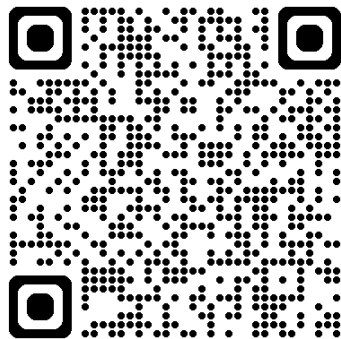




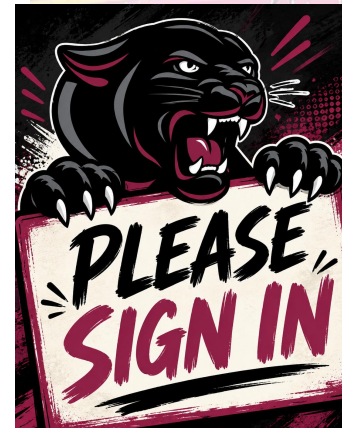
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September Meeting (9/9/26)

Welcome



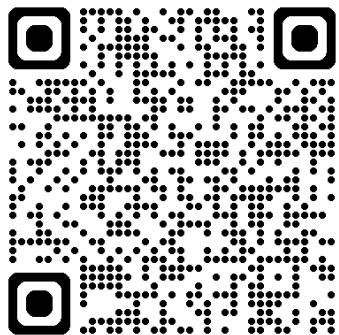
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September Meeting (9/9/26)



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- Roll Call / Quorum Check (4+8+12 so need 7)
- Sound Check
- Start Recording / Transcription

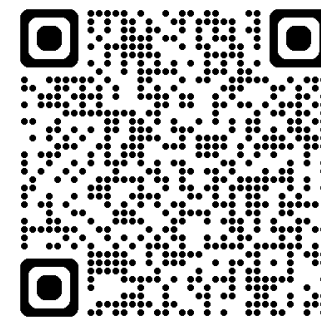


Welcome! Meeting Logistics

- Remote vs In-Person – It all counts!!!! THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE!
- (Everyone) [Please Sign-in!](#) (You can also express interest for volunteering whilst signing in!)
 - Staff
 - Parents / Guardians / Students
 - Anyone attending - Remote / In-person
- We normally keep to **60 minutes** or less!
- Teams is recording and **automatically transcribing** notes
- Please be aware side conversations make it **REALLY** difficult for remote folks to hear!
- Questions asked in the room should be repeated so everyone in the room and online can hear – Everyone please help with this!
- We invite and welcome **ALL** discussion / opinions / feedback / questions!
- Board Members and At Large Board Members will motion and vote on decisions – A motion is made, seconded, discussed, and voted on.
- Meetings will normally be the **2nd Wednesday** each month
- Each month we will have a Principal, Board and Treasurer's Report!



[Please
Sign-in!](#)





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THANK
YOU!



Any guesses? More challenging than last month 😊

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Welcome Principal Aragon!



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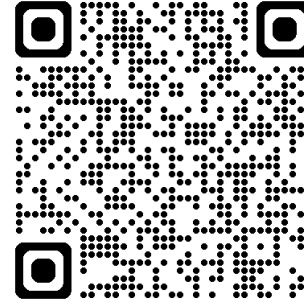


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Sign in form special plug!

[Click to Sign in](#) or scan QR code >>>



1. Sign-in
2. Provide Feedback
3. Volunteer Interest
4. Corporate Sponsorship
5. Challenge Course Prize Donation
6. Fill out once, and 'Frequent Flyer' Option in next meetings

7. Please select any of the items below you may be interested in helping with in school year 2026-27. If you are and want to learn more about any of these roles or activities, or would need help and support if volunteering please still check the box! This is non committal :-). Please select multiple if you may be interested in one or the items listed!

☐ I filled this out already for 2026-27 and nothing new to select!





