

Pleasant Valley Elementary School

October 2025 Newsletter

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MISSION STATEMENT

Pleasant Valley Elementary School will focus on student centered learning and promoting the education of the **WHOLE** child! We will **ALL** work together in a collaborative manner to promote student success.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPALS

Things are off to a great start this school year, and October is going to be even better! We'll have our first Student of the Month assemblies, celebrate Unity Day, and welcome our local fire fighters. We are also looking forward to Spirit Week! Each day there will be a dress-up theme and the week will end with our annual pep rally. Additionally, the Bear Walk has been rescheduled and will happen on October 18th.

Quick Reminders:

- Breakfast is free for all students! If you'd rather your child skip breakfast at school, please let them know. We've noticed some kids are having a "second breakfast" and then not eating their lunch.
- Please send in excuse notes for any absences. You can email them to pveattendance@pvbears.org. It's helpful to tell your child's teacher, but always make sure you also let the attendance office know directly.

A NOTE FROM THE NURSES



The Mobile Dentist will be coming to see Kindergarten students on October 21st and 22nd. Permission slips will be sent home for you to return to the school in order for your student to be seen.



Please send clothes in with your student as accidents do happen!

Below are some helpful resources for our families! Please let us know if we can help you or your student in anyway:

- <https://www.ppgkids.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/toilet-training.pdf>
- <https://www.nhs.uk/guidance/realising-the-potential-of-bottom-wiping-activity-sheet.pdf>

COUNSELORS' CORNER

We are super excited to announce that our Second Step guidance lessons have begun and we are off to a great start !!! This month we will focus on understanding feelings and teaching empathy and compassion to help make our school the best it can be. We hope you will help us remind our students that **KINDNESS COUNTS AT PVE !!** October kicks off National Bullying Prevention Month, and school counselors will be doing anti- bullying lessons during the month of October. We will celebrate Unity Day on Wednesday, October 22nd, and encourage all students to wear orange.



OCTOBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS/DAYS

*Subject to change when emergency or weather related closings occur

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Sept. 29	Sept. 30	1	2	3
Day 5	Day 6	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
6	7	8	9	10
DAY 4 	Day 5	Day 6 PVE/PVI PTO Meeting @ PVI 4:00 PM	Day 1	Day 2 Pep Rally 
13	14	15	16	17
NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS (Act 80 Day)  	DAY 3	DAY 4 PVE Fall Photo Retakes 	DAY 5	DAY 6
20	21	22	23	24
DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4 All About Second Grade 5:00-7:00 PM 	DAY 5
27	28	29	30	DAY 4 Halloween Celebrations & Parade 
DAY 6	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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Get Ready to ROAR! It's SPIRIT WEEK!!

Bears, get your closets and spirit ready!
We are kicking off a full week of fun and school pride!
Join your classmates, teachers, and staff in making this the
most spirited week of the year!

October 6 – October 10

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FARMER DAY

Trade your sneakers for your best denim overalls and boots. It's time to get down and earthy

T

MAGENTA DAY: THINK PINK!

Pop on your rosiest shades and let's make the school look flaming-go fabulous

W

CONSTRUCTION DAY

Hard hats, safety vests, and tool belts assemble! Let's get to work building up some serious school spirit!

T

USA DAY

Rock your red, white, and blue!

F

PV PRIDE WHITE OUT

Wear all your whitest gear and let's White Out the competition! Show your PV Pride and shine bright like a diamond!

REMINDER

Pep-rally will be held
on October 10
during school
hours!

