



# PINE VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL District News



*Pine Valley Central School District Newsletter*

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## Superintendent's Message



Panthers and Panther Families,

The Pine Valley Central School District Board of Education is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. James E. Przepasniak as the district's Interim Superintendent, effective August 1, 2023. He will serve while the Board conducts a search for a Superintendent of Schools to replace Bryna Moritz, who was appointed Deputy Superintendent at Erie 2- Chautauqua-Cattaraugus BOCES, effective August 1, 2023.

Mr. Przepasniak is a retired Superintendent of Schools, having served in that capacity at the Lake Shore Central School District for nine years. Prior to that, he served as Lake Shore's Assistant Superintendent of Instruction for five years, as Elementary Principal for one year, and as the Middle/ High School Principal at Cleveland Hill UFSD for nine years. He began his 41-year educational career as a Business and Computer Teacher at Williamsville East High School from 1977 to 1992.

Mr. Przepasniak and his wife, Sue, reside in Orchard Park and have two sons, Ryan and Jason. He looks forward to meeting students, staff, parents, and community members during his interim superintendency at Pine Valley.

## PV CEP Household Income

While all Pine Valley students are eligible to receive a free healthy breakfast and lunch at school for the 2023 - 2024 school year, we are requesting that families still complete the CEP Household Income Eligibility Form. This information is vital in the calculation of our state aid. Thank you.

***Form available on page 9***

## Have You Been Volunteering This Summer?

If the answer is yes- we thank you!!! The summer is a wonderful time to volunteer for local organizations or to help out some community members. If you have been volunteering, make sure you complete the log sheet and get it turned in to Mrs. Chase in the counseling office when you return in the fall. Don't procrastinate- you don't want to lose that verification of your hours worked! As usual, anytime we find out about a need in our community, we post the opportunity for our students to get involved. Pay attention to these announcements each day as well as your emails. Getting involved in these "sponsored" events will pay off in countless ways! And remember forms and information are always available on the Community Service page of the school website.



# Jr./Sr. High School News

by Mrs. Kourtney Almeida, Jr./Sr. High School Principal

## Seniors Attending College in Fall 2024



Attention all Seniors! You can file your 2024-2025 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) as early as December 1, 2023. This date is later than the usual October 1 date, as the FAFSA form

is being simplified and updated. This means college applications will need to be completed and sent in before you begin the financial aid process. Students should be ready to start completing college applications this September. Although many schools will accept later applications, to receive the most financial aid available, it is very important to apply on time. Counselors will be meeting with each Senior to discuss their plans.

## Financial Aid Night

**October 4, 2023 | 6:00 PM**

The Counseling Department at Pine Valley will provide helpful information to the parents of students in grades 11 and 12 planning to attend college. This night will give you time to apply before the deadline for priority filing. The presentation will include information and assistance on completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).

### PSAT for Juniors

The PSAT is a preparation test for the SAT. Still, it also helps students measure their understanding of critical reading, mathematical reasoning, and writing skills that are important for success in college. Pine Valley strongly encourages all juniors to take the test on either October 18th or October 19th.

There are test prep sites and materials to help assist the students with the format of the test. The Khan Academy offers a free resource online at [khanacademy.org/sat](https://khanacademy.org/sat).

*Pre-College Testing Schedule on page 3.*

## WNY College Representatives Visiting PV Juniors and Seniors

This event was for our Junior and Senior students to meet with college admissions representatives from 19 WNY Colleges. Students explored college academics, athletics, extracurricular opportunities and more by speaking with each representative face to face. The visit took place at the High School on September 20th. The colleges they were able to speak with were:

- Alfred State College
- Alfred University
- Bryant & Stratton College
- Buffalo State University
- Canisius University
- Daemen University
- D'Youville University
- Erie Community College
- State University of New York @ Fredonia
- Genesee Community College
- Hilbert College
- Houghton University
- Jamestown Community College
- Niagara County Community College
- Niagara University
- St. Bonaventure University
- Trocaire College
- University at Buffalo

