



**Pine-Richland School District E-Newsletter**

**Message from Superintendent**

Greetings to Pine-Richland Students, Parents, Staff & Community,

Congratulations to each member of the Class of 2017! We were fortunate to have beautiful weather for the students, families, and friends in attendance at [graduation](#).

The path for each graduate is unique. Each graduate also brings his or her own hopes and dreams for the future. For many, they will continue their career at a college or university. We have other students moving directly into a trade, technical program, or the workforce. We are proud that others have chosen to join the military. Congratulations to all!

With respect to our strong belief that learning happens inside and outside of the classroom, we are so excited to see the accomplishments of our students in the areas of academics, athletics, arts, and activities. Results from a variety of standardized measures show evidence of high achievement. In the most recent season, our girls' lacrosse and boys' baseball team earned two more [WPIAL titles in athletics](#). One of our seniors, Jake Pedersen, won Best Actor in the prestigious [Gene Kelly Awards](#)...unbelievable!

You can read [more about district accomplishments](#) including national awards as well as more information on our [satisfaction survey](#).



**Pine-Richland School District Updates**



**Spotlight on Learning**

Visit our [Spotlight on Learning section](#) to see what stories you missed and what's new including:

- Advisor Earns National Award
- Robotics Team Earns 2nd in Nation\
- Students Rank Nationally on Exams (Math & Foreign Language)
- Student Earns Best Actor Award
- Ultimate Frisbee Ranks Nationally
- Schools Named to Healthy High Honor Roll



**Board Business & Budget**

The board will meet again on July 17, 2017 for a combined planning and regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the [PR Central Offices](#).

During this meeting, the board will conduct a second reading of the following policies:

- [Policy 915 Boosters/Parent Organizations](#)
- [Policies 203, 204, 209.2, 251 & 255](#)

In case you missed it, the board approved a final budget on **June 5, 2017**. The [budget](#) calls for a 1.97% tax increase.



**Spotlight on Sports Teams & Athletes**

School is out, but student athletes and coaches are still making their mark. Check out the latest team updates and stories including:

- Sophomore Wins PGA Jr Tournament
- Lacrosse Coach Earns National Award & Player Named All-American
- WPIAL/PIAA Wrap Up (Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis & Track)

To read more about their successes and other features on athletes, visit the [Pine-Richland Sports Page](#).