Agenda

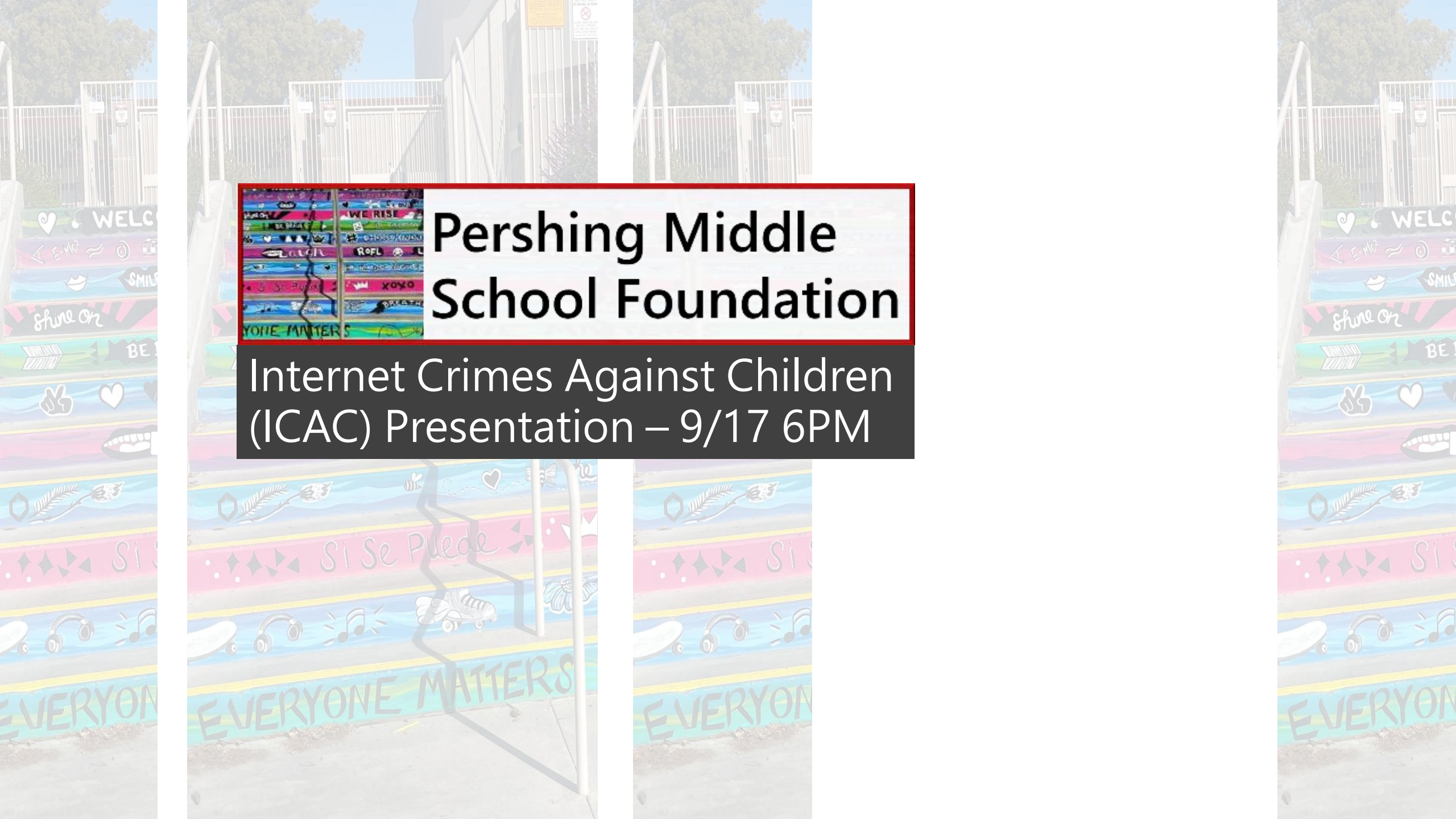
- Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Meeting
- 30-second speed intros
- 2026-27 Board Intro
- Minutes Approval
- Principal Report
- 6th Grade Camp
- Challenge Course
- Dine-outs / Group Outings
- Panther Pledge Update
- Corporate Sponsorship Update
- Treasurer Updates
- Old Business / New Business
- Upcoming Dates / Q&A





Pershing Middle School Foundation

Internet Crimes Against Children
(ICAC) Presentation – 9/17 6PM





Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC)

September 17th 6pm – Pershing Auditorium

Don't miss our presentation next week on how to **protect our children** from Internet Crimes. The content is **upsetting and shocking**, but important for all **parents / guardians** to hear. You will receive some great **tips and guidance** on how to keep your children safe online and how to detect if they may be **victim of sextortion, sexting, online bullying** or other internet crimes. Click on the link for details and to **request a calendar invite**. All parents and guardians in **Henry Cluster** are welcome

if you have attended this session in the past, **please share the value** and importance or any guidance for other families in the comments on FB group post!

Please note **adults only** but from **any** of our cluster schools are welcome.