## THANK YOU TO OUR SCHOLARSHIP SPONSORS!

We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to our various local scholarship sponsors! Your generosity is deeply appreciated, and your contributions will absolutely assist our recent graduates in their endeavors at college. No matter how big or small, the gifts are helpful. For anyone interested in starting a new scholarship or memorial award, contact Debbie Youngberg in the high school Counseling Office by phone (ext. 4334) or email [dyoungberg@pval.org](mailto:dyoungberg@pval.org)



## 2023-2024 Pre-College Testing

### ASVAB at PV:

*For Sophomores-  
January 10 | 8:00 AM*

This exam is meant to assist students in career exploration by match their academic skills and strengths to potential careers. Students will be given more information about the exam in November. There is no fee for this exam.

### PSAT at PV:

*For Juniors-  
October 18 & 19 | 8:00 AM*

Students will be given information about the exam in September. For the 2023-24 school year, the cost of the exam will be covered by the school. The exam will be given in school and will take approximately 2 hours. Students will be dismissed from morning classes but will attend afternoon classes.

### PV HS Code (CEEB):

**335260**

If you would like help with the registration process for the SAT or ACT, you may request a pass to the Counseling Office during a study hall. We also have study guides available!

### SAT:

*Cost: \$60 fee waivers available for those who qualify. Late Registration late fee is required, +\$35.*

**SAT Registration:** Registration can **only** be done online at [www.sat.collegeboard.com](http://www.sat.collegeboard.com). Students may request an appointment to meet with their counselor to assist in registering online. However, if they do not qualify for the fee waiver, they will have to finish registration at home with a parent (due to the payment portion).

The fee for this exam must be paid online. Students who are on Pine Valley's free or reduced lunch program may request a fee waiver from the counseling office.

Saturday exams are given at area high schools (not at Pine Valley). Students can choose their test locations during registration. Students are responsible for their own transportation to and from the actual exam. Pine Valley may offer an in-school exam when possible.

Photo identification is now a requirement for registering and taking the SAT. When you register online, you will be required to upload a photo of yourself. This photo must meet their requirements: photo shows only you, facing the camera, head and shoulders only, nothing obscuring your face (hair, hands, shadows, glare, sunglasses), and photo is focused (not fuzzy or grainy). If you need assistance with this, the counseling office can assist.

Make sure you choose to share your SAT Score with Pine Valley. This is important if you would like your score on your high school transcript.

After you complete the registration process, you will be directed to print your **"admission ticket"**. This is **very important** and should be stored in a safe place and taken with you to the exam. More directions and expectations for your test date are also outlined on this admission ticket.

Test Dates	Registration Deadlines	Late Registration
August 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023
October 7, 2023	September 7, 2023	September 26, 2023
October 11, 2023	TBD	*PV's In-School Test Day
November 4, 2023	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023
December 2, 2023	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023
March 9, 2024	February 23, 2024	February 27, 2024
April 24, 2024	TBD	*PV's In-School Test Day
May 4, 2024	April 19, 2024	April 23, 2024
June 1, 2024	May 16, 2024	May 21, 2024

*Pre-College Testing (ACT) continued on page 4*



## 2023-2024 Pre-College Testing Continued

### ACT:

Cost: \$68 (No Writing section) or \$93 (Includes Writing section). Fee waivers are available. Late Registration late fee is required, +\$38.

