVP Thrower: Asher Scull

MVP Sprints: Dawson Weinhandl

MVP Distance: Braden Hoffer

MVP Jumps: DJ Reynolds



CO-OP SPORTS WITH LITTLE FALLS

Gymnastics Grades 7-12 Register through Athletics (MSHSL)	Dance Team Grades 7-12 Register through Athletics (MSHSL)	Nordic Skiing Grade 6 register through LF Com.Ed Grades 7-12 Register through Athletics (MSHSL)	Wrestling Grade 6 register through LF Com.Ed Grades 7-8 Register through Athletics (MSHSL)	MRR Diving Grades 6-12 MRR Lap Swim --Both of these programs are Club Swimming. --Register through LF Community Education
Fees: Com.Ed fees will be based on Little Falls registration fees (plus transportation fee). MSHSL Co-op and 7/8 wrestling will be our regular activity fees (plus transportation fee). Transportation: Will provide transportation to and from Little Falls for both MSHSL sports and these Com. Ed sports for <u>after school practices!</u> Parents will be responsible for transportation home from games/contests. Contact Information MSHSL Co-op activities & 7/8 wrestling contact Matt Moen (218)746-2115. For all Com. Ed activities contact Matthew Moen (218)746-2115.				

If you are interested in teaching a Community Education Class at Pillager School, please see the form on the school website (on the "Community Ed" tab).

Contact Paul Clark, Community Ed Director & Youth Sports Coordinator
@ pclark@isd116.org with any questions.



BEHIND THE WHEEL REGISTRATION Pillager Community Education

Please choose one of the following sessions to pre-register for Behind the Wheel (BTW). You may register your teen for a session early. But remember a student must be 15 years of age, have their Minnesota permit and have logged 15-20 hours of driving by the **start** of their BTW session. There are limits as to how many students can register for each session, so register early. Notice payment dates for each session.

- ☐ **Fall 2023**
Session runs September, October, November. Payment (\$280*) can be made online via the Community Ed link on the school website. Payment would be due by August 1st.
- ☐ **Winter 2023-24**
Session runs December, January, February. Payment (\$280*) can be made online via the Community Ed link on the school website. Payment would be due by November 1st.
- ☐ **Spring 2024**
Session runs March, April, May. Payment (\$280*) can be made online via the Community Ed link on the school website. Payment would be due by February 1st.
- ☐ **Summer 2024**
Session runs June, July, August. Payment (\$280*) can be made online via the Community Ed link on the school website. Payment would be due by May 1st.

More details will be sent home with students when they are finalized.
kjanicke@isd116.org (218) 746-2071

NHS Blood Drive

October 11th 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Pillager School

Community members, parents, and students interested in donating blood can contact the Red Cross at redcross.org or Ms. Prax at jprax@isd116.org to reserve your donation spot. This event is sponsored by the National Honor Society in conjunction with the American Red Cross.

giveMN.org
Click. Contribute. Change Your World.



The Pillager Family Center is on Facebook! Look for them and become a fan! Keep updated on upcoming events, learn new ideas, read book suggestions and more!

ANNUAL SCHOOL NOTICES

Pesticide Notice

A Minnesota state law requires that schools inform parents and guardians if they apply certain pesticides on school property. State law also requires that you be told that the long-term health effects on children from the application of such pesticides or the class of chemicals to which they belong may not be fully understood.

The Pillager School District does not apply pesticides on school property unless all other measures have failed to control the problem. In the event that insect control sprays and dusts need to be applied, it will only be done when students are absent from the area, and will be out of the area until any spray and any odor has dissipated. If you would like to be notified prior to a chemical application, please contact Tod Pelarski at the District Office.

2023-2024 School Year Asbestos Notification

Pillager Public Schools has a stringent inspection and management program for all asbestos containing building materials. As a matter of policy, the district will maintain a safe and healthful environment for our community's youth and employees.