<https://pershingmiddleschoolfoundation.org/icac>

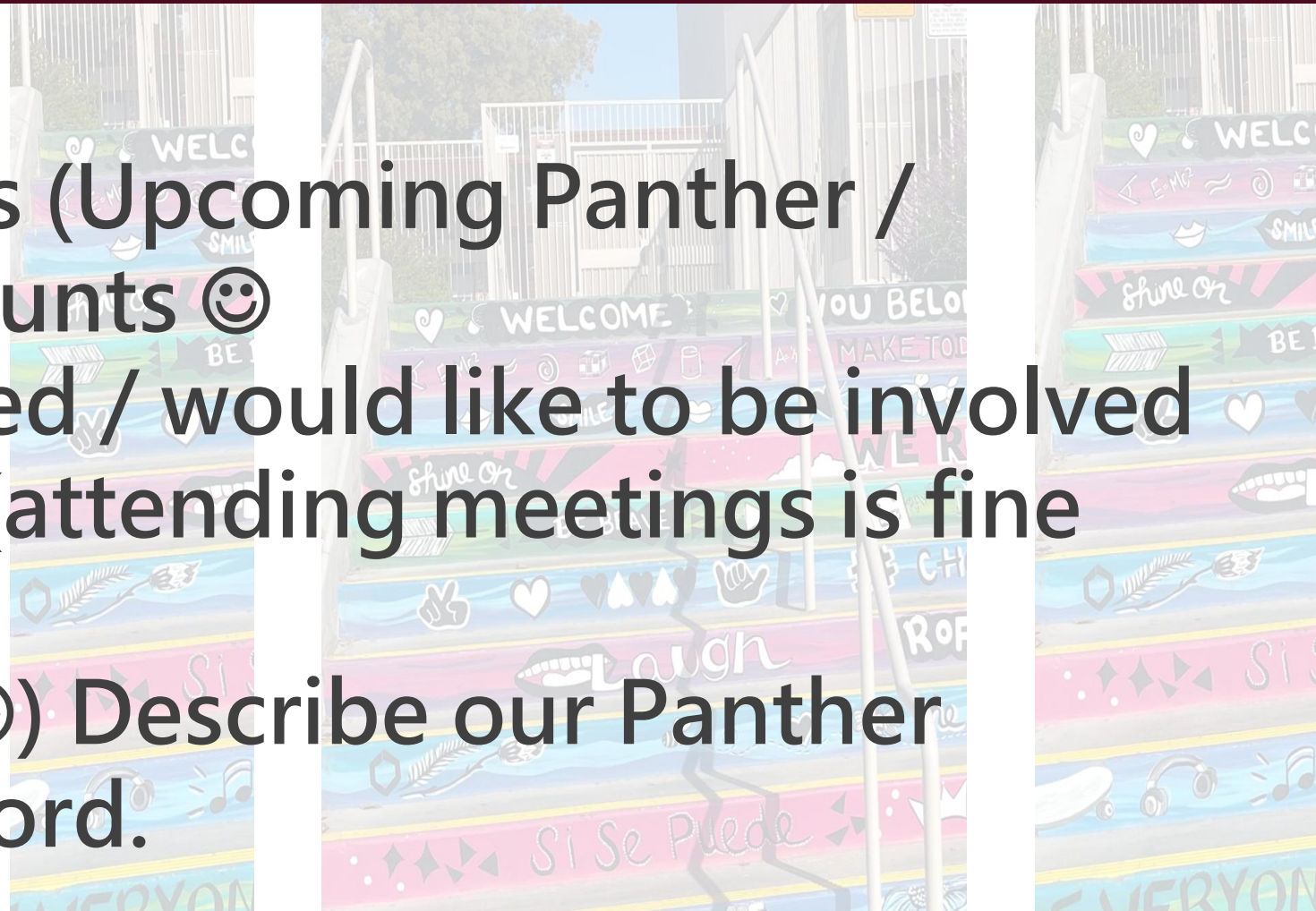




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30 Second Speed Intros



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attending meetings is fine
) Describe our Panther
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Pershing Middle School Foundation

2026-27 Board Intro



2026-27 Board / Volunteers (so far... 😊)

Ellen Immergut

Treasurer

Ann Shelton

Secretary

Banner Coordination

Graphic Design

Antoni Hanus

President

Tracy Carson

Jessica Olson

Amy Ranallo

Steph Stocking

Rose Woods

Mariana Melcon

Jessika Carroll

Cate Cook

At-large Board Members

Tracy Carson

Theatre Program

Amy Ranallo

Jessica Olson

Challenge Course Leads

Robert Olson

Panther Pulse Editor

Stephanie Stocking

Website

Allison Duran

Dine-outs

Teacher Appreciation

Volunteer Opportunities

Challenge Course (Day of)

Camp Send Off

Camp Return

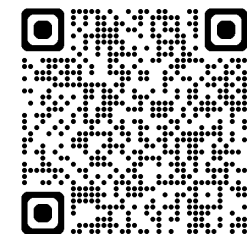
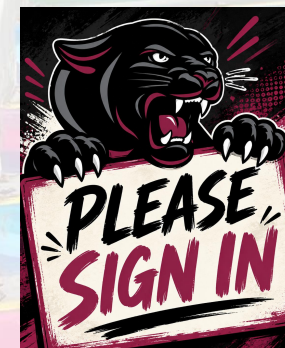
Onsite Opportunities

and more...

