

SAUKEE ATHLETICS

Board Meeting – 5/24/17

Athletics

PHS

Track

Girls Track State Qualifiers

Chandler Hayden

Shot Put – 3rd place

Discus – 12th place

Sydney Bauer – 400 meter *set new school record

Boys Track State Qualifiers

Chase Howland – Shot Put

James Gwartney – Long Jump and 400 meter

Eli TenEyck – Mile

4 x 800 Relay Team: Eli TenEyck, Bryan Piper, James Gwartney, Jacob Seal

Alternates: Colin James and Josh Phillips

Baseball

Finished season 20-9

Lost to QND in regional championship

Softball

Finished season 8-15

Lost to New Berlin in Regional Quarterfinals.

PCS

JH Track

State Qualifiers

JJ Petty – Mile

Katie Cox – 110 Hurdles and 400 meter

Chloe Lemons – 400 meter

Liam Davidsmeyer – Discus

Levi Chaplain – 400 meter

8th 4 x 100 Relay - Logan Howland, Marco Ballinger, Nolan Paxton, Liam

Davidsmeyer. Alternate – Gerald Snyder

Raffle Tickets

All Sports Raffle tickets have been handed out. Information about the raffle is listed on the back.

Summer Activities

Summer athletic teams are gearing up for a busy summer. Very pleased with the involvement our coaches are showing this summer. There are new camps and offerings this summer for our athletes and youth to participate in. Very proud of the time and effort that our staff is putting in. Our facilities will be very busy this offseason!

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All-Sport Raffle

May 12, 2017

Parents, Guardians, Athletes:

The Athletic Department will again be doing our All-Sport Raffle for the 2017-18 school year. Each athlete who participates at Pittsfield H.S. or Pikeland Community School will be expected to participate in selling raffle tickets. Each athlete is responsible for selling 15 raffle tickets.

The cost of each ticket is \$10.00.

This makes each athlete responsible for \$150.00. If an athlete does not sell raffle tickets then they will have to pay a participation fee of \$150.00. No athlete will be allowed to participate in an actual contest until their \$150.00 is turned in. Athletes will be allowed to practice, but will not be allowed to play until their money is turned in.

The drawing for the raffle winners this year will be held on Saturday, November 25th, at halftime of the Pittsfield game during our Boys Basketball Thanksgiving Tournament.

All the prizes for the raffle are cash awards. First prize is \$5,000.00. There will be twelve winners selected on the 25th. Prizes are as follows:


\$5,000 – 1	\$1,000.00 – 1	\$500.00 – 3
\$200.00 – 3	\$100.00 – 4	

Fundraising is not something that any of us enjoy doing. It has become a necessity for our school district and many others around the state. We do not want to lose any of our athletic programs at any level. The need to help offset the cost of athletics is something we have to deal with.

We encourage athletes to try to sell more than their 15 tickets. The top two sales people will each receive a \$100.00 cash prize. We hope look forward to having your continued support for Saukees Athletics.

Go Saukees!

Sincerely,



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Pittsfield High School

**Board Report
May 24, 2017**

April Student of the Month: Sierra DeJaynes

Other nominees: Lauren Bauer, Macee Borrowman, Dylan Butler, Taylor Carter, Cody Collins, Jacqueline Davis, Caylin Dean, Noah Gay, Max Howard, Hayden Kissinger, Carmen Long, Emma Mann, Bailey Ottwell, Brian Piper, Rachel Prewitt, Kristen Sible, Dakota Smith and Cody Walston

May Student of the Month: Julia Turnbaugh

Other nominees: Cherise Anderson, Dylan Butler, Abby Cox, Zoey Foster, Lindsey Ham, Hannah Hayden, Thomas Hull, McKinnley Jennings, Kennedy Merryman, Nic McConnell, Amber Miller, Korbyn Personett, Sadie Ruble, Griffin VanWinkle, Gretchen Wessell and Mady Wood

The ELA Poetry Night was well attended and numerous students shared their works. Thank you to Ms. Callie Sears and Mrs. Jacklyn Feldpausch for organizing the ELA events this year. In addition, I would like to thank Ms. Bowen, Mrs. Filbert and Ms. Sears for encouraging so many of the high school students to participate and share their work throughout the year.

Pittsfield FFA – Placed 1st in Section 13 out of our 13 area schools for the 2016-2017 school year.

PHS FFA members were elected to the following section offices:

Kristen Sibley – President
Reagan Hoskin – Reporter
Will Heavner – Sentinel

The spring music concerts were both very well attended. The following awards were given out:

National Choral Award – Madison Palmer
John Phillip Sousa Band Award – Macey James
Louis Armstrong Jazz Award – Ross Davidsmeyer

Math Team – PHS had 13 students compete in a competition of over 3,000 students statewide. Calculator Team placed 7th in our division. PHS was 25th out of 56 teams in Division 1A. I would like to give a huge shout out to Ms. Gerecke for all of the early morning hours she puts in with the students preparing them for competition.

PCS Administrative Report

6-8 Grades

May 24, 2017

- Rotary Day
 - We hosted the Rotary Day on April 28: 7 Reasons to Leave the Party. We host this each year. Griggsville-Perry, Western, and Pleasant Hill join us. Rotary lined up great presenters and the kids did a great job. Rotary awards a prize each year. Chloe Lemons was the winner this year.
- Parent/Teacher Advisory Committee
 - We had our Parent/Teacher Advisory Committee meeting March 29. We had a good discussion with good input from everyone in attendance.
- MAP Testing
 - We finished our last MAP test for the year. We have used the results when discussing student needs for next year. We also used this data to determine whether or not student goals were met.
- Concerts
 - Band concert was May 9 with the chorus concert May 11. Both concerts went very well. It's always great to see how much the students learn throughout the year.

**PCS Administrative Report
Grades 3 - 5
May 24, 2017**

- Molly Springer was selected student of the year. She was selected by staff from a pool made up of this year's students of the month.
- May 3 – D.A.R.E. graduation was well attended; Deputy Thompson did a great job with this program. The top Essay winners for this year were Brennan Tomhave, Sophia McCartney, Kayden Mountain, and Vinny Olsen. Vinny was also selected as the D.A.R.E. essay winner for Pike County. This is the eighth time in nine years that the winner of the essay contest was from PCS.
- May 5 – Fourth-grade Fiesta – All 4th grade students learned basic Spanish vocabulary from the High School Spanish 3 and 4 classes during the month of April. We then held a 4th Grade Fiesta where students can practice their Spanish vocabulary through games. They also made crafts with a Mexican theme and tried Mexican food. We had many parents donate items and money to make this successful. Parents, grandparents, and high school Spanish students volunteered to work as well. It is a good opportunity for the students to learn about another culture. Hopefully, it will spark their interest in a foreign language.
- May 12 – Dr. Evans and the student council held its annual talent show. Ten acts were performed for the 3 - 5 student body and several parents. Avery Wyatt won the overall award with a gymnastic floor routine.
- A special note - Fieldtrips all went well, and I was proud of our students for the way they conducted themselves. In fact, almost every time we go on one of these trips, someone makes a comment on how well behaved our student are.

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South Elementary School Board Report May 24, 2017

- The Ned Yo-Yo Show was at South School on May 1st. The message to students was *Never Give Up, Encourage Others, and Do Your Best!*
- The South School Programs were held at the PHS Auditorium. They were spectacular and well attended by parents and the community. Kudos to Mrs. Kayla Boren on outstanding performances. Second Graders also performed at Liberty Village.
- South School students enjoyed the annual PHS Jazz Band and Swing Choir Tours.
- Enrollment of preschoolers for the 2017-2018 school year has already begun.
- Headband-Bandana Day was held to benefit St. Judes. Students raised \$42.02
- myOn Reading Program "Get Illinois Reading" initiative. All kindergarten through second grade students are enrolled in the program. So far the data shows that students have read 887 books which account for 79 hours and 16 minutes. The program was offered at a discounted rate for the summer. We were able to enroll students for \$1 per child for June, July, and August!
- The second grade talent show was a huge success! Thank you to Mr. Frieden for giving the second graders a tour of PCS. The students are excited to become PCS Third Graders.
- McGraw-Hill Math Training was attended today to implement the new series K-2 for the 2017-2018 School Year. Teachers collaborated to develop curriculum timelines for next year.