Every three years, all buildings owned and leased by the district are re-inspected by an EPA accredited inspector for asbestos content. Every six months, all materials containing asbestos are surveyed. Any materials needing repair or removal are done so under our asbestos operation and maintenance program safely and responsibly.

The Pillager School District has a list of locations and types of asbestos containing materials found in our buildings. The last 3 year AHERA was: 7/31/19 and the next due is July of 2023. The last 6 month Asbestos Surveillance was: 3/8/21. A copy of the asbestos management plan is available for review in the district office. Questions related to the plan should be directed to please contact Missy Berry at the District Office.

ANNUAL NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS

2023-2024 Indoor Air Quality Notification

The Pillager School District is proud to be taking a leadership role in providing a safe, comfortable, and productive environment for our students and staff so that we achieve our core mission – educating students. Our school will follow the EPA guidelines to improve our indoor air quality (IAQ) by preventing as many IAQ problems as possible, and by quickly responding to any IAQ problems that may arise.

Good indoor air quality requires an ongoing commitment by everyone in our school because each of us daily makes decisions and performs activities that affect the quality of the air we breathe. Each room in every building will be evaluated for indoor air quality. Teachers, building engineers and administrators will be trained on IAQ factors.

Our IAQ Coordinator, Missy Berry, will follow up on any IAQ problems you may have. Missy has agreed to administer the IAQ Management Plan, which includes taking a team leadership role, coordinating emergency response, and serving as our information resource on IAQ. Missy may be contacted at 746-2102. The school newsletter will carry progress reports as we learn more about indoor air quality in our school.

State law requires that we must notify you annually of rights concerning Student Directory contents and release of information. The following is School Policy 515-24 which reviews your legal rights. "Directory information" means information contained in an education record of a student which would not generally be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed. It includes, but is not limited to: the student's name, address, telephone listing, electronic mail address, photograph, date and place of birth, major field of study, dates of attendance, grade level, enrollment status (i.e. full-time or part-time), weight and height of member of athletic teams, degrees, honors and awards received and the most recent educational agency or institution attended. It also includes the name, address and telephone number of the student's parent(s). Directory information does not include personally identifiable data, which references religion, race, color, social positions or nationality. (NOTE: This definition is intended to enumerate all information, which may be classified as directory information under state and federal law. A school district may choose not to designate some or all of the enumerated information and directory information. This is an important policy decision for the local school board, which must balance student privacy rights against public disclosure.)

A. Contents of Notice

The school district shall give parents of students currently in attendance and eligible students currently in attendance annual notice by such means as are reasonably likely to inform the parents and eligible students of the following:

1. That the parent or eligible student has a right to inspect and review the student's education records and the procedure for inspecting and review the student's education records and the procedure for inspecting and reviewing education records;
2. That the parent or eligible student has a right to seek amendment of the student's education records to ensure that those records are not inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of the student's privacy or other rights and the procedure for requesting amendment of records;
3. That the parent or eligible student has a right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that federal and state law and the regulations promulgated thereunder authorize disclosure without consent;
4. That the parent or eligible student has a right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education regarding an alleged failure by the school district to comply with the requirement of 20 U.S.C. §1232g, and the rules promulgated thereunder;
5. The criteria for determining who constitutes a school official and what constitutes a legitimate educational interest for purposes of disclosing education records to other school officials whom the school district has determined to have legitimate educational interest; and
6. That the school district forwards education records on request to a school in which a student seeks or intends to enroll including suspension and expulsion records pursuant to the federal No Child Left Behind Act and, if applicable, a student's of violent behavior. 515-24

Early Childhood

Early Childhood Screening

The next Early Childhood Screening will be on September 5th, 6th, and 7th. If your child, age three to five, has not gone through an early childhood screening, please call Tracy at (218) 746-3075 to schedule a time to do so. Early Childhood Screening is a state requirement before children can enter School Readiness and/or Kindergarten.



