

FRIDAY FLASH

Richland Elementary School

October 24, 2025

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Join us at Freedom Farms Today

Join us at Freedom Farms in Valencia today, **October 24**, for fall fun with games, hayrides, a corn maze and more. Admission is \$10 per person and includes a pie pumpkin. Pay upon arriving at the farm.



Halloween/Fall Parades and Parties

Students may wear costumes or fall/Halloween-themed clothes to school on **Friday, October 31**. Parades and parties will be held for each grade level.

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Minecraft Movie Matinee

Join the Richland PTO for a free showing of *A Minecraft Movie* on **Saturday, November 15**, at 2:00 pm.

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Veteran's Day Assembly and Food Drive

Richland will celebrate Veterans Day on **Tuesday, November 11**, with an assembly and schoolwide food drive. We invite veterans from RES families to join us. Food donations start **Monday, October 27**.



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Upcoming PTO Meeting

The next PTO meeting will be held at Richland on **Wednesday, November 12**, at 10:30 am. We would love to see you there!



In Case You Missed It

Car Rider Reminder

When dropping off or picking up your child, please remain in your vehicle for both safety and timeliness of our processes. We appreciate your cooperation.



Candy Drive

The PTO is collecting excess Halloween candy **November 3** through **November 7** to provide care packages for active military through Serving Our Sentinels. Please drop off candy in the office.



Pittsburgh Penguins Night

Richland families are invited to watch the Pittsburgh Penguins take on the Chicago Blackhawks on **Thursday, January 29**, at 7:00 pm. Select "Richland" from the dropdown menu to purchase.



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Purchase Your Yearbook

The 2025 - 2026 yearbook is now on sale. Use Yearbook ID code 10820726.



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Volunteer Opportunities Available

We enjoy having volunteers in the cafeteria to support our students and staff. Sign-ups through the PTO are the only way to volunteer in the cafeteria.

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Mabel's Labels Fundraiser

Support the Richland PTO with personalized labels. Search Richland Elementary School PTO (Gibsonia), click *Shop Now*, and select the Logo Label Pack.

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Reminders

Save Chick-fil-A Receipts

Chick-fil-A receipts can earn our school rewards! Send receipts to your child's teacher, or email screenshots of mobile receipts to our treasurer at resptotreasurer@gmail.com.

[Attendance](#)

Every student starts the year with 10 parent-excused absences for educational trips or sick days that don't require medical intervention. After the 10 days, a medical visit and excuse are required.

Sign up for Membership Toolkit

Want to stay connected throughout the year? Sign up for [Membership Toolkit](#) and never miss the latest info.

[Planet Aid Donations](#)

Drop off your outgrown and unused clothes, shoes, bedding, curtains, etc., in the yellow bin at the top of the parking lot.

- Friday Flash submissions are due Wednesdays at 8 am to prnewsletters@pinerichland.org.
- Check the [Friday Flash Archives](#) for past information.
- Applications for [Free and Reduced Lunch](#) must be submitted every school year.
- [Children's Health Insurance Program](#) information.
- [Review library book titles under 30-day public review](#).



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