Please Join Us!

Get Involved....

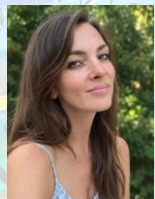
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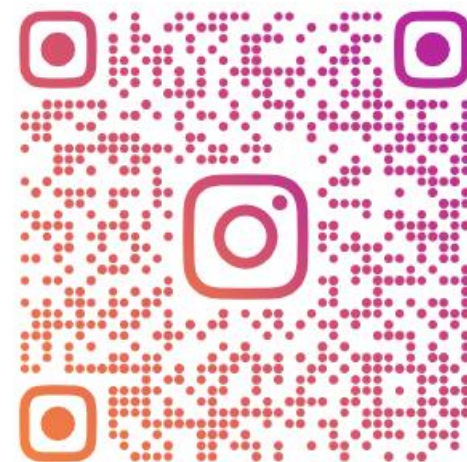
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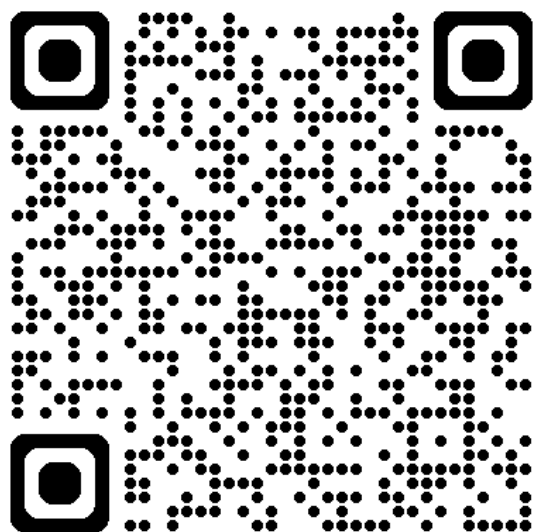


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New to Pershing

NEW TO PERSHING





NEW TO PERSHING?

WE'VE GOT YOU!

Starting middle school is a big step—we're here to make it an awesome one! Our **NEW TO PERSHING** page has everything you need in one place.



ORIENTATION INFO
Schedules, dates & key details



GET INVOLVED
Clubs, programs & opportunities



PERSHING 101
Tips, resources & what to expect



IMPORTANT DATES
Stay in the loop all year long



SUPPORT OUR PANTHERS
How your Foundation makes a difference

CHECK IT OUT!





VISIT NOW!
pershingmiddleschoolfoundation.org/new-to-pershing



**TOGETHER, WE BUILD
PANTHER PRIDE!**



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FOUNDATION**



CAMPUS PRIDE



PANTHER SPIRIT



COMMUNITY SUPPORT



STRONGER TOGETHER



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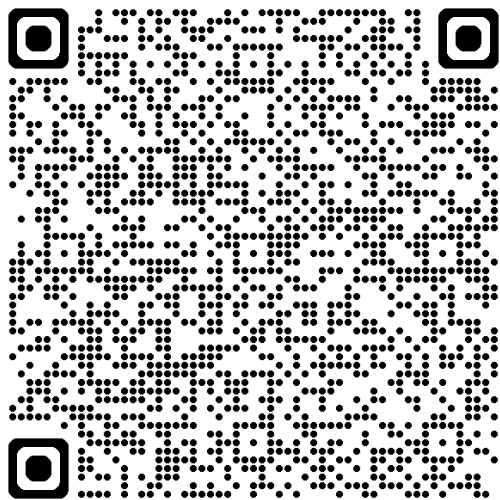
Minutes Approval



August Minutes Approval

August Minutes

- Thank you, Ann, for recording and writing up minutes
- Last meeting was August 19th 2026



NORMAL PROCESS: Motion from a Board Member / At-large Board Member to move to approve the minutes as written, Second, Any discussion, and then vote.



