

# Pittsfield High School

Board Report - November 14, 2018

## Student of the Month

Lainey TenEyck was selected Saukeewauke Citizen of the Month. The following were nominated: Adelyn Cox, Braden Musgrave, Cherise Anderson, Chloe Stone, Cody Walston, Colin James, Colton Story, Lexi Ebbing, Faith Reveal, Iva Welbourne, Jack Heafner, John Scranton, Levi Chaplin, Lindsey Ham, Mackenzie Amann, McKayla Grisham, Memphis Ostrander, Michael Bowers, Nic McConnell, Quinn Phillips, Cassidy Poor and Jett Bennett.

## Building Trades Apprenticeships & Careers Day

Mrs. Westbrook and Mr. Lennon took students to the Building Trades and Apprenticeship Career Day. This was held at the B.O.S Convention Center in Springfield. This was an apprenticeship/career fair that discussed that discussed a typical day in an apprenticeship program, how to apply. They learned about what academic skills are needed for the different programs. The students enjoyed all of the hands-on activities provided at this event.

## Makerfest

Mrs. Westbrook and Mr. Lennon took students to the Makerfest event. This event was held at the JWCC Workforce Development Center in Quincy. This event showcased certificate and applied associate degree programs offered at JWCC. Some of the programs included manufacturing, welding, transportation and logistics, C.A.D., CDL training. Student viewed hands-on activities on these well-paid careers that are going unfilled in our area. Then students finished their trip to the Oakley Lindsay Center to learn about what businesses needed for future employment.

## History Club

This club is for anyone who has an interest in anything history related: wars, genealogy, art, architecture, local, state, national, world, etc

## National Honor Society New Inductees

The following students will be inducted into National Honor Society tomorrow night at 7:30 p.m. in the Jon Robb Auditorium. Isaac Amann, Elliott Fox, Avery Lewis, Gabbie Moore, Madison Moore, Rebekah Barton, Cherise Anderson, Lauren Saxe, Lainey TenEyck, Will Guthrie, Sadie Ruble, Emily Pursley, Breanna Gratton, and Kara Williams.

## Student Council Food & Toy Drive

The 2018 PHS Student Council Food and Toy Drive began today. PHS has partnered the support of PCS and South School in this endeavor.

Student Council will be collecting food, personal items, and money for 20 families and 30 senior citizens. Each child will receive a toy they have specified on the wish list, plus an outfit (top and bottom) of winter clothing unless they have specified some other clothing need.

Points will be awarded for all items as stated on the point's sheet that should be on display in all homerooms. Clubs and organizations are asked to bring specific items. A list of double point's items on specific dates is also included. These lists should also be posted in homerooms.

A giving tree with gift tags will be set-up in the front foyer and the cafeteria during Turkey Tournament. These purchases must be for new items only and points will be awarded for the item if you bring the receipt at the time the item is turned into the homeroom. Cash donations will also be collected in each homeroom.

The final day to contribute to this very worthy cause is Tuesday, December 11th during homeroom. The homeroom with the most points out of all homerooms will be our school winner and the students in that homeroom will enjoy a very worthy celebration in January.

Any student (NHS members included) that would like to participate in any part of this process for community service opportunities, please contact Mrs. Davidsmeyer or Ms. Aebel for guidelines.

