



High School Daily Bulletin

Monday, May 4, 2026



Girls Basketball Meeting for grades 7-11 today at 11:40 in Mr. Duberowski's room 104. JH bring your lunch.

Speech & Theater Awards Night at Immanuel Lutheran Church tonight at 7:00 p.m.

Geography Bee for grades 6-8 on Wednesday period 1.

Spring Trout Release at Spruce Hill Park for Grade 7 Science on Wednesday. Bus 11:40

FFA Week May 4-8

Today: Cows Are Out Day (crazy outfits or pajama pants and boots)

Tuesday: OSHA Approved Day (safety gear day)

Wednesday: Pioneer Day, Drive Your Tractor to School Day

Thursday: Anything But a Backpack Day, Ag Olympics Period 1 – Grass East of HS

Friday: Blue and Gold Day, Petting Zoo at the Elementary

PACS Registration Form - Sign up by Friday to get the clothing package

Boys: <https://forms.gle/a5arCNvRb32CbEzq5>

Girls: <https://forms.gle/ubsr6g1cPVPR4Ptg7>

Get better together!

Just for Kix Dance Show in the new gym on Saturday at 5:00 p.m. Many people in the building so lock up or take home valuables.

Student Council Meeting in Room 117 at 11:40 on May 12, May 19 (final meeting)

Applications are now open for the Lions Male and Female Athlete of the Year. You need not be a 3 sport athlete to be eligible as a point system is in place for determining winners. Any senior athlete may apply, but to be eligible you may not have any MSHSL violations. Please get your application from Mr. Denny. Forms are due to him Friday, May 22nd.

Any student going into grades 9-12 next year, interested in helping with summer rec should email John Noga at jnoga@pp.k12.mn.us

Notice from the Media Center:

1. All books must be returned by Friday, May 15 or be fined for overdue items.
2. Last day to take an Accelerated Reader Test is Monday, May 18 at 3:00pm.
3. Chromebooks and power cords will be collected the last week of school. Date will be announced. Students, plan to have both Chromebook and power cord available to be turned in on the day designated! You will be charged for equipment not turned in.

Day of Caring is Friday, May 22. If you are interested in getting some help from the PPHS students, contact David O'Brien via email dobrien@pp.k12.mn.us

Menu – Fruit, Vegetable & Salad Variety Offered Daily

Today: Breakfast-Sausage Breakfast Pizza

Lunch-Chicken Tenders, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Dinner Roll, Green Beans or Croissant Sandwich

Tuesday: Breakfast-French Toast Sticks, Sausage Link

Lunch-Taco N' Bag, Rice or PB&J

Sports

Baseball Results Below:

Today

Baseball at Osakis 3:30 Bus 1:45 Dismiss 1:30 (**note earlier start time-Osakis has a concert later**)
Jr. High Baseball here with Osakis 3:00 Dismiss 1:45 (**note earlier start time-Osakis has a concert later**)

Tuesday

Track at Frazee 10:00 Bus 7:45 a.m.

Softball Doubleheader at Pillager Varsity-4:00 JV-4:00 C-Squad-5:30 Bus 1:45 Dismiss 1:30

Softball broadcast is set for 3:40pm with audio only on www.YourLiveEvent.com

Jr. High Baseball at Pillager 4:30 Bus 2:15

Baseball here with Pillager 4:30 Varsity-Varsity Field JV-Urbank

Wednesday

Varsity Baseball at Upsala 2:00 Bus 11:30 Dismiss 11:00

Varsity & JV Softball Doubleheader here with New York Mills 1:00 Varsity-City Park Field JV-Field East of HS Dismiss 11:20

Thursday

Jr. High Track Conference at Sebeka 4:00 Bus 2:30 Dismiss 2:15

Softball here with Swanville C-Squad 4:00 Field East of HS Varsity-4:30 City Park Field

Upcoming Events

May 11-15 – Grade 8 Science Field Trip to South Dakota

May 11 – School Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.

May 13 – Red Cross Bloodmobile at PPHS 12:00-6:00 p.m.