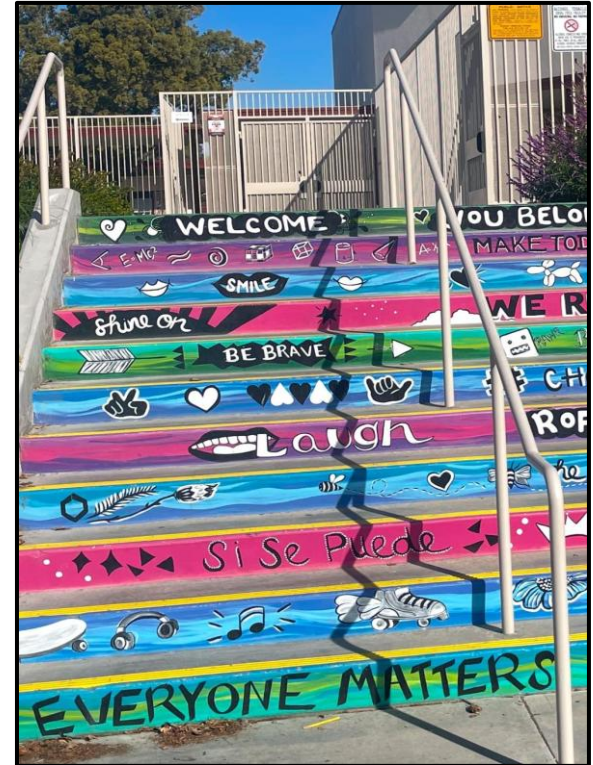
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Principal Report



Principal Report

1. **Sept. 9th** Club Rush Opportunity for students to learn about clubs on campus
2. **3rd Friday** Staffing Adjustments will be known on Friday, September 11th. Based on enrollment numbers. Could impact a few classes - 20% rule
3. **Sept. 16th** Foundation Coffee Truck for Staff in the AM. Thank you, thank you!
4. **Sept. 17th** Grade Level Assemblies - Sex Trafficking - adjusted for grade level audience - Parent only meeting same night
5. **Sept. 18th and 25th** End and posting of progress grades in classes
6. **Sept. 29th** Parent Choice Tours - following week as well
7. **Sept. 30th** Professional Learning Community (PLC) pull-out for ELA teachers





Pershing Middle School Foundation

6th Grade Camp



6th Grade Camp

- Camp Introduction – What, Why and How
- Coordinators
 - Maru
- Launch Meeting (Virtual)
 - Set time for this year
 - Weds 10/7/26 – 6PM?
 - We will record it.
 - 2025-26 Meeting (10/7/25 – 38 mins)
 - Slides
 - Recording
- Open House – This Saturday 12th 10AM-2PM
- Cost \$390
 - Includes base \$385 + Student / Baggage Transportation
 - \$5 increase from last year
- Website info
 - <https://pershingmiddleschoolfoundation.org/6th-grade-camp>
 - [6th Grade camp](#)



Cuyamaca Outdoor School OPEN HOUSE



Connecting kids to science through nature

Parents, teachers, principals, students, alumni, and anyone interested in outdoor education are invited to spend a special day at our beautiful outdoor school located in Cuyamaca Rancho State Park.

Saturday, September 12, 2026
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



LAST YEAR'S TIMELINE

October 7, 2025	Registration/payments begin
October 21, 2025	Please complete registration form (whether attending, not attending, or undecided)
December (Date TBD)	Camp Cuyamaca Meeting
February 3, 2026	Final payments due
March (Date TBD)	Ms. Robe's "Camp Tips & Tricks" Meeting
March 16-20, 2026	6th Grade Camp



Pershing Middle School Foundation

Challenge Course





Challenge Course

Save the Date
Challenge Course is

April 16, 2027

(it's a Friday morning 😊)

- Similar to elementary school Jog-A-Thon - ask for donations from family & friends ahead of time, students have the opportunity to earn prizes, all students (regardless of fundraising) run an Obstacle Course on campus in April.
- We are collecting prizes now! Keep your eyes and ears open for things that will help motivate middle schoolers! **Great items are: tickets to events (sports, local attractions), passes to experiences (Sky Zone, Museums, Dave&Busters), Gift Cards. We are open to anything you're willing to donate!
- We will need volunteers on the day of the event, so keep your calendars open. :)



PERSHING MIDDLE SCHOOL FOUNDATION

CHALLENGE COURSE

APRIL 16
2027



WHO IS THE CHALLENGE COURSE FOR?

All Pershing students will run the Challenge Course!

WHAT IS THE CHALLENGE COURSE?

A Fundraiser for Pershing Middle School Foundation. Students ask for donations from family/friends & run a fun obstacle course on event day!

WHEN IS THE CHALLENGE COURSE?

Friday - April 16, 2027!
Challenge Course will be run during the school day.