**ACT Registration:** Registration is very similar to the SAT. Students must register for the ACT online. Test centers include Dunkirk, Fredonia, Hamburg, JCC, Olean, and Pioneer to name a few. The fee for the exam must be paid online. Students on Pine Valley's free or reduced lunch program are eligible for a fee waiver, but must request one from their counselor. Make sure you choose to share your ACT Score with Pine Valley. This is important if you would like your score on your high school transcript. Register online at [www.actstudent.org/start](http://www.actstudent.org/start)

Test Dates	Registration Deadlines	Late Registration
September 9, 2023	August 4, 2023	August 18, 2023
October 28, 2023	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023
December 9, 2023	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023
February 10, 2024	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024
April 13, 2024	March 8, 2024	March 22, 2024
June 8, 2024	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024
July 13, 2024	June 7, 2024	*June 21, 2024

## PV June 2023 Graduates

### *Senior Class Night Awards and Recognition Ceremony*

**Ronald C. Brown:** This award is given in Ron's memory by his mother, Patricia Brown. The award is presented to the senior with the best overall attendance in grades 9-12.

**Recipient:** *Haleigha Hardy*

**Excellent Attendance:** overall superb attendance throughout high school. Although these students did not always achieve perfect attendance each year, their absences were minimal (less than 3) throughout high school and their dedication to showing up each day is commendable.

**Recipients:** *Kyle Chase, Kaitlin Hayes & Luisa Smith*

**Honor Roll 2023 (overall GPA is 90% and above):**

**Recipients:** *Dale Bauer, Ellijah Boerst, Kyle Chase, Faith Delcamp, Haleigha Hardy, Kaitlin Hayes, George Kruszka III, Jaiden Miller, Allyson Morey, Luisa Smith, Molly Sunick*

**Merit Roll 2023 (overall GPA is 85% to 89.999%):**

**Recipients:** *Trishten Brisley, Sophia Jones, Daylon Logan, Grace Pfleuger, Fredrick Roland, Zachary Waterman, Brandon Yoris*

**President's Academic Excellence Awards and Pine Valley's Honor Students:** Students with above a 90% average throughout four years of high school.

**Recipients:** *Haleigha Hardy, Kaitlin Hayes, Sophia Jones, Allyson Morey, Luisa Smith, Molly Sunick & Brandon Yoris*



**PV Scholar Athletes:** Students who maintained 90% or higher GPA while participating in Varsity Sports.

**Recipients:** *Kyle Chase, Haleigha Hardy, Kaitlin Hayes, George Kruszka III, Grace Pfleuger, Daylon Logan, Jaiden Miller, Fredrick Roland, Luisa Smith, Molly Sunick, Brandon Yoris*

### **Daughters of The American Revolution Awards:**

**Exceptional History Award:** Recognition of a student who has shown exceptional knowledge concerning the history of our nation.

**Recipient:** *Kaitlin Hayes*

**Good Citizen Award:** The Citizen of the Year Award is awarded to a senior who possesses the qualities which the DAR recognizes as good citizenship: dependability, service, leadership and patriotism.

**Recipient:** *Hunter Colvin*

### **Class Office Recognition.**

**President:** *Molly Sunick*

**Vice President:** *George Kruszka*

**Secretary:** *Allyson Morey*

**Treasurers:** *Sophie Jones & Luisa Smith*

**Class Representatives:** *Kaitlin Hayes and Grace Pfleuger*

### **Jamestown Business College's College Awards:**

**Academic Progress Award recipients:** *Evan Hart, Fredrick Roland, Kristal Ramirez* qualities which

**Business As A Career Award recipient:** *Abilene Green*

**John August Johnson Scholarship recipients:** *Abilene Green, Evan Hart, Kristal Ramirez*

### **Jamestown Community College Unified Student Assistance (USA) Scholarships:**

**Recipients:** *Faith Delcamp, Haleigha Hardy, Brandon Yoris*

### **South Dayton American Legion Post #1593 Auxiliary Awards:**

**Recipients:** *Hunter Colvin, Haleigha Hardy & Allyson Morey*

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## *2023 Commencement Awards*

#### **Alumni, Class of '74:**

Awarded to the senior selected by their class as the "most congenial."

*Luisa Smith*

former teacher & class advisor at PVCS."

*Molly Sunick*

#### **Alumni, Class of '93:**

Award presented to a student in fond memory of 1993 graduates.