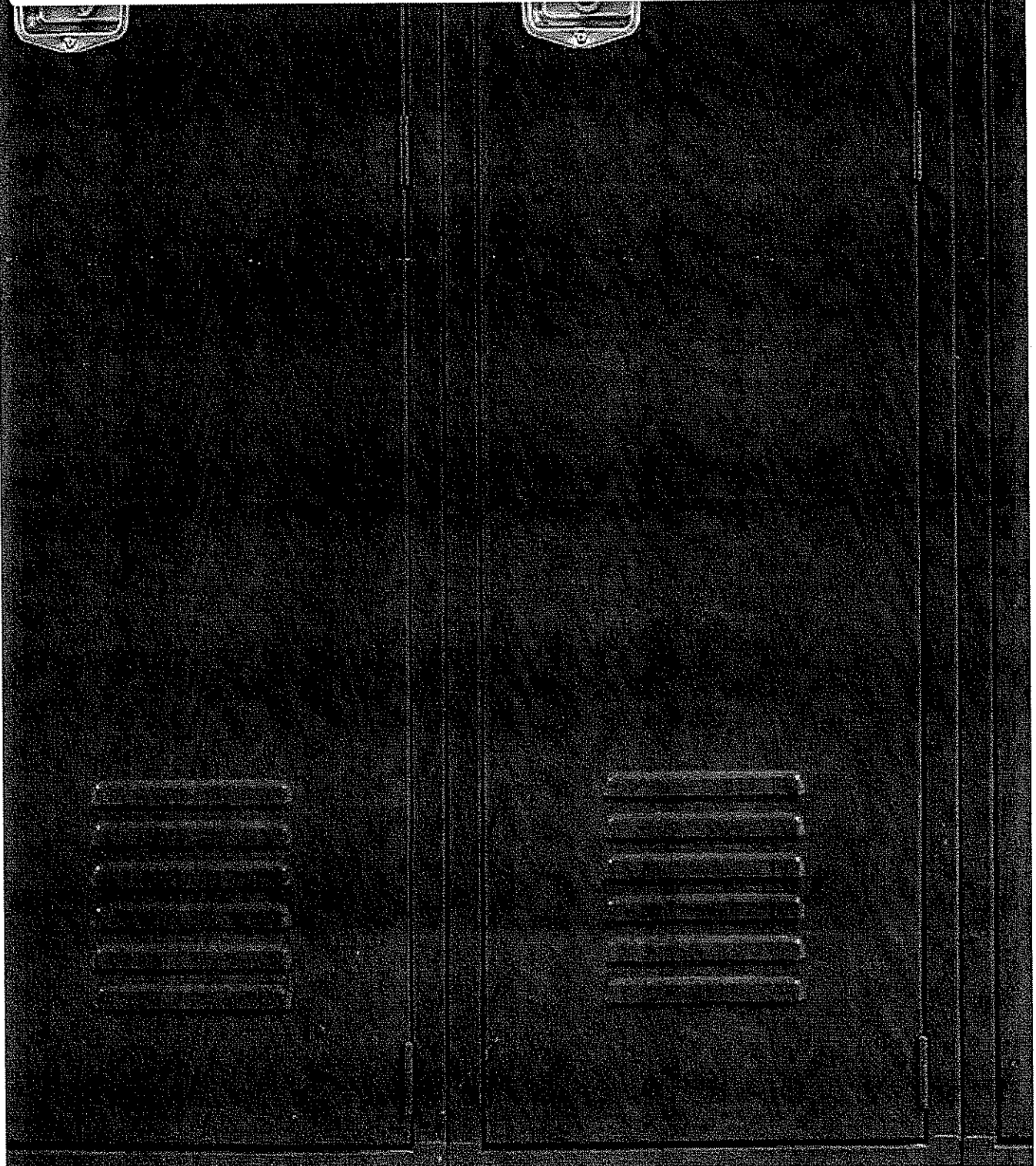
Student Council has also added a new event to the Food and Toy Drive this year. We are having the first ever CEREAL/SOUP/TOILET BOWL COMPETITION between the East and West homerooms. Tomorrow kicks off the CEREAL BOWL. In the front foyer, there will be two cans to place new cereal boxes into one for the West Homerooms and one for the East Homerooms. On November 20th the side that has collected the most cereal will receive a small prize for each student.

## Junior & Senior Parent Meetings

Last week Mrs. Westbrook and I met with senior parents on Wednesday evening and junior parents on Thursday evening to discuss ACT/SAT, post-secondary planning, FAFSA, scholarships, etc.

## Principal Advisory Council

This year I have started a Principal's Advisory Council. Students applied at the end of the last school year. The group meets with me at 7:00 a.m. typically on Wednesday mornings. The group is comprised of all female students (no males applied). Initially, I had planned on a group of 10, but only 12 students applied, so all were selected. The group is currently working on a brochure to describe all of our extra-curricular activities. Also, creating a survey to distribute to students who do not participate in any extra-curricular activities to determine why they do not join any in any of the extra-curricular activities, etc.



