



Panther Weekly Bulletin

Breakfast Menu

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
Biscuit & Gravy	EggStravaganza Potato Triangle Toast	Breakfast Casserole English Muffin	Mini Waffles Sausage	Donut Yogurt

Lunch Menu

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
Pork Tenderloin On a Bun Baby Ranch Potatoes Baked Beans	Chicken Fried Rice Egg Roll Broccoli w/ Cheese Sauce	Crispitos Cheese Sauce Spanish Rice Peas Churro	Steak Fingers Mashed Potatoes White Gravy Corn Biscuit	Deep Dish Pizza Carrots

Happening this week at PHS

Saturday, January 11th- Drivers Education class @ PHS 8:00 am -1:00 pm **Enter through Main entrance on North side, JV Girls Basketball @ Crete 9:00 am Van leaves @ 7:30 am, HS Boys Wrestling @ Malcolm 9:00 am Bus leaves @ 6:45 am, 8th Grade All State Band @ Kearney**

Sunday, January 12th- Drivers Education class @ PHS 8:00 am -1:00 pm **Enter through Main entrance on North side**

Monday, January 13th- FFA CDE Practice (High School Only) 7:30 am, Girls MUDECAS Basketball vs. Parkview Christian @ Beatrice Middle School 7:00 pm Bus leaves @ 5:00 pm
See Attached Bracket

Tuesday, January 14th- Boys MUDECAS Basketball vs. Lewiston @ Beatrice Middle School 8:15 pm Bus leaves @ 6:15 pm
See Attached Bracket

Wednesday, January 15th- Show Choir 6:45 am, FCCLA Chapter Meeting 7:45 am

Thursday, January 16th- Youth Frontiers 7th Grade Retreat @ PHS, MUDECAS Basketball TBD See Attached Bracket, Girls HS Wrestling Dual @ PHS vs. Plattsmouth 6:30 pm
Senior Night for Boys and Girls Wrestling

Friday, January 17th- Show Choir 6:45 am, Girls MUDECAS Basketball TBD See Attached Bracket, HS Boys Wrestling @ Weeping Water 1:00 pm Bus leaves @ 10:15 am

Saturday, January 18th- Boys MUDECAS Basketball TBD See Attached Bracket

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, January 20th– NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Day

Tuesday, January 21st– High School Basketball @ PHS vs. Conestoga

Wednesday, January 22nd– Show Choir 6:45 am

Thursday, January 23rd– JH Girls Basketball @ PHS vs. Elmwood Murdock

Friday, January 24th– Show Choir 6:45 am, High School Girls and Boys Wrestling @ Louisville, High School Basketball @ Yutan

Saturday, January 25th–

GO PANTHERS!

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Newsletter - January 10th, 2024

Arrival 7:55-8:25

Dismissal 3:20

Early Dismissal Days 1:00

Principal's Update

We are so excited to have all the students back from winter break and in the building again. We had a great first week of school and it's fun to see the students find joy in returning to school, seeing their friends, and getting back into the routine.

Arrival/ Dismissal Changes

If you have a change in the dismissal plan for your child(ren), please call the office by 2:00 to help us have ample time to communicate these changes with the classroom teachers.

Recess

Our goal is to provide opportunities for students to receive outdoor play time during the winter months. Our indoor vs. outdoor recess guidelines are based on the "feels like" temperature. If it is below 15 degrees, we will stay indoors for recess. If it is above 15 degrees on the "feels like" and snow is on the ground, we will ask students to stay on the concrete or play equipment areas.

Upcoming Events

- Jan. 14th- Bennet Boosters Meeting
- Jan. 20th- No School- Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Feb. 4th- Early Dismissal- 1:00
- Feb. 4th- Parent Teacher Conferences- 2:00-8:00
- Feb. 5th- No School- Teacher In-Service Day
- Feb. 11th- Bennet Boosters
- Feb. 14th- No School- Winter Break
- Feb. 17th- No School- Winter Break
- March 7th- No School- Spring Break
- March 14th- No School- Spring Break

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Community Update

Panther Ball Club Registration

PBC baseball, softball, and t-ball registration will be from January 5th-January 25th.