*Ashley Campbell and Hunter Colvin*

#### **Alumni, Class of '80:**

Awarded to a senior in the top 25% of the class who participates in class functions. Given in memory of Robert Butcher a

#### **Alumni, Class of '84:**

Award presented to a college-bound senior in the top third of the class with an exceptional attendance record.

*Kyle Chase*

#### **Amber Riggs Memorial Award:**

Award is given to a graduate in memory of Amber's dedication to and pride for Pine Valley Central



School. To honor her memory, recipients are chosen based on their devotion to academic and athletic achievement.

*Kaitlin Hayes & Jaiden Miller*

### **Bewley-Hooker Memorial Award:**

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Award is given to a college-bound student who shows Christian maturity and exhibits a Christ-like attitude of concern and forgiveness.

*Brandon Yoriss*

### **Brian Colvin Memorial Award:**

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Award is given in loving memory to a student having like values of Mr. Colvin, who has strived to achieve their goals and will continue their education in a field of science and/or nature.

*Kyle Chase*

### **Brian P. Smith Memorial Scholarship:**

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Award given to a college-bound student who has strong character, demonstrates kindness, and acceptance of others, and has a desire to help children from all walks of life.

*George Kruszka III*

### **Cattaraugus County Bank Award:**

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Scholarship awarded to a college-bound senior who will be pursuing a career in the business field.

*Evan Hart & Kristal Ramirez*

### **Chad Brown Memorial Scholarship:**

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Scholarship presented to a senior with an 85 + average and outstanding athletic ability & character. Given in memory of Chad by his parents, Dan and Terry Brown.

*Haleigha Hardy*

### **Cherry Creek Firemen Auxiliary:**

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Scholarship for seniors living in the Cherry Creek Fire District and who have assisted the fire department in various ways.

*Kyle Chase & Luisa Smith*

### **Community In Action Scholarships:**

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Given to students who are continuing their education or entering the military, based upon student applications.

*Haleigha Hardy, Sophia Jones, Allyson Morey, Luisa Smith, Molly Sunick*

### **David Dunning Memorial Awards:**

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Awards sponsored by the PVTA to two college-bound seniors. In memory of David Dunning, teacher, coach, and friend of Pine Valley 1954-1976.

**Recipients:** *Dale Bauer & Luisa Smith*

**Alternate:** *Brandon Yoriss*

### **Far West Council of School Superintendents Scholarship:**

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Scholarships awarded on the basis of service, leadership, work ethic, and character.

*Molly Sunick*

### **FFA Scholarship:**

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Scholarships to seniors who have excelled in the Ag/Tech curriculum.

*Kyle Chase, George Kruszka III, Craig Howard & Hunter Colvin*

### **Iva K. Westley Estate Science Award:**

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Awarded to a college-bound senior who excels in science and is pursuing a degree in the science field.

*Darwin Westlund*

### **Jachym Scholarship:**

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The scholarship is given to a senior who is in the upper 20% of the class and has outstanding character, citizenship, and leadership. Originated by Audrey and John Jachym, in memory of his mother, Amelia, the award is continued by past recipients in commemoration of Mr. & Mrs. Jachym.

*Molly Sunick*

### **Jesse & Herman Warner Memorial Award:**

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Award given to the salutatorian of the class.

*Allyson Morey*

### **Kenneth Abbey Memorial Award:**

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Award was established to provide deserving graduate with a one-time scholarship to assist in their pursuit of further education in the areas of teaching or technical education. Student must demonstrate leadership qualities, a caring attitude toward fellow students, and who has made the school a better place.

*Nicholas Gleason*



### **Larry Wells Memorial Scholarship:**

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Award given in memory of Laurence Wells, II, alumnus 1996, who believed in working hard, being responsible and always being kind. Sponsored by Friends of Laurence Wells.