**Administrative Report**  
**Nov. 14, 2018**  
**Grades 3 – 5**

During the week of October 22, the P.C.S. library held its annual third-grade pumpkin decorating contest. Forty-five students participated in this very competitive contest. Reese Ramsey was the winner.

On October 24, in cooperation with the local fire dept., P.C.S. held its yearly fire drill. The staff and students did a great job.

On the October 25 SIP day, grade-level teams met to review current math data and assessed our progress. We then used the information to set goals for math facts. Additionally, they reviewed and adjust intervention groups using the most recent DIBELS information. They also set reading goals.

October 27 – Student council held a Halloween party for all third through fifth grade students. Students watched a movie, played games, and toured the haunted hallway.

November 8 – Our annual Veterans Day Program was held at P.C.S. to honor veterans in our community. The program included presentations, various pieces played by our band, poems read by our students, songs sung by our student body, as well as the honoring of veterans in attendance. Dr. Evans and the student council do a tremendous job putting together this wonderful event.

Thursday, November 15 – This is the second-quarter midterm. D / F slips will be sent home on Tuesday, November 20.

**C-POD November Students of the Month**

Ms. Bridges-Emma Rhodes

Mrs. Smith-Layla Brink

Mrs. Allen-Tatem Conrad & Tucker Shaw

Mrs. Havens-Lincoln McCartney

Mrs. Daniel-Maycee Douglas & Riley Henderson

Mrs. Syrcle-Keenan Jennings

Mrs. Willard-Evelyn Hill & Leaf Dejaynes

Mrs. Knake-Emma Fox

Mrs. Lowe-Macy Waters & Taylor Lowry

Ms. Gerecke-Zac Swan

Mrs. Springer-Kamryn Riley

Mrs. Scranton- Elyott Thelander

Mr. Walsh-Adam Hoover

Mrs. Ward-Nic Carpenter

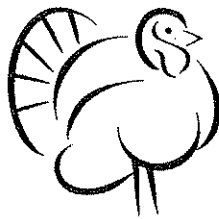
Mrs. Richards-Will Henry

Mrs. Harter-Olivia Hull

**PCS Administrative Report**  
**November 14, 2018**  
**Grades 6-8**

- We had a great turn out for our Fall Family Night. The families had a great time participating in all of the games, food, and fun activities. The fire truck was a huge hit!
- We spent our SIP Day working in department groups. My teachers took the time to discuss things that were going well in the curriculum and things they would like to improve. They also worked on different sites they can utilize for student resources.
- We held an honors ice cream social for those students who made honor roll and high honor roll. Approximately 180 students were treated to ice cream.
- We started bullying prevention lessons October 15. Mrs. Gay, along with Officer Carsey and Officer Thompson, are going into to classroom during Team time to teach these lessons.
- We are just getting started on the toy and food drive. This is always a friendly competition between Cpod and Dpod.
- PCS Christmas Concerts will be held on December 18. Band and chorus students are all gearing up for that program. The Christmas carols can be heard throughout the middle section of the building.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!



# SAUKEE ATHLETICS

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## PHS

### **Girl's Basketball**

Opened up season v. Routt on Tuesday  
Participate in Brown County Tournament starting Saturday.  
See schedule on back.  
11 girls out for basketball this season.

### **Boy's Basketball**

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Saukee Turkey Tournament Nov 19-24<sup>th</sup>  
See schedule on the back  
32 boys basketball players

### **Wrestling**

First match is November 20<sup>th</sup> at East Alton Wood River  
12 wrestlers out this season

**Fall Award Winners** – See attached sheet

## PCS

### **Girl's Basketball**

7<sup>th</sup> grade Regional at Athens  
11/17/18 v. New Berlin @ 10:00 am  
8<sup>th</sup> grade Regional at Pittsfield – 11/26/18, 11/27/18, 11/29/18

### **Boy's Basketball**

8<sup>th</sup> grade off to a 2-4 start  
7<sup>th</sup> grade 4-2 start.

