

Happenings

March 2, 2024



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District Updates

Preschool Registration: The Pine-Richland High School Child Development Preschool is registering preschoolers for the 2024 - 2025 school year. Preschool is three days per week starting at 9:30 am and concluding around 12:30 pm. The Preschool Program was established to enhance the child development courses in the Family and Consumer Science curriculum at the high school. This program serves as a child study laboratory school and provides high school students the opportunity to observe and apply what they are learning in theory. Due to the nature of the program working in conjunction with our high school child development program/curriculum it is imperative that you plan for your child to be present for both the fall and spring semesters. A variety of activities will provide learning experiences that will encourage physical, emotional, intellectual and social development. Learning will be encouraged through play and developmentally appropriate activities. [Click here for more details](#) or reach out to [April Dull](#) with any questions.

PR Employment: Pine-Richland School District has multiple openings for custodians and paraprofessionals. Enjoy an outstanding family health benefit package, pension and a great team environment. [Learn more and apply here »](#)

Sodexo Employment: Sodexo is hiring for Pine-Richland School District Food Services positions! All positions are Monday through Friday and follow the district calendar for days off. Positions are available at the High School, Middle School, Eden Hall Upper Elementary, and Richland Elementary. Interested candidates should contact Ryan Wilson at Ryan.Wilson@Sodexo.com.

March is Brain Injury Awareness Month: Partner with the Special Education and Athletics departments for an informational night on **Tuesday, March 12**, presented by BrainSTEPS night to learn more about brain injuries—including concussions—and resources available in the event you or a loved one acquires a brain injury. [Learn more »](#)

Food Service and Wellness Committee Meeting: Join Pine-Richland School District's Food Service and Wellness Committee Meeting at 9:00 am on **Wednesday, March 20**. Join virtually at <http://meet.google.com/mkt-gdcg-fjd> or by phone at 240-800-6876. All parents and community members are welcome. The committee provides information about the PRSD food service program and considers feedback and suggestions from the community to share related to the food service program, student wellness and sustainability initiatives. Please contact Dr. Kristen Justus at kjustus@pinerichland.org if you would like to join the committee for the 2023-2024 school year.

Senior Citizen Tax Rebate Available: Senior citizen tax rebate is available to file now. All forms and attachments are due by **Sunday, June 30**. [Visit this page for details](#), and share with families and friends in the Pine-Richland Community.

Support Pine-Richland Students and Student Activities

Register for Track and Field: Winter track conditioning has already begun and takes place Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays after school at the high school. These practices are for both high school and middle school students. Outdoor track begins on **Monday, March 4**. [Click here for High School Registration](#). For Middle School registration, [click here](#).

PR Crew: Join PR Crew for the annual [Night at the Races!](#) This event includes good food, time with friends, fantastic baskets and lots of fun. This year, Night at the Races will take place on **Saturday, March 9**, at the Northern Tier Library. A \$40 ticket includes dinner, dessert and non-alcoholic drinks. The winner of the [Oink Oink Raffle](#) will also be announced at the Night at the Races. You can purchase a \$20 ticket for the chance to win half a pig (80 - 100 lbs) for a prize worth almost \$300.

Choral Boosters Spaghetti Dinner: Pine-Richland Choral Boosters will be hosting their annual Spaghetti Dinner on **Saturday, March 23**, from 4:30 - 6:30 pm in the High School Cafeteria in between the matinee and evening performances of *Mamma Mia!* Enjoy a delicious dinner of spaghetti with meatballs, Italian chicken, salad, bread, beverages and desserts while you enjoy the sounds of our special performances by PR musical members and choir students. Deadline to purchase tickets is **Friday, March 15**. [Learn more »](#)

Girls' Volleyball Spring Camp: Learn the fundamentals of volleyball! Led by Pine-Richland Head Coach and former University of Pittsburgh Women's Volleyball player, Angela Seman! Camp tuition includes two days of instruction, a camp t-shirt, and lots of FUNdamentals. Camp is open to current students grades 4 - 6 and takes place **April 22**, and **April 23**, from 4:30 - 6:30 pm. [Learn more »](#)

It's a Small World Project: Eden Hall Upper Elementary School's World Language Department has kicked off their exciting year long school wide *It's a Small World* project. Their goal is to collect postcards from all 50 states and at least 25 countries by **May 1**. Everyone in the community is welcome to help us reach this goal! [Learn more about the project »](#)

Community Youth Sports

Pine-Richland Baseball and Softball: Registration is now open for Spring Baseball and Softball. Pine-Richland Baseball and Softball Association is the largest youth community baseball/softball organization serving Pine and Richland Townships. PRBSA offers opportunities for all skill levels and ages. The spring season starts practices on **Monday, April 1**, with games starting **Saturday, April 20**, running through Sunday, June 8. Registration ends **Monday, March 11**. [Learn more »](#)

Backyard Flag Football: Registration is now open for the Spring 2024 season with groups for ages 4 - 15. All coed flag football games will be played on Sundays only at J.C. Stone Field in North Park - tentative start date is **Sunday, April 14**, through **Sunday, May 19**, followed by playoffs. Please contact ladigregory@verizon.net with any questions. [Learn more and register »](#)

Community Events, Programs and Organizations

Richland Township Volunteer Fire Department: The RTVFD is hosting their annual "All You Can Eat Pancake and Sausage Breakfast" on **Sunday, March 3**, from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm at 5857 Meridian Road in Gibsonia. There is no admission cost to the event, but they are asking for a free-will donation. There will also be an auction with a variety of baskets and items up for chance. Proceeds from the event benefit the general and building funds.

A.W. Beattie Career Center: The A.W. Beattie Career Center will host its annual Fish Fry on **March 8, 15 and 22** from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm. Proceeds benefit the FCCLA Vocational Student organization. Download the menu [by clicking here](#).

Earth Day 2024: The Township of Pine will host Earth Day on **Saturday, April 27**, from 11:00 am - 6:00 pm at Pine Community Center. This free, family-friendly event will feature a local vendor market, environmental workshops and activities, scrap metal, glass, aluminum and holiday light recycling, food trucks, giveaways and much more! [Learn more »](#)

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Moms in Prayer International
Contact: raynasntg@aol.com

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