*George Kruszka III*

### **Lyn Hann Memorial Music Award:**

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Vocal and instrumental awards go to students with an exceptional attitude and musicianship. Award sponsored by Heather Kerr, Bryan Hann and Warren Hann in memory of their mother, Mrs. Lyn Hann.

*Luisa Smith & Darwin Westlund*

### **Major & Mrs. Albert W. Sheldon Scholarship:**

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Awarded to seniors who demonstrate leadership and dedication to becoming better citizens.

*Fredrick Roland*

### **Music Award in Memory of Donald Gould:**

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Award given by his wife, Vivien, to a student involved in the music department. In memory of Donald, an alumnus of Pine Valley class of 1954, who loved music, played in the high school band and marching band, the Alumni band, the community band, and the Drum and Bugle Corp.

*Molly Sunick*

### **Nick Golembieski Memorial Award:**

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Given in memory of former Pine Valley teacher, Mr. Golembieski. The award is given to a student who is pursuing a degree in science or a science-related field.

*George Kruszka III*

### **PVCS CSEA Employees Scholarship:**

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Given by members of the CSEA union of Pine Valley to a college-bound senior.

*Haleigha Hardy & Zachary Waterman*

### **Pine Valley Central School Employees Scholarships:**

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Scholarship given by the PVCS Employees.

*Kaitlin Hayes & Luisa Smith*

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### **Pine Valley Teachers Association (PVTA) Academic Awards:**

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**English Recipient:** Allyson Morey  
**Mathematics Recipient:** Sophia Jones  
**Science Recipient:** Kaitlin Hayes  
**History Recipient:** Kaitlin Hayes  
**Most Improved Recipient:** Dale Bauer

### **South Dayton American Legion Post 1593:**

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Award for students with outstanding community involvement and who have

a positive, gracious attitude toward others.

*Haleigha Hardy & Craig Howard*

### **South Dayton Firebells Scholarship:**

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Award is given to a student within their fire district who is pursuing a degree in the medical, science, or fire protection field.

*Allyson Morey*

### **Sticek Baseball/Softball Award:**

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Given to a graduating senior with at least an 85% GPA who has played two or more years of high school sports and who plans to continue the sport in college.

*Luisa Smith*

### **Villanova Cheese Factory Ag/Tech Award:**

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Award for outstanding performance in the Ag/Tech field.

*Kyle Chase*

### **Villanova Grange #604 Award:**

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Give to a college-bound Senior who is pursuing a career in Agriculture, Home Economics, or a related field.

*Kyle Chase & Luisa Smith*



### Unified Basketball

By Cassidy Buchman

I would first like to start the newsletter off by saying thank you to everyone that came out to support us. We would like to thank the official, score and timekeeper and the bus drive. For those that don't know this year was the very first year Pine Valley has had a unified basketball team. We ended the season with a record of 1-3 and the league 1-5 placing 4th. We ended the season with a total of 155 points with our lead scoring being Matt Burdic. Our most defensive player Tiana Bova.

I would like to thank our coaches Colin Gregory, Jack Sheldon, James Maltbie, Ryan Waterman, Muriel Zollinger, Arryana Bardi, and Warren Butcher for joining. As well as our athletics Ryan Adams, Hunter Bova, Tianna Bova, Matt Burdic, Hunter Colvin, Dahlia Dawson, Sonny Gullo, and Sam Jacchino.

I was internally grateful to have had the opportunity to coach these amazing athletics. I had a blast being the coach of the first unified basketball team Pine Valley had ever had. I am especially thankful for Daphne Cortright who helped me throughout the season with games, athletics, and partners. I would also like to thank:



**Character Award:** Hunter Colvin  
**Sportsmanship:** Sam Jacchino

### ROSTER

#53 Ryan Adams  
#3 Hunter Bova  
#2 Tianna Bova  
#52 Matt Burdic  
#25 Hunter Colvin  
#45 Dahlia Dawson  
#35 Sonny Gullo  
#55 Sam Jacchino  
#41 Anthony Sheldon  
Colin Gregory  
#30 Jack Sheldon  
#24 James Maltbie  
Ryan Waterman  
#40 Muriel Zollinger  
#20 Arryana Bardi  
#32 Warren Butcher