May 15 – Operation Graduation for Grades 10-12 at 10:00 a.m.

May 17 – Baccalaureate for Participating Seniors at Immanuel Lutheran Church 7:00 p.m.

May 18 – Spring Music Concert JH-6:30 p.m. (grades 7 & 8) SH-7:30 p.m. (grades 9-12)

May 20 – Senior Yearbook Dedication 8:20 a.m., Awards Program 7:00 p.m.

May 22 – Day of Caring-a.m./Spring Fling-p.m.

May 29 – Graduation 7:30 p.m.

Photo Ordering Link: <https://v2.myproimages.com/the-parkers-prairie-independent> Password: panthers

All spring sports photos are available at this link!

Baseball Results: PP 10; OTC 4

A 10-4 win to close out the week, but this game was anything but pretty. Once again the Panthers failed to play clean defense, and left plenty of men on base as we just seemed flat and not ready to hit the ball. The boys drew eight walks, with Ruckheim accounting for half of them. We only mustered seven hits with Woodworth accounting for two with a single and double, and Truax with a pair of singles. We did take advantage of some OTC errors, and swiped plenty of bags, but this game we went down nine times on strikes. We need to do a better job looking to make solid contact in hitters counts instead of falling behind without lifting the bat off our shoulder, then having to fight off two strike counts. Rounds got the start and worked six innings surrendering his first earned run of the season, with one walk and seven strikeouts. Colten Debilzen got the nod to close out the seventh and picked up a strikeout. AJ Woodworth provided a defensive highlight in the seventh as he snatched up a ground ball at short and hustled to touch second and fire a strike to Skoglund at first for the double play. Earlier in the game Debilzen also had a defensive highlight as he made a nice over the shoulder running catch on a ball hit deep to right field. The boys are ready for some rest this weekend before another busy week as we travel to Osakis Monday, host Pillager Tuesday, and try another trip to Upsala Wednesday before closing out the week in Mills.

JV - Panther JV finishes the week off with a solid 6-1 win over OTC. Merrick Hoffman followed in Guenther's footsteps from yesterday going 6.2 innings, giving up 5 scattered hits, 2 walks, and 4 strikeouts. Carter Putnam came in and closed it out for the last out. Offensively the Panthers jumped on the Bulldog pitcher in the bottom of the first putting up 4 runs to get an early lead. OTC would answer back with 1 in the 4th but the Panthers came back with a run of their own to make it 5-1. The boys would add insurance in the bottom of the 6th to make it 6-1 thanks to an Anders Fix sac bunt to set up the extra tally. Holmquist, Goddard, Hoffman had 2 hits while Guenther, Becker, Putnam, and Oeltjenbruns each had a hit of their own. It was another solid defensive outing with Maddox Guenther gobbling up 6 put outs of his own. #TeamFirst #DefenseWinsChampionships

JH - The JH team was in Battle Lake for one six inning game to allow the host team time to make their music concert.

The Panthers did most of their damage in this one via base on balls taking ten free bases on the day. They would score one in the first and another in the second before Parker Koep got the only hit on the day in the 3rd driving in two with a liner to right and using his speed to turn it into a double. The Panthers would tally a pair in the 5th as well and despite only having one hit, went into the final stanza with a 6-0 lead. Battle Lake wasn't going to lay down and worked their own share of free passes and got their only hit in the bottom of the final inning to bring it within one. After that Elliot Arvidson struck out the next batter then induced a weak ground ball before fanning the final batter to seal the victory. Jett Bettin pitched the first four and with solid defense left with a no hitter intact giving up no runs while fanning five and walking three. Gage Lind turned in a rock solid performance behind the plate today blocking everything thrown his way and that kept the Bull Dogs in check on the bases. The timely hit evaded the boys in this one and we looked at too many close pitches. What felt like was going to be a big win got uncomfortably close. That said, as they so often do, the boys found a way. Next up is a home game with Osakis with an early 3 pm start at the Factory on Monday.