

FRIDAY FLASH

Hance Elementary School

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Message from the Principal

We had another successful week of learning and growing together at school! This week, we focused on bus safety and the importance of students sitting in their assigned seats, staying seated while the bus is moving, and using kind words with one another.



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Upcoming Spirit Week

We are excited to hold our first spirit week of the school year beginning on **Monday, September 15**.



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Get Ready for Picture Day

Picture day is on **Monday, September 22**. Visit [Lifetouch.com](https://lifetouch.com) and use code EVTB4DC32. All orders must be submitted online.



Electronic Device Usage Reminders

Please remind your students that cell phones and smart watches are not to be used during the school day. Continue reading for more information on Hance's electronic device guidelines.



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Title I Partners in Print Annual Meeting

All parents are invited to our annual fall meeting on **Monday, September 15**, at 9:30 am to discuss our [Title I Program](#), meet our reading specialists, and learn how you can become part of our parent advisory committee. This meeting is for parents only.



Purchase Your Hance Directory

There is still time to purchase your Hance Directory. Digital directories will be sent out next week. There is also the option to upgrade to a paper copy.

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Ice Cream Social

The Ice Cream Social is officially sold out until the day of the event on **Friday, September 26**. There are still guaranteed parking spots available for purchase.

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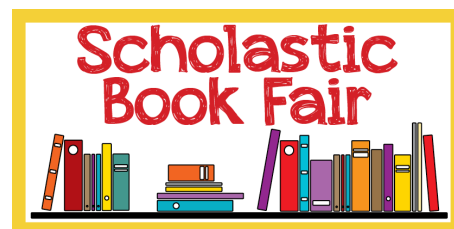


In Case You Missed It

Fall Book Fair - Reading is a Treasure

Students can shop during their scheduled library time the week of **September 22** and as well as during the Ice Cream Social.

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Outside the Box After-School Program

Join Outside the Box Labs for five weeks of after-school workshops every Tuesday starting **October 21!** Students will observe live animals, learn about plants, and build their own holograms.



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After-School Play Time

Our after-school play times are a great way for the kids to blow off some steam after school. Let them come run amok with Mr Mike and Ms Brittany. Register for the October 1 session by **September 17**.

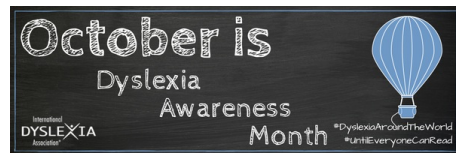
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Dyslexia Simulation Event

Parents and community members are invited to Pine-Richland's Dyslexia Simulation Event planned for **Wednesday, October 22**.

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Volunteer in the Cafeteria

Our calendar is now open for volunteers to sign up to help out in the cafeteria. This is a great way to see your child in action and spend time socializing with students.

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Volunteer for the Book Fair

The PTO is looking for volunteers for the fall book fair. This year, we're also asking for help decorating and tearing down.

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Back to School Spirit Wear Sale

Our Back-to-School Spirit Wear Sale is open through **September 23**, and items are 25% off. Orders will be shipped directly to your home about two weeks after you order online.



Spirit Wear Sale!

Get Your Rams Gear!

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Volunteer for Penny Wars

Consider volunteering two hours to count coins during October's Penny Wars. All proceeds directly benefit Hance students and their families.

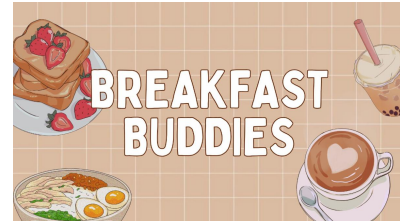
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Breakfast Buddies

Celebrating a birthday or just want to spend a few extra moments with your child? Click the link to see how your child can host a breakfast buddy twice a year. Sign ups for January through June can be found [here](#).

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Reminders

- Friday Flash submissions are due Wednesdays at 8 am to prnewsletters@pinerichland.org.
- [Breakfast and Lunch Menus](#) | [Free and Reduced Meal Applications](#)
- Check the [Friday Flash Archives](#) for past information.
- [Children's Health Insurance Program](#) information.
- Read our [Title I Right to Know](#) letter.
- [Review library book titles under 30-day public review](#).



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