*Thank You All For A Wonderful Season!*





## Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)/Provision 2 non-base year Household Income Eligibility Form

Pine Valley Central School District is participating in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). All children in the school will receive meals/milk at no charge regardless of household income or completion of this form. This form is to determine eligibility for additional State and federal program benefits that your child(ren) may qualify for. Read the instructions on the back, complete **only one** form for your household, sign your name and return it to the school named above. Call (716) 988-3293, if you need help.

1. List all children in your household who attend school:

Student Name	School	Grade/Teacher	Foster Child	No Income
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. SNAP/TANF/FDPIR Benefits: If anyone in your household receives either SNAP, TANF or FDPIR benefits, list their name and CASE # here. Skip to Part 5, and sign the application.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ CASE # \_\_\_\_\_

3. Household Gross Income: List all people living in your household, how much and how often they are paid (weekly, every other week, twice per month, monthly). Do not leave income blank. If no income, check box. If you have listed a foster child above, you must report their personal income.

Name of household member	Earnings from work before deductions Amount / How Often	Child Support, Alimony Amount / How Often	Pensions, Retirement Payments Amount / How Often	Other Income, Social Security Amount / How Often	No Income
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	\$ _____ / _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Signature: An adult household member must sign this application.

I certify (promise) that all the information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the information is being given so the school may receive federal funds. The school officials may verify the information and if I purposely give false information, I may be prosecuted under applicable State and federal laws, and my children may lose meal benefits.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

**DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE – FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY**

**Annual Income Conversion (Only convert when multiple income frequencies are reported on application)**  
Weekly X 52; Every Two Weeks (bi-weekly) X 26; Twice Per Month X 24; Monthly X 12

SNAP/TANF/Foster Income \_\_\_\_\_ Total Household Income/How Often: \_\_\_\_\_ Household Size: \_\_\_\_\_  
Free Eligibility \_\_\_\_\_ Reduced Eligibility \_\_\_\_\_ Denied Eligibility \_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Reviewing Official**

# AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM HELPING HOUSEHOLDS CONNECT

The Affordable Connectivity Program is an FCC program that helps connect families and households struggling to afford internet service.

The Affordable Connectivity Program provides:

- Up to \$30/month discount for broadband service
- Up to \$75/month discount for households on qualifying Tribal lands
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet purchased through a participating provider if the household contributes more than \$10 but less than \$50 toward the purchase price.

The Affordable Connectivity Program is limited to one monthly service discount and one device discount per household.



## WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

A household is eligible for the Affordable Connectivity Program if the household income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines, or if a member of the household meets at least one of the criteria below:

- Received a Federal Pell Grant during the current award year
- Participates in the Free and reduced-Price School Lunch Program or the School Breakfast Program, including through the USDA Community Eligibility Provision
- Meets the eligibility criteria for a participating provider's existing low-income internet program
- Participates in one of these assistance programs:
  - SNAP
  - Medicaid
  - Federal Public Housing Assistance
  - Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
  - WIC
  - Veterans Pension or Survivor Benefits
  - or Lifeline;
- Participates in one of these assistance programs and lives on Qualifying Tribal lands:
  - Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance
  - Tribal TANF
  - Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
  - Tribal Head Start (income based)



Check out [fcc.gov/ACP](https://www.fcc.gov/ACP) for a Consumer FAQ and other program resources.

## TWO STEPS TO ENROLL

**Step 1:** Go to [AffordableConnectivity.gov](https://AffordableConnectivity.gov) to submit an application or print out a mail-in application.

**Step 2:** Contact your preferred participating provider to select a plan and have the discount applied to your bill.

Some providers may have an alternative application that they will ask you to complete. Eligible households must both apply for the program and contact a participating provider to select a service plan.



Call 877-384-2575 or find more information about the Affordable Connectivity Program at:

**FCC.GOV/ACP**



# Pine Valley Elementary School

## Birthday Celebration Snacks

*Healthy & Convenient*

*Why make a trip to the store to purchase a snack for the class? Let the PV Cafeteria help you!*

- ❖ Order a special classroom birthday celebration for .75 per student.
- ❖ Orders will be delivered to the class on the designated day.
- ❖ Fill out the form below and return with payment to PVES Cafeteria.
- ❖ Orders must be submitted at least 10 days prior to the party.
- ❖ Substitutions can be made due to dietary restrictions.

**Questions? Please contact Leslie Milliman at 988-3291 ext. 3321.**

### Healthy Snack Order Form

*Please submit order at least 10 days prior to the party. Substitutions can be made due to dietary restrictions.*

Date of Celebration: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of snacks: \_\_\_\_\_

Price each: X .75

Total cost: \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed (PVCS Cafeteria)

Cash in sealed envelope

#### Select one:

- Sidekick Slushie Fruit Juice Cup
- Chocolate Chip Cookie & Milk
- Sugar Cookie & Milk
- Whole Grain Rice Krispie Treat & Apple Juice Cup
- Fresh Assorted Veggies with Ranch Dip and Bottled Water
- Fresh Assorted Fruit with Fruit Dip and Bottled Water
- Ice Cream Cup with Bottled Water

**Pine Valley Central School District**  
**South Dayton, NY 14138**

PV Junior/ Senior High School: 988-3276, PV Elementary: 988-3291  
Website: [www.pval.org/](http://www.pval.org/)

Non-Profit Organization  
U.S. Postage  
**PAID**  
**Permit No.. 83**  
Fredonia, NY

### ADMINISTRATION

Mr. James E. Przepasniak, *Interim Superintendent*  
Ms. Carrie Davenport, *Director of Sp. Ed. and Curriculum*  
Ms. Nicole VerHagen, *Business Executive*  
Mrs. Kourtney Almeida, *Jr./Sr. High School Principal*  
Mrs. Brandi Meacham, *Elementary Principal*

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Ms. Kara Frontuto  
Mr. Josh Howard, *Vice President*  
Mr. Terry Howe  
Mrs. Rose Kruszka  
Ms. Christie Lokietek  
Mr. William Pekrul  
Mr. Lawrence Zollinger

**BOXHOLDER**  
*Cherry Creek, NY 14723*  
**BOXHOLDER**  
*Conewango Valley, NY 14726*  
**BOXHOLDER**  
*South Dayton, NY 14138*

## POWERSCHOOL PARENT & STUDENT PORTAL

The PowerSchool Parent & Student Portal is an online portal accessible anywhere on the web that parents can log in to and see all their children (those in grades 5-12) in one place; their grades, assignments, scores, attendance, and schedules.

Student accounts are automatically created when students enter 5th grade or upon enrollment. Parents need to create their own separate accounts and can obtain their student access codes from the Elementary Main Office (ext. 3306) or the High School Counseling Office (ext. 4334). Parent accounts only need to set up the account once and are good for as long as they have students in Pine Valley, with the ability to add students at any time.

Parents and students can access the following information through PowerSchool: schedules, class grades, individual assignment scores, absences and tardies, historic grade information and report cards. This information can be viewed on a web browser or via the app. To get to the website, simply type "powerschool.pval.org/public" into your web browser's address bar. The app can be downloaded to mobile devices by searching for "PowerSchool Mobile" in your app store.

We have a document on our website which will help guide you through creating your account and will explain how to use the site. If you go to our webpage and click on the PowerSchool link under our Shortcuts menu, you will find a link to the portal as well as the helpful documents.

No matter how you use it, this is a great tool to keep up with your student's academic grades and attendance!

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