

Good Evening PVI Families,

This is Todd Breiner, Principal of Pleasant Valley Intermediate School with the PVI weekly update for April 14, 2019. Monday, April 15th is Cycle Day 2.

This week begins our PSSA testing window. We will begin testing English Language Arts on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The following are some quick but very important reminders: cell phones and other electronic devices are strictly PROHIBITED in testing rooms. Make sure your child gets plenty of sleep each night before the test so they are well-rested. Students should also eat a nutritious breakfast during testing. We know that all of our students will do "their best on the test" and make us PVI proud!

The PTO will be collecting Weis and Shoprite receipts along with Box Tops throughout the month of April.

If you submitted an order and payment for Hershey Park tickets, please stop by the main office to pick them up during normal office hours of 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday. Please be prepared to show ID to pick up your ordered tickets and a signature is required. Tickets will not be sent home with students.

The 6th grade German Outreach Program will meet tomorrow, Monday, April 15th for those students who returned a permission form.

Shrek Jr. tickets will be on sale in the PVI main lobby on Monday, April 15th and Tuesday, April 16th from 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM. Ticket prices are \$3.00 for adults, \$2.00 for senior citizens and \$1.00 for students and children. The Shrek Jr. performances will be held on Friday, April 26th and Saturday, April 27th at 7:30 PM and a matinee show on Sunday, April 28th at 2:00 PM. All shows are in the PVI cafeteria. Save the date and come out to show your support for the PVI Drama Club. Enjoy the Show!

3rd marking period report cards are scheduled to be distributed to students on Tuesday, April 16th. If your child does not come home with their report card, please contact their homeroom teacher.

Don't forget to keep collecting donations for the Coins for Critters campaign that ends on May 3rd. Remember the two PVI classes that collect the most donations will receive a personalized presentation from the Pocono Wildlife Center and their ambassador animals. Together we can help save, protect, and care for injured and orphaned animals in our community!

PVI will dismiss at 1:20 PM on Wednesday, April 17th for Spring Recess and will be closed through Monday, April 22nd. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 23rd.

Please consider completing the Title I Parent and Family Engagement Survey that was sent home with students. There is also a link to the survey on the PVI website under the Announcements section. We ask that everyone participate in this survey either online or on the form provided by April 30th.

Attention all land-lovers, Arrrgh, you up for a challenge? Are you good at finding lost things? Then you may want to join us on May 8th for our annual escape room experience. You and your family will be locked in a room and have only 30 minutes to find the treasure. Think you have what it takes? Sign-up flyers will be given out the day before spring recess. Be sure to get the sign-up link and register quickly. Spots for this experience are limited.

Thanks and have a great evening.