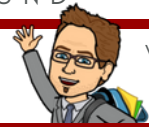




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Summer Flying by!

I hope everyone has had a restful and rejuvenating summer. As we gear up for the new school year, I wanted to share a little insight from my summer. Like many of you, I relished the moments spent with loved ones which for me often involved intense competition and lots of laughs - some of them included the card game, euchre.

**“YOU can do it.
WE can help!”**

In euchre, you're always part of a team. With every hand played, you make decisions based not just on your own cards, but on what you believe your partner can contribute. Sometimes you take a risk, calling a trump suit and hope your partner can

support your move. Sometimes, you find yourself in a challenging spot, but with communication and trust, your partner steps in to lend a hand. It's a beautiful balance of individual initiative and collaborative support.

As we step into this new school year, I see our school community much like a euchre partnership. Each student has their own unique set of "cards" or strengths they bring to the table, and we, as educators and families, are here to be their partners. There will be moments when our Hawks take bold steps forward (even attempting to go it alone), and moments when they might need a little extra help. Much like when I first learn a game, they will need reminders of the rules and encouragement to try new tactics. Through it all, our message to every child remains the same: "YOU can do it...WE can help!"


Our shared and continued goal is to create an environment where every student feels seen—known, loved, and developed—ready to play their best hand and constantly ready for their next one. They will always have a team around cheering them on and ready to help when needed.

So, as we wrap up the summer shuffle to deal the new hand, let's prepare the table. Please consider pulling up a chair. Together, we will create countless moments and a foundation for the future.


Let's Fly! Together.

Principal Naslund

*Let's fly!
Together!*



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"Courage starts with showing up and letting ourselves be seen." [Brené Brown]



Office Hours

The Prairie View Office will be open to the public from 9a - 4p starting August 22.

School Hours

- M, T, TH, F: 9:00a - 3:20p
- Wednesday: 9:40a - 3:20p



Save the Dates

- August 16: PV at the Ballpark (PTO event)
- August 30: Meet, Greet, and a Treat
 - 5pm - 6:30pm open school
- September 5: 1st Day of School (Grades 1 - 5)
- September 4: Labor Day--No School!
- September 8: Kinder First Day of School
 - Yahoo, Boo-hoo PTO Event 9a - 10a
- September 18: Boosterthon Launch Assembly
- September 26: Picture Day!
- September 29: Boosterthon Run





A PTO Update

Our PTO is ready to rally up for another epic year! Whether prepping for the next PTO event or the Boosterthon Launch on 9/18, they are always working hard for our kids and YOU are invited.

PV at the Ballpark is back! Wednesday, August 16! 6:35pm first pitch. It's family feast night (AGAIN) at the park and discounted group tickets can be purchased [HERE](#).

Meet, Greet, and a Treat on Wednesday, August 30. Tour our beautiful school, find out your teachers, and get a PTO provided treat from **5p - 6:30p**. Can't make it? Our amazing office team will be sending out class assignments and information on Friday, September 1.

Yahoo, Boo-Hoo, our annual kindergarten parent celebration and support, happens right after dropping off your kindergartner for their first day on **September 8** from **9a - 10a**. Coffee, pastries, high fives, and, of course, Kleenex provided.

Got an incoming kindergartner coming to PV? Our PTO has been hosting informal meetups on Wednesdays @ 6:30 at Sky Prairie Park. Principal Naslund (and Doodle Eddie) will be joining on August 23. Follow our PV PTO on Facebook [HERE](#) for more details and all the latest!

School Supplies

Supply Lists are published online and linked below, arranged by grade level. The district and building will provide all other supplies needed for a successful school year!

Click [HERE](#) for your school supply list by grade.



Bus Registration

The 2023-24 Bus Registration* form is now live for all students in the Mead School District. Thank you for registering as soon as you can for route planning. They will be in contact late August with updates.

2023-24 Bus Registration Form [HERE](#)

*NOTE: ALL bus riders must register each year.



Helpful Resources

- [Transportation Resources](#)
- [Transportation Homepage](#)
- [Transportation FAQ](#)
- [2023-24 Academic Calendar](#)

Questions? Please contact Transportation Services.

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“ PV Hawks are known, loved, and developed. PV Hawks are future ready! ”