Please visit:

https://clubs.bluesombrero.com/pantherball?fbclid=IwZXh0bgNhZW0CMTEAAR0cJ1qmBZ0N-nrpEh5y0gGxF9ErOvhL8laOPZeo5z5c-9FyyBjviNGM-6s_aem_dgJbQ7GBCexwADHyK4OdTg

They will soon have links and more information on their Facebook page. Parents can email with any questions at pantherballclub@gmail.com.

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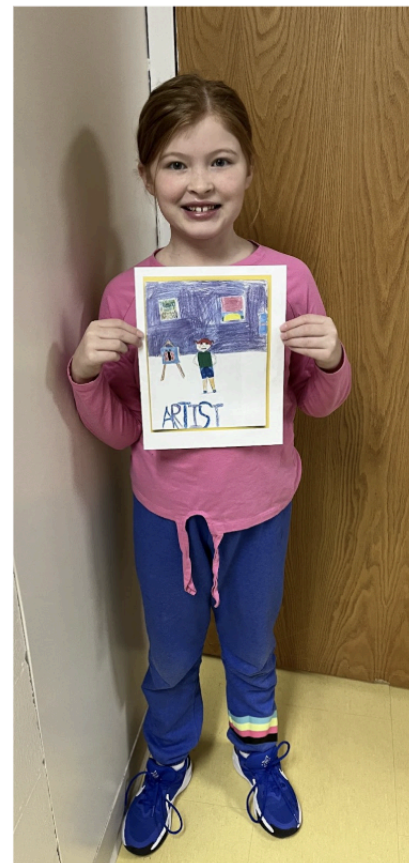
Bennet Elementary School Counseling Program



Hello Panther Families!

Earlier in the year, students and families had the opportunity to send in artwork showing what they wanted to pursue as a career in the future. This was sponsored by Union Bank and Nest 529. I am happy to share that one of our students, Harriet Pool, submitted a piece of artwork and won one of the awards. We are so proud of Harriet and her passion for art. Nice work!

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PANTHER YOUTH BASKETBALL NIGHT

WHEN:

January 21, 2025 | JV/Varsity Girls & Boys Basketball Against Conestoga

WHERE TO SIT:

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WHAT TO WEAR:

Your youth basketball jersey or 5000 Shot Club Shirt to get into the game free!

RECOGNITION

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RIVERSTONE
BANK

Splash *for*
Cash



DURING HALFTIME AT EACH
PANTHERS VARSITY
BASKETBALL GAME, ONE
PERSON* WILL BE DRAWN FOR A
CHANCE TO WIN!



LAY-UP \$5
FREE-THROW \$10
3 POINT SHOT \$25
HALF-COURT SHOT \$100

*purchase tickets at
the admission table
prior to the game

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Standard Response Protocol

Bennet Elementary's adoption of the Standard Response Protocol (SRP) provides a standardized approach to managing various events, both threatening and non-threatening, that may happen in or around our school.

These protocols provide actions for the following situations:

- Lockout (danger is outside the school)
- Lockdown (danger is inside the school)
- Evacuate (leave the school building, such as a fire)
- Shelter (tornado or severe weather)
- Hold (stay in classrooms due to a non-threatening event outside the classroom)

IN AN EMERGENCY TAKE ACTION



HOLD! In your room or area. Clear the halls.

OCCUPANTS

Clear the hallways and remain in room or area until the "All Clear" is announced
Do business as usual

STAFF

Close and lock door
Account for occupants and staff
Do business as usual



SECURE! Get inside. Lock outside doors.

OCCUPANTS

Return inside
Do business as usual

STAFF

Bring everyone indoors
Lock outside doors
Increase situational awareness
Account for occupants and staff
Do business as usual



LOCKDOWN! Locks, lights, out of sight.

OCCUPANTS

Move away from sight
Maintain silence
Do not open the door
Prepare to evade or defend

STAFF

Lock interior doors
Turn out the lights
Move away from sight
Do not open the door
Maintain silence
Account for occupants and staff
Prepare to evade or defend



EVACUATE! (A location may be specified)

OCCUPANTS

Evacuate to specified location
Bring your phone
Instructions may be provided about retaining or leaving belongings

STAFF

Lead evacuation to specified location
Account for occupants and staff
Notify if missing, extra or injured people



SHELTER! Hazard and safety strategy.