OPEN HOUSE

The School Readiness and Elementary Open House is Wednesday, August 30th from 4:30-7:00 pm. The first day of school for students in Kindergarten through 4th grade is Tuesday, September 5th and the first day of School Readiness is Monday, September 11th.



School Readiness OPEN HOUSE



www.pillagerfamilycenter.org

Michele Spar Family Support Coordinator 218-746-4009
Betty Doss, Executive Director 218-746-2185

- Food Shelf: Thursday 11 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- WIC: Last Thursday of the month 11 a.m.-6 p.m.
call 218-547-1430 for appointment
- Child and Teen Checkup Clinics:
call 746-4009 for appointment
- Cass County financial workers:
Thursday through v-link
call 218-547-1340 for appointment
- Cass County Veteran's Services
3rd Thursday of the month
10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.
- Other services: phone, computer use, fax and copy machine
available to the public for a small charge.

Early Childhood Options



School Readiness

This program offers a variety of experiences and activities that prepare preschoolers for success in Kindergarten. To be enrolled, children must be four years of age by September 1st. Pillager School offers two options of School Readiness classes:

- Monday, Wednesday, some Fridays (8:10-2:50)
- Tuesday, Thursday, some Fridays (8:10-2:50 p.m.)

If you have questions, please call Tracy at (218)746-3075.

Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE)

Children ages birth to seven who exhibit developmental delays (motor, auditory, vision, cognition, social-emotional, or speech/language) may qualify for services to meet their specific needs. Children receive services in their home, daycare, or in Pillager's Early Childhood or Kindergarten classrooms.

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE)

This program provides support and resources to all families with children from birth until their enrollment in Kindergarten. The ECFE program believes parents are a child's first and most important teachers. Our program provides an opportunity for parents and children to play and learn together in a supportive environment facilitated by licensed child and parent educators.

Fall 2023 Family Classes (Birth-Kindergarten) All classes held at the First Baptist Church

Mondays (20 weeks)

5:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Pizza/Playtime

Up to age 5 years old

Thursday (24 weeks)

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Preschool Class

Ages 3 to 5 years old (no siblings)

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Family Class

Birth to 5 years old

Friday (24 weeks)

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Family Class

Birth to 5 years old

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Family Class

Birth to 5 years old

Call Brenda at (218)414-0441 to register or for more information.

Pillager Area Family Center serves all members of our community

Home Visiting Program

The Family Center Home Visiting Program offers weekly home visits to new parents to gain information about child development, physical and social/emotional, parenting ideas, basic care and communication. The Home Visitor and parents work through the Growing Great Kids curriculum. This program is Healthy Families America (HFA) accredited. For more information, please call Amy at (218)587-4292.



Funding for this program is from the MN Department of Health, United Way, Cass County and the Cass County Children's Initiative. "Hand in hand for early success" ... Working together to build a secure foundation for newborn babies and their first time parents.

Pillager Little Huskies Child Care Center

Location: Pillager School Early Childhood Center Hours: 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Ages: 16 months (14 months with a variance) to start of Kindergarten

State licensed and Four Star Parent Aware Rated

Contact Ashley O. at (218) 746-2148 or aoehrein@isd116.org for more information or to enroll your child. Children must be enrolled in the program and pre-registration and pre-payment is needed in order for your child to attend.



Fun Stop: School-Age Care Program

Location: Pillager School Ages: Kindergarten through 4th Grade

The Fun Stop program provides quality, safe, fun school-aged childcare for children in grades K-4. Games, puzzles, crafts, sports, and homework help are all a part of the Fun Stop choices.

▶▶▶ Due to the high number of participants, please call (218)746-2140 to make sure space is available.

This is an hourly fee plus additional charge for special events. Fun Stop is available from 6:30-8:05 a.m. and 3:00-5:30 p.m. on school days and 6:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. on non-school days and during the summer.