### **Wrestling**

First official practice 11/26/18

### **Volleyball**

First practice 12/3/18

All Sport Raffle ticket drawing will be held on November 24<sup>th</sup> at halftime of the Pittsfield game.

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## Fall Award Winners

### PHS Volleyball:

**Pike County All Tournament Team:** Maggie Marable and Lilly Pepper

**Pike County All-Conference 1st Team:** Maggie Marable and Lilly Pepper

**Pike County All-Conference 2nd Team:** Kamryn Smithers

### PHS Football:

All Conference Selections will be released once the last Sangamo Conference team is eliminated from the playoffs.

# 2018 Lady Hornet Classic Schedule

## Saturday November 17th

### High School Gym

9:00 Unity vs Western  
 10:30 Quincy vs Rushville  
 12:00 Pittsfield vs Liberty  
 1:30 Brown County vs Western  
 3:00 West Hancock vs Beardstown  
 4:30 Quincy vs Unity  
 6:00 Routt vs Pittsfield  
 7:30 Brown County vs Rushville

### Jr. High Gym

9:00 West Hancock vs Liberty  
 10:30 Routt vs Beardstown  
 12:00 JV - Quincy vs West Hancock  
 1:30 JV - Pittsfield vs Unity  
 3:00 JV - Brown County vs Liberty  
 4:30 JV - Routt vs Western  
 6:00 JV - Beardstown vs Rushville

## Monday November 19th

### High School Gym

6:00 Liberty vs Beardstown  
 7:30 Western vs Rushville

## Wednesday November 21st

### High School Gym

6:00 Brown County vs Quincy  
 7:30 Unity vs Rushville

### Jr. High Gym

6:00 Routt vs West Hancock  
 7:30 Pittsfield vs Beardstown

## Friday November 23rd

### High School Gym

6:00 Brown County vs Unity  
 7:30 Quincy vs Western

### Jr. High Gym

6:00 Liberty vs Routt  
 7:30 West Hancock vs Pittsfield

## Saturday November 24th

### High School Gym

12:00 **9th Place Game** - Pool A 5<sup>th</sup> Place vs Pool B 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
 1:30 **7th Place Game** - Pool A 4<sup>th</sup> Place vs Pool B 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
 3:30 **5th Place Game** - Pool A 3<sup>rd</sup> Place vs Pool B 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
 5:00 **3rd Place Game** - Pool A 2<sup>nd</sup> Place vs Pool B 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

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7:00 **Championship** - Pool A 1<sup>st</sup> Place vs Pool B 1<sup>st</sup> Place

First team listed will be the home team.

Pool A Brown County  
 Quincy  
 Rushville  
 Unity  
 Western

Pool B Beardstown  
 Liberty  
 Pittsfield  
 Routt  
 West Hancock

Tie Breakers: Head to Head  
 Defensive Average (3-way tie automatically goes to defensive average no matter the scenario)  
 FT Percentage



## Pittsfield Thanksgiving Tournament Schedule

**Pool A**

Pittsfield  
Camp Point  
Illini West  
Western

**Pool B**

Payson  
Liberty  
Routt  
Lovejoy

**Monday Nov 19**

	<b><u>Home</u></b>	V	<b><u>Away</u></b>
5:00	Western	V	Camp Point
6:30	Routt	V	Lovejoy
8:00	Pittsfield	V	Illini West

**Tuesday Nov 20**

5:00	Lovejoy	V	Liberty
6:30	Payson	V	Routt
8:00	Camp Point	V	Illini West

**Wed Nov 21**

6:00	Liberty	V	Payson
7:30	Pittsfield	V	Western

**Friday Nov 23**

1:30	Payson	V	Lovejoy
3:00	Routt	V	Liberty
4:30	Western	V	Illini West
6:00	Pittsfield	V	Camp Point

**Saturday Nov 24**

1:30	Pool A 4 <sup>th</sup>	V	Pool B 4 <sup>th</sup>	
3:00	Pool A 3 <sup>rd</sup>	V	Pool B 3 <sup>rd</sup>	
4:30	Pool A 2 <sup>nd</sup>	V	Pool B 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
6:00	Pool A 1 <sup>st</sup>	V	Pool B 1 <sup>st</sup>	(Championship)

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