WHERE IS THE CHALLENGE COURSE?

Challenge Course takes place on the Pershing field

WHY DO WE HAVE THE CHALLENGE COURSE?

Funds donated during this event help support Foundation initiatives:
6th Grade Camp Scholarships/Expenses • 7th Grade Experience Field Trip • 8th Grade Promotion Activities • Teacher/Staff Stipends for Class Enrichment • Campus Facility Upgrades & Improvements • AND MORE!

PRIZES NEEDED!

**We are looking for prizes that motivate middle schoolers! Great items are: tickets to events (sports, local attractions), passes to experiences (Sky Zone, Museums, Dave&Busters), Gift Cards. We are open to anything you're willing to donate!

More Info & Student Art Contest Coming Soon!

VISIT PERSHINGMIDDLE.ORG FOR INFO & UPDATES

Questions? Have Prizes? Want to help?

Email Amy & Jessica at PershingFoundation@outlook.com



Pershing Middle School Foundation

Dine outs / Group Outings



Dine-outs / Group Outings

September
18th 5PM



\$5 per ticket

September
23rd 12-8PM



15%

October 6th
4PM-9PM



20% if over
\$150

October 21st
5PM-9PM



25% if over
\$150

November 4th



10%

November 18th



20%

December 9th



20% after
\$150
minimum

ONGOING



Papa Johns (Ongoing)
30% off with Promo Code Pershing
20% BENEFITS Pershing Middle

Dave & Busters (Oct/Nov)
 **GroupRaise** + 

50% of sales back to Pershing

COMPLETED

\$180.31



Board and Brew 20%
(August 31st)
Up from \$132 last year

AHEAD!



1/30/27

\$163

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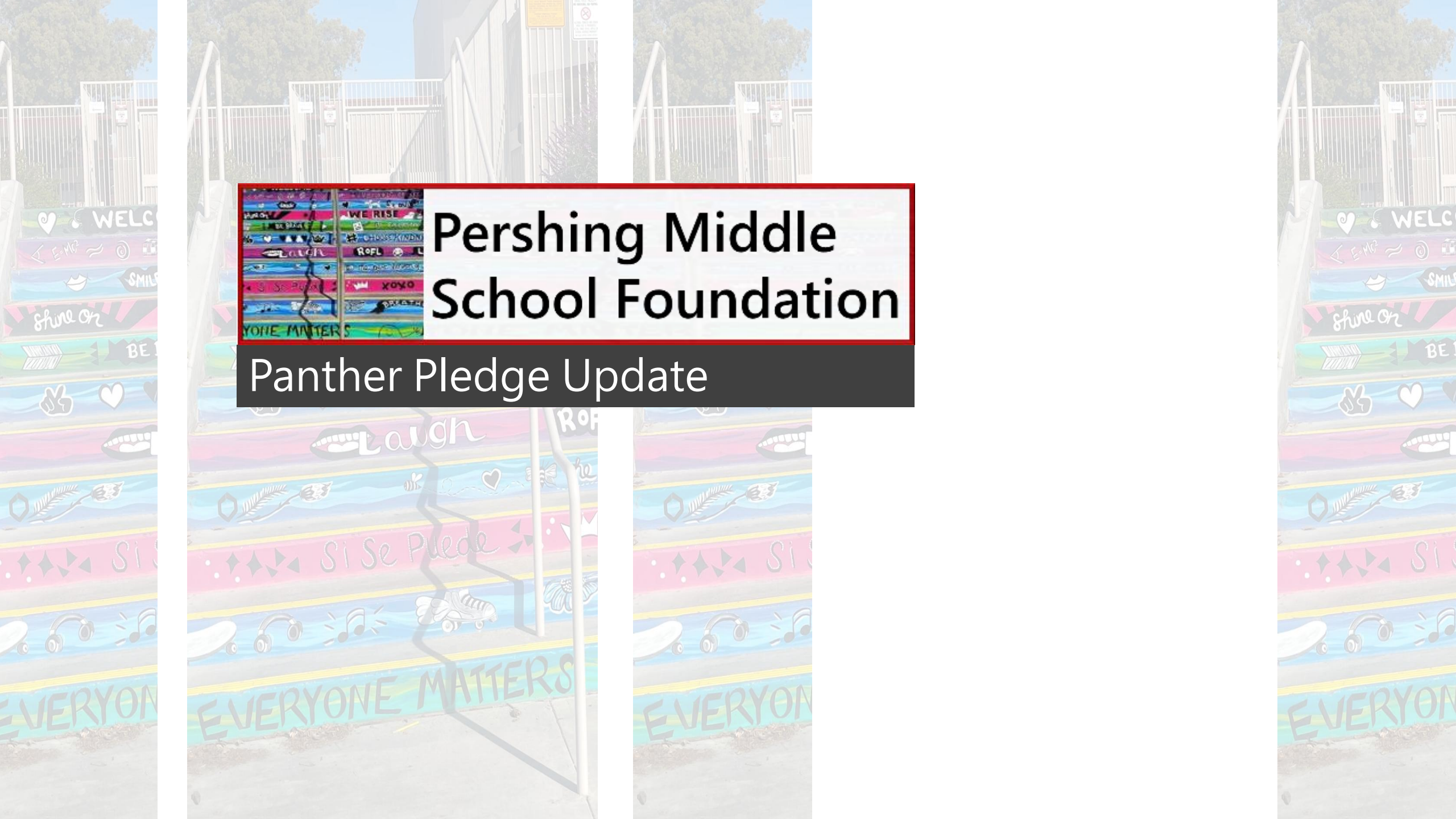


