

FRIDAY FLASH

Richland Elementary School

October 10, 2025

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Get Ready for the Move-a-Thon

The Move-a-thon will take place on **Friday, October 17**. The PTO is halfway to their goal of raising \$20,000 for playground equipment, additional funding for each classroom, and ongoing PTO initiatives.



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Halloween/Fall Parades and Parties

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



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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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Veteran's Day Assembly and Food Drive

Richland Elementary will celebrate Veterans Day on **Tuesday, November 11**, with a special assembly and a schoolwide food drive. We invite veterans from RES families to join us for the assembly, where they'll be introduced and honored. Food drive items can be donated beginning **Monday, October 27**.

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Join us at Freedom Farms

No school on **Friday, October 24**! Join us at Freedom Farms in Valencia 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.



Message from the Nurses

Ticks are prevalent throughout western Pennsylvania. Please read these important reminders from your school nurse about checking for ticks and preventing Lyme and other diseases.

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Party Sign Up Update

Spaces are still available on Membership Toolkit to volunteer for classroom parties.

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In Case You Missed It

Picture Make-Up Day

Save the Date - School picture make-up day is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 21**.



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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Sign Up for After-School Programs

Sign ups for after-school programs are available on Membership Toolkit through **Sunday, October 12**. Check out Baker's Dozen, Sing Sing Sing, Outside the Box and more.

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Join Us for the Ram Run

The 12th Annual Ram Run will take place on **Sunday, October 19**, at Pine-Richland High School. Proceeds from this event benefit Pine-Richland PTOs.

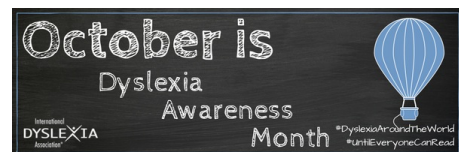
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Dyslexia Simulation Event

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

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Mabel's Labels Fundraiser

Support the Richland Elementary PTO by shopping for personalized labels. Search for Richland Elementary

School PTO (Gibsonia), click [Shop Now](#) and select the Logo Label Pack to get started.

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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 each year with 10 parent-excused absences for educational trips or sick days that don't require medical intervention. After those 10 days, a medical visit is required with a medical excuse. [Learn more.](#)

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, towels and bags in the yellow bin at the top of the parking lot. [Learn more.](#)

- Friday Flash submissions are due Wednesdays at 8 am to prnewsletters@pinerichland.org.
- View [summer camps](#) in and around the Pine-Richland community.
- 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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