

BUILDING WORLD CLASS THINKERS PIONEER PATH SCHOOL

PRINCIPAL, Mr. Dan Nyalka

May 9, 2024

SCHOOL WEBSITE ADDRESS: www.csd17.org

ABSENCE HOTLINE NUMBER: 521-2191

- May 13 - PTO MEETING 6:30 - 7:15 PM @ CJH
- May 16 - STEP-UP DAY ~ 4th GRADERS TO THREE RIVERS SCHOOL
- May 20 - SCHOOL BOARD MEETING 7:00 PM
- May 20 - 3RD & 4TH GRADERS WALK ACROSS THE STREET TO BOWL FOR P.E.
- May 20 - YEARBOOKS GO HOME
- May 21 - FIELD DAY 11:30 AM - 2:45 PM
- May 23 - LAST DAY OF STUDENT ATTENDANCE ~ 11:30 DISMISSAL FOR PP & NBG

CLICK ON THE LINK TO SEE COMMUNITY EVENTS THROUGH OUR [\(VIRTUAL BACKPACK\)](#).

FRIDAYS ARE SCHOOL SPIRIT DAY! WEAR YOUR FAVORITE **RED** & **WHITE**!



Dear 4th Grade Parents,



Just a reminder that the 4th Graders will be riding our school buses over to Three Rivers School for step-up day on Thursday, May 16th. They will go in two groups from 1:00 - 1:30 and 1:30 - 2:00.



We need parent volunteers for our annual Field Day on Tuesday, May 21st. Volunteers are needed from 11:30 - 2:45. If you are able to help, please contact Mrs. Zadel @ tzadel@csd17.org. We are also in need of **Freeze Pops** and **Lemonade** if you would like to donate either of these.

Thank you in advance!

Technology News



Sextortion is Real

Last month, the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children [released new data](#) on the issue of [sextortion](#), which is when children are threatened or blackmailed into giving money or gift cards after being deceived into sharing explicit photos of themselves to prevent those photos from being shared. It's disturbing to note that the number of reported cases jumped to nearly 28,000 in 2023 from nearly 11,000 in 2022. Also, sad to note is that teenaged boys are increasingly the target of this kind of scam. What can parents do about this?

- Recognize that this is a very real issue.
- Talk openly in an age-appropriate way with your kids about the topic.
- Assure them that if they fall victim that they are not to blame and that you will find help.
- Report it to law enforcement.
- Monitor your kids' online activity, recognizing that all social media requires users to be at least 13 years of age to use their services.
- Make sure tech use happens in "public" areas of the home, like the family room or kitchen, not in places like the bedroom.
- Recognize that no application is "safe" for sending explicit photos, including apps like Snapchat which feel "safe" because the images and videos "disappear" after being viewed and the sender is notified if the recipient takes a screenshot.

LUNCH ACCOUNTS



If you haven't replenished your child's lunch account yet, you may want to do so at this time. Please check your child's account on TeacherEase. When sending in lunch money, please make sure you fill out a lunch deposit form. Please put your form and money in an envelope with your student's name on it, marked **Lunch Money**. For Credit Card payments - Please log into your [TeacherEase](#) account to pay with Credit Card (a convenience fee will be added) - You must log in from a computer. Payments cannot be made through the TeacherEase app. **Hot Lunch is \$2.60**

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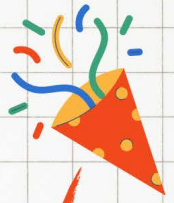
Only 9 days of school left after today.

Please click on the links below for more important information:

- **NURSE NEWS** [click here](#)
- **MUSIC BOOSTER NEWS** [click here](#)
- **PTO NEWS** [click here](#)



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GRADUATION \$35

REGISTRATION AFTER JULY 1:

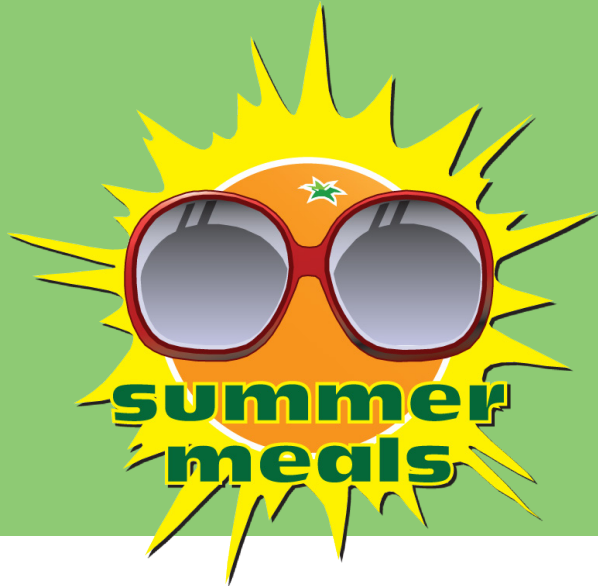
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