Back to School Night



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Panther Pledge Update

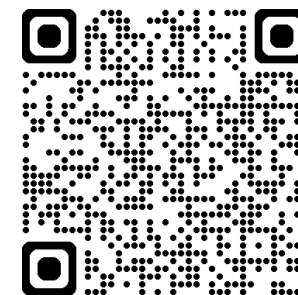




Panther Pledge Update

\$13,500
as of 9/9

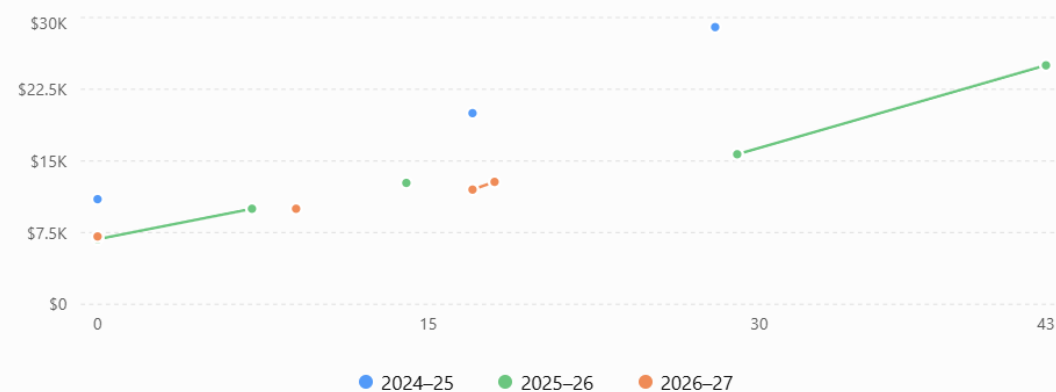
[Donate](#)



This year's thank you card

Panther Pledge fundraising — year-over-year

Cumulative amount raised by days since the first reported fundraising update. 2026–27 is through September 6.



2025–26 reached nearly \$25K by Sept. 30; 2024–25 reached \$29K by Sept. 24.

The standout comparison right now: **2026–27 is at \$12,811**, versus **\$12,700** at roughly the same stage last year. So you're essentially tracking just ahead of 2025–26, while **2024–25** was the exceptional year, already hitting \$20K around this point.





