



# KEEPING UP WITH THE COLTS

*Important Dates:*

11/24-11/28 NO SCHOOL!  
THANKSGIVING BREAK 

12/10 DINE OUT NIGHT AT  
PANERA 4:00-8:00 PM

12/18 PIONEER WINTER BALL

12/22-1/2 NO SCHOOL!  
WINTER BREAK 

You're Invited!

*Winter Ball*

*Thursday, December 18*

*5:00-8:00pm*

Entrance is Free!

\$10/family to decorate donuts and take a pic with a snowman



Native American Heritage Month celebrates the diverse cultures, histories and contributions of Native American/Alaskan Native and Indigenous peoples. It aims to raise awareness, dispel stereotypes, and honor rich traditions while acknowledging ongoing challenges.

Pioneer Elementary School is on unceded Me-wuk (Bay Miwok) territory. Unceded means the Me-wuk did not give up these lands, it was taken from them. Their lands were from present-day Lafayette, San Ramon, Brentwood, Discovery Bay and Rio Vista. You can read more about this Heritage Month and learn about the books and lessons that our children will have access to this month in their classrooms at [www.brentwood.k12.ca.us/page/community-celebrations](http://www.brentwood.k12.ca.us/page/community-celebrations).

## Spirit Wear

Visit <https://pioneer-spiritwear.square.site/> to find your new spirit wear and accessories

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PIONEER'S DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE

INVITE YOU TO SUPPORT VETERANS BY DONATING ITEMS TO OUR DRIVE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OPERATION CREEKSIDE

DONATIONS DUE BY FRI, DEC 5 IN MAIN OFFICE

Suggested Items: socks, baby wipes, tee shirts, snack bars, gum, beef jerky, nuts, single powdered drink mixes, playing cards, ball caps, hot chocolate, and sunflower seeds. No liquids or bags of chips.

Students will also be given an opportunity to write notes and create artwork for the troops during a special optional lunchtime art activity.



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## ICYMI: Colt Stampede Fun Run!

On November 6-7 we held our annual Fun Run and it was a massive success! 76% of our students were able to get logged in and registered between 10/28-11/6. **1,446 pledges were made for a total of \$68,246.80!!**

Funds raised through through the Fun Run will go to student enrichment to further advance the education of our students in various ways, including:

- through education programs
- art and culture programs
- covering the costs of student events/ activities
- coordinating field trips with bus costs paid by funds raised

CONGRATS to our big winners:

**Principal for a Day**  
Onesi Lawani

**Lunch with a Firefighter**  
Ethan Behring

**Lunch with a Police Officer**  
Makenna Grives

Thank you to all the students, teachers, staff, Mrs. Becerra - Principal, Mrs. Griggs - Vice Principal, parents, community, business sponsors, and Apex! Thank you for making it happen for our students, for our school!



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