

THE PIRATE'S POST

February 28, 2018

MARCH

Check out our website at www.Plazaschool.org for Information, Events and Dates!

Dates to Remember:

Mar 2	End of 2 nd Trimester
Mar 9	Report Cards
Mar 15	Plaza Board Meeting @ 3pm Plaza Community Club Meeting @ 6pm @ Orland Round Table
Mar 16	2 nd Trimester Awards Ceremony Plaza Community Club Father-Daughter Dance @ 6pm
Mar 21	Minimum Day Dismissal @ 12:45 Teacher Professional Development
Mar 30	Minimum Day Dismissal @ 12:45
Apr 2-6	NO SCHOOL: Spring Break



Father-Daughter Dance

Plaza Community Club has rescheduled the Father-Daughter Dance for **Friday, March 16th at 6pm** in the school cafeteria. One adult over 18 can chaperone one student. It doesn't have to be a father-daughter. PCC would like to display one picture of each couple. If you have any you would like to include in the display, please turn them into the school office. Include your child's name to ensure they get returned to you after the dance.

Yearbook

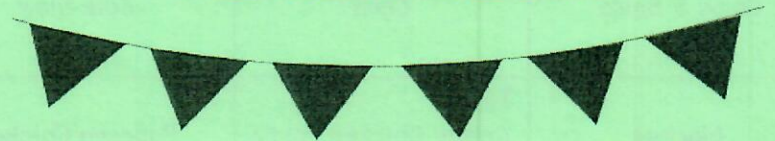
The Yearbook Committee is working hard on this year's book. If you have group pictures of students doing school activities, please email them to Mrs. Henning at khenning@glenncoe.org. The goal is to get every student in at least one picture other than their portrait. If you would like to purchase an advertisement for your business or an 8th grade congratulation space, please see Mrs. Henning, or stop by the office.

Safe School

This year I have been discussing with staff, School Site Council, and the Plaza School Board ways to better protect our school community. Although our primary purpose as educators is to teach children, school safety is the one thing that keeps me up at night. On a good day there are approximately 250 students and adults on campus at one time. In order to help keep everyone safe if there is an imminent threat to campus, we must be able to limit and/or deter unwanted individuals from gaining access to campus. Furthermore, it is imperative that all staff members are properly trained to follow our safe school plan if there is a lockdown in place.

This is not possible with a campus as open as ours is. Therefore, this summer additional fencing and gates will be built. The purpose is to have a single access point to the school during the day. Additionally, cameras will be installed in several places around campus that are difficult to supervise. Lastly, I am working with local law enforcement to improve our lock down and evacuation drills because the adults on campus will be the ones saving lives, not cameras, gates, or fences.

Plaza School Carnival!



If you would like to sign up to help with the carnival, please visit www.SignUpGenius.com/go/5080D4EADA622ABFB6-2018. You can also call the school office or email Plaza Community Club at plazapiratecc@gmail.com. **We need help setting up on Friday, April 20th from 3-5pm, a shift or two during the event on Saturday, and/or cleaning up and putting things away after the event concludes at 7:30pm.**

If you would like to learn more about how you can help by donating time, money, or auction items, please ask a PCC officer, or stop by the office and see Mr. Conklin. The carnival will be discussed in our next PCC meeting at 6pm on Thursday, March 15th at the Orland Round Table.

Things to Remember:

- Sign up for the school wide Remind app (**different from classroom Remind**) and SimplyCircle email notification systems
- Turn in box tops
- Like us on Facebook

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