Pershing Middle School Foundation

Corporate Sponsorship Update



Corporate Sponsorship Update

\$12,000
as of 9/6



2025-2026: \$14,850





Pershing Middle School Foundation

Treasurer Updates



Treasurer Report

Account Balances as of 9/7/26

Pershing Middle School Foundation Checking Account

\$102,652.24*

Drama Program Checking Account

\$32,861.18

Certificate of Deposit

\$40,000

**Does not include 2026-27 Panther Pledge donations.*

TOTAL

\$175,513.42



Treasurer Report

Income to Date by Category

Donations/Income	Income	Expenses	Year to Date	Net Budget	More/-Less
Donations - General					
Individual Donations & Corporate Matching	\$90.00	-	\$90.00	\$2,500.00	-\$2,410.00
Corporate Sponsorship	\$8,500.00	-	\$8,500.00	\$10,000.00	-\$1,500.00
Grants	-	-	-	\$500.00	-\$500.00
6th Grade Camp Donations	-	-	-	\$500.00	-\$500.00
Interest Income - Bank	\$0.63	-	\$0.63	\$8.00	-\$7.37
Interest Income - Investments	-	-	-	\$1,250.00	-\$1,250.00
Credit Card Rewards	-	-	-	\$700.00	-\$700.00
Box Tops	-	-	-	\$50.00	-\$50.00
Miscellaneous Income	-	-	-	\$1,500.00	-\$1,500.00
PayPal Fees Paid By Donor	\$219.22	-	\$219.22	\$3,000.00	-\$2,780.78
Donations - General Totals	\$8,809.85	-	\$8,809.85	\$20,008.00	-\$11,198.15
Donations - Events					
Panther Pledge Drive	\$12,050.00	-	\$12,050.00	\$25,000.00	-\$12,950.00
Challenge Course	-	-	-	\$20,000.00	-\$20,000.00
Dine Outs	\$373.71	-	\$373.71	\$3,500.00	-\$3,126.29
Donations - Events Totals	\$12,423.71	-	\$12,423.71	\$48,500.00	-\$36,076.29
Donations/Income Totals	\$21,233.56	-	\$21,233.56	\$68,508.00	-\$47,274.44

Notes:

- Corporate Sponsorships do not include pledges, only money received.
- Panther Pledge Fundraiser is over \$12K!
 - Donors are covering 71% of PayPal fees when they make their Panther Pledge.
 - Working with administration to determine grade level participation for early lunch release contest.
- Dine Outs off to a great start!



Treasurer Report

Program Expenses to Date by Category

Programs	Income	Expenses	Year to Date	Net Budget	More/-Less
6th Grade Camp					
Camp Cuyamaca Fees	-	-	-	-	-
Camp Scholarships	-	-	-	-\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
Camp Transportation	-	-	-	-\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00
6th Grade Camp Totals	-	-	-	-\$23,000.00	\$23,000.00
Staff and Classroom Support					
Teacher Stipends	-	\$1,172.95	-\$1,172.95	-\$14,250.00	\$13,077.05
Department Stipends	-	\$420.12	-\$420.12	-\$12,000.00	\$11,579.88
Athletics	-	-	-	-\$500.00	\$500.00
Field Trip Transportation	-	-	-	-\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Staff Wellness	-	-	-	-\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Book Fair Pass-Through	\$1,766.65	\$1,766.65	-	-	-
Staff and Classroom Support Totals	\$1,766.65	-\$3,359.72	-\$1,593.07	-\$30,250.00	\$28,656.93
Events - Enrichment					
7th Grade Enrichment	-	-	-	-\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00
8th Grade Promotion	-	-	-	-\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00
Panther Recognition	-	-	-	-\$200.00	\$200.00
Teacher Appreciation Week	-	-	-	-\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
Teacher Special Events	-	\$763.62	-\$763.62	-\$2,000.00	\$1,236.38
Events - Enrichment Totals	-	-\$763.62	-\$763.62	-\$21,200.00	\$20,436.38

Notes:

- Camp activity will begin first week of October.
- Stipend requests slow but steady. See stipend report.
- Book Fair gross sales-\$2,926.84
 - Less than in previous years since Book Fair wasn't open at BTSN.



Treasurer Report

Operating and Fundraising Expenses to Date by Category

Expenses	Income	Expenses	Year to Date	Net Budget	More/-Less
Operations					
Operating Costs	-	-	-	-\$500.00	\$500.00
Insurance	-	-	-	-\$700.00	\$700.00
Domain & Software Fees	-	\$506.25	-\$506.25	-\$600.00	\$93.75
Professional Fees (Taxes)	-	-	-	-\$600.00	\$600.00
Treasurer Expenses	-	-	-	-\$150.00	\$150.00
Bank Fees	-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous Expense - Special Approval	-	-	-	-\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
PayPal Fees	-	\$310.54	-\$310.54	-\$5,000.00	\$4,689.46
Operations Totals	-	-\$816.79	-\$816.79	-\$12,550.00	\$11,733.21
Fundraising Expenses					
Marketing & Signage	-	\$1,400.27	-\$1,400.27	-\$2,500.00	\$1,099.73
Challenge Course Expenses	-	-	-	-\$7,500.00	\$7,500.00
Panther Pledge Drive Expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising Expenses Totals	-	-\$1,400.27	-\$1,400.27	-\$10,000.00	\$8,599.73
Expenses Totals	-	-\$2,217.06	-\$2,217.06	-\$22,550.00	\$20,332.94

Notes:

- Renewed Microsoft and Purchased MoneyMinder.
- Sponsor banner printing activity ramped up.



Treasurer Report

Stipend Report

Teachers, Counselors, and Administration – 59 total

Number of Stipends Requested	10
Total Utilization Rate	8%
Stipend Funds Remaining	\$15,011.45

Departments – 8 total

DEPARTME	STIPEND	SPENT YTD	BALANCE (\