Pillager Area Food Shelf 305 Fir Avenue W

Thursdays 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
(218) 746-4009

The Pillager Family Center operates the Pillager Area Food Shelf and offers help to families in the Pillager school district. Food is available monthly and Cub Food donates bread that is available weekly.

Thank you to everyone who has donated food and/or money to the Pillager Food Shelf. Your donations are greatly appreciated and continue to help families in our community. Monetary donations are preferred and are used to purchase food from the Second Harvest Food Bank. The Food Bank offers food to be purchased by food shelves at a lower cost and in bulk amounts, helping to stretch every dollar donated.



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- Sports and activity drivers needed!
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**HELP: Our local food bank is in need of
paper bags. You may drop these off
at the Early Childhood desk.**

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Many local charities are available.
Why not choose the Pillager School PTO or the Pillager Family
Council (Family Center)?



Look for us online:

www.isd116.org
www.pillagerfair.com
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www.cityofpillager.com
www.pillageredfoundation.org
www.pillagermn.com
<http://www.pillagerboosterclub.com/>

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 @PillagerFootballFamily
 @PillagerBoysTF
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 Pillager Education Foundation
 Pillager PTO
 Pillager School Alumni
 Pillager Family Center
 Pillager Boys Track and Field
 Pillager Huskies Girls Basketball
 Pillager Boys Basketball
 Pillager Schools
 Pillager Huskies Fishing Team
 Pillager Huskies Clay Target Team
 Pillager Ag Ed Department



Now accepted in the District office for registration fees and lunch accounts.

Online registration and credit card payments are also

available for all athletics, youth sports, community education classes, and lunch payments.

Thank you!

The following businesses have supported Pillager School and programs through the past several months:

Lincoln Area Business Association, Pillager & Area Lions ,
 Hengel Ready Mix, Lakes Printing, Atek Manufacturing, JIBEC
 Heating & Cooling, Mid State Auto Auction, Baxter Insurance Group,
 Shingledecker Construction, Five Star Seamless,
 Pine Country Plumbing



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Community Groups — Call for info

4-H		587-8280
Cub Scouts/Boy Scouts	Mark Huber	839-1513
Girl Scouts	Monica Husen	828-3515
Lions Club	John Driscoll	(651)216-2400
Moms in Prayer	Rhonda Dosser	746-4142
American Legion	Tom Rhett	746-3945
Fair Board / Community Center	Jamie Hauge	839-5329
Pillager Family Center	Betty Doss	746-2185
Ministerial Association	Dan Johnson	746-4369
Pillager History	Sue Van Hal	821-2276
Lakeshore Conservation Club		963-4003
Civil Air Patrol	Brainerd Airport	534-5418
Pheasants Forever	Doug Johnson	(507)841-0571
Local Snowmobile Clubs	brainerdlakesareasn timerails.com	

Order Your

Yearbook
NOW!

All School Yearbook

Please watch for more details.

If you have photos you think would be appropriate for the yearbook, please send them to msoberg@isd116.org

OPEN HOUSE



We invite you to join us
for a special Open House

- **Early Childhood Center (ages 0-5)**

►► **Early Childhood is August 30, 4:30-7:00 p.m.**

Little Huskies Child Care, Family Education, School Readiness, children birth to five

- **Elementary School (K-4)**

Personalized learning, specialist schedule including PE, music, technology, youth sports program, increased MCA proficiency rates, after school care

- **Middle School (5-8)**

School within a school, mock schedule, Q&A, meet teachers, middle school programming

**ALL new MS students (gr.5-8) and 5th Grade Orientation August 23 6:30—8:00 p.m.*

- **High School (9-12)**

College in School, cross-curricular instruction, FFA and Agriculture program, course offerings in FACS and Health, CTE and 7-period day.

***New HS student (gr.9-12) meeting August 23 in the Auditorium 5:30 p.m.*

SCHOOL
STARTS
TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 5

Wednesday, August 30, 4:30 -7:00 p.m.

For all students and their parents in Kindergarten - grade 12

Elementary Classrooms open for visits.

Technology Information available for all parents.

Fornshell Bus Service will be available to answer any questions regarding school bus transportation.

Pillager Education Foundation will offer a Brat/Hotdog Meal

\$4/meal, \$20 max per family. All proceeds will go to the Education Foundation.

Join us in the Elementary Gym. 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. or until gone. Brat or hotdog, chips, cookie and lemonade.

**WELCOME
BACK!**

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POSTAL CUSTOMER

**Attention Community Members: Watch this newsletter for this special rick-rack border.
This border indicates an event with a special community invitation.**

GRANDPARENTS DAY OPEN HOUSE

Grandparents, other family members or friends of our K-4 grade students are welcome to attend.

Wednesday, October 18 1:30 PM-2:30 PM

Please RSVP by email jgordon@isd116.org or call (218) 746-2184

RSVP ends Thursday, October 12 5:00 PM

Open House will take place in classrooms. You will visit your student's desk, meet the teachers, partake in activities and enjoy a snack!

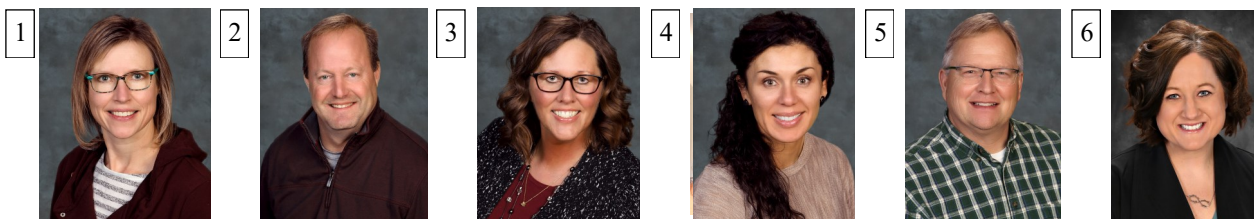


School Contact Information

District Office	Early Childhood	Elementary School	Middle School	High School
(218) 746-3772 office (218) 746-4236 fax awassen@isd116.org	(218) 746-3075 office (218) 746-2188 fax bdoss@isd116.org	(218) 746-2111 office (218) 746-2134 fax elementary@isd116.org	(218) 746-2112 office (218) 746-2153 fax middleschool@isd116.org	(218) 746-2113 office (218) 746-3406 fax highschool@isd116.org

School Leadership

School Board



1. Becky Bennett 12328 Upper Sylvan Rd. SW Pillager, MN 56473 (218) 851-7527 becky.bennett@isd116.org	2. Brian Grimsley 12423 43rd Ave SW Pillager, MN 56473 (218) 746-4207 brian.grimsley@isd116.org	3. Sara Nagel 11059 Richmond Rd SW Pillager, MN 56473 (218) 746-4478 sara.nagel@isd116.org	4. Kassandra Nelson 8371 340th St. Cushing, MN 56443 (218) 851-9900 kassandra.nelson@isd116.org	5. Randy Posner 7358 Colony Rd. Cushing, MN 56443 (218) 820-4165 randy.posner@isd116.org	6. Sarah Smith 38267 Riverview Road Pillager Mn 56473 218-537-0294 sarah.smith@isd116.org
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Administrative Team

Superintendent Mike Malmberg (218)746-2100 mmalmberg@isd116.org	Elementary Principal Josh Smith (218)746-2110 jsmith@isd116.org	MS (5-8) Principal Wade Mortenson (218)746-2096 wmortenson@isd116.org	HS (9-12) Principal Jason Savage (218)746-2117 jsavage@isd116.org	Director of Curriculum Ryan Krominga (218)746-2103 rkrominga@isd116.org	Activities Director and K-12 Dean Matt Moen (218)746-2115 mmoen@isd116.org
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