OCCUPANTS

Use appropriate safety strategy for the hazard

Hazard	Safety Strategy
Tornado	Evacuate to shelter area
Hazmat	Seal the room
Earthquake	Drop, cover and hold
Tsunami	Get to high ground

STAFF

Lead safety strategy
Account for occupants and staff
Notify if missing, extra or injured people

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[Student Directory Link](#)

Arrival and Dismissal Procedures

A few reminders that I would like to share to help everyone get in and out quickly:

- Please have students enter and exit your vehicle on the passenger side of your vehicle. The drop off lane is extremely effective and the safety of your student is our priority. By doing this, we can ensure that students are not in zones of traffic and are not in harm's way.
- If you are using the parent drop/pick up lanes, please stay in your vehicles. If you would like to park and walk up, please utilize the parking spaces in the interior of the parent pickup/dropoff lane.
- In the afternoon **only**, Kindergarten parents may utilize the bus drop off lane for pickup for Kindergarten students and older siblings. Grades 1-5 will continue to use the primary pickup/dropoff lane. Teachers have now been assigned zones to help aid in the location of your students to help you get in and out quickly.
- For preschool students, we have begun a student drop-off zone similar to the primary drop-off lane. If you would like to stay in your vehicle, a staff member will assist with getting your student out of the vehicle.

Arrival Times

Students that are participating in the Rec program can be dropped off starting at 7:00. All other students can arrive no earlier than 7:50 unless they are utilizing school bussing or the Rec Program. School starts at 8:20 and the tardy bell rings at 8:30. Breakfast begins at 7:50 and ends at 8:20.

PowerSchool

Please check PowerSchool to view grades, missing assignments, and lunch balances. If you need to set up your account, please call Kristi in the office.

District Calendar

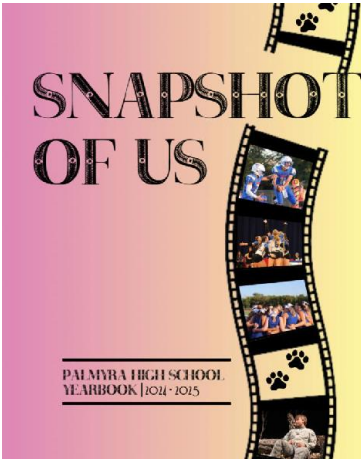
[24-25 District Calendar](#)

Transportation:

If you have any questions regarding bussing, please contact Cathy Fick at 402-540-2879.

Walsworth 2024-25 Yearbook Purchase Agreement

Purchase yours today and get a piece of history!
\$40



\$50
Prices will go up on February 13th.

Remember the school year by purchasing a 2024-25 yearbook for \$40. Prices will go up February 13th to \$50, so grab one now. Use the purchase agreement below or go online @ [https://yearbookforever.com/](https://yearbookforever/)

_____	_____
Last Name	First Name
_____	_____
# of Yearbooks	Total (check or cash)

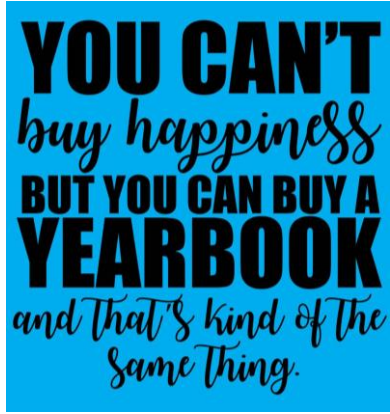
****All orders must be pre-paid .***

Return to the office with payment if using this document.

Address (if an out-going senior and not picking up yearbook)

_____ _____
City Zip Code

E-mail to contact you when yearbook arrives.





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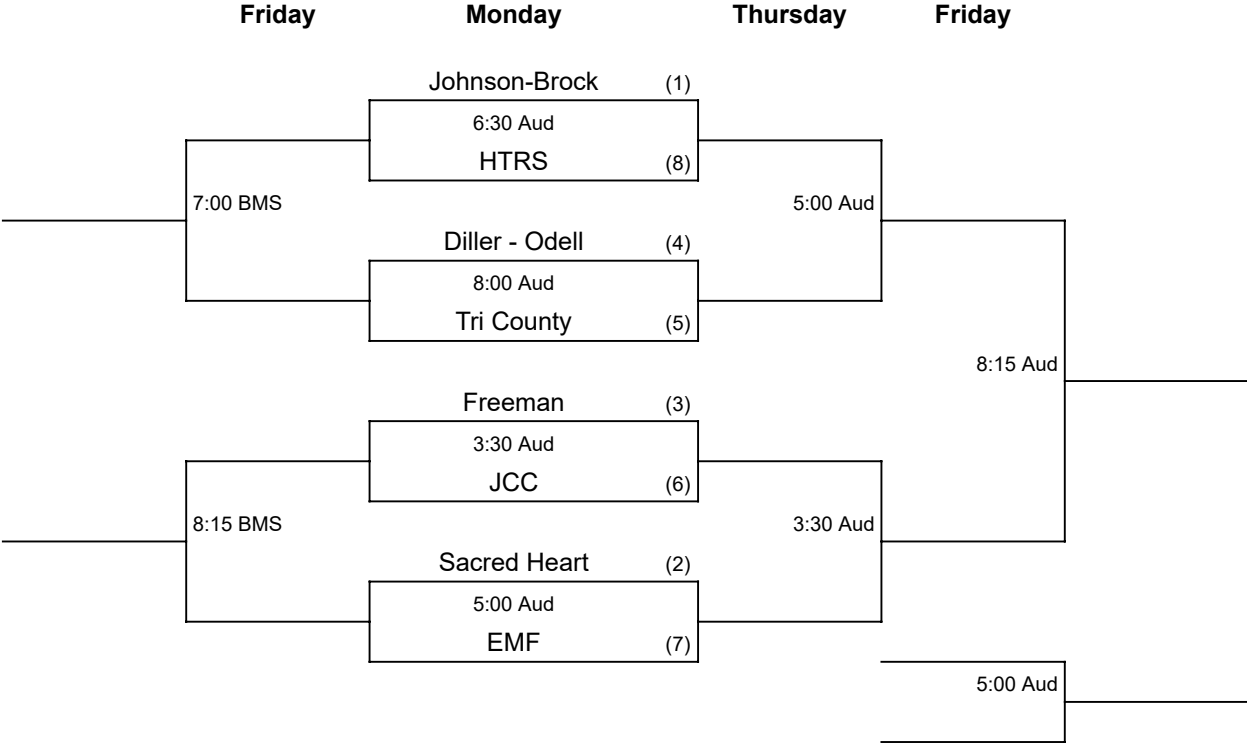
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2025 MUDECAS Basketball Tournament

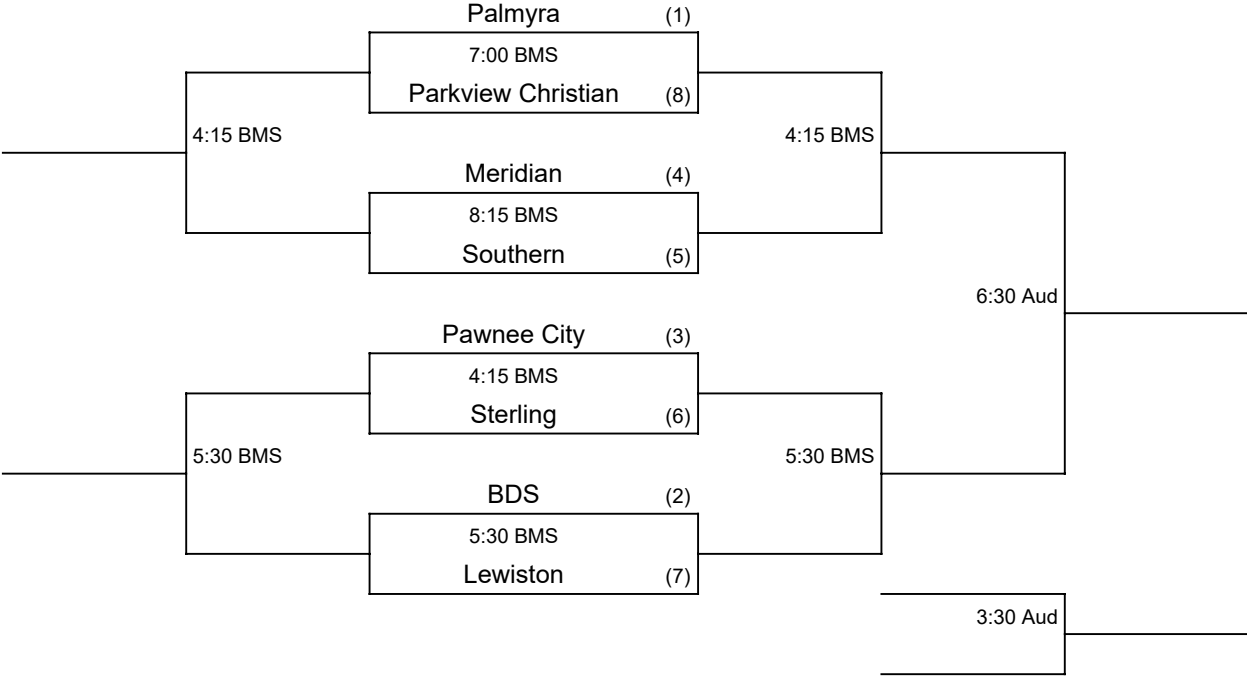
January 13 ,16 and 17, 2025

Girls

A Division



B Division

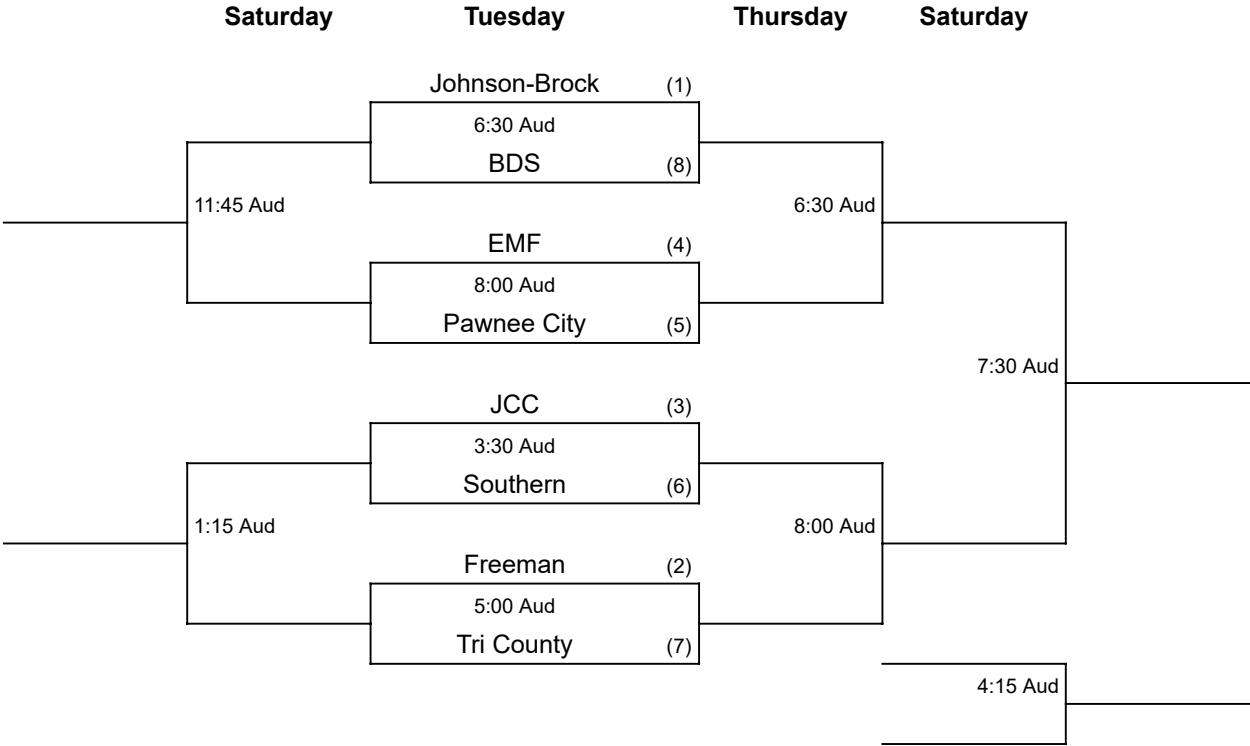


2025 MUDECAS Basketball Tournament

January 14 ,16 and 18, 2025

Boys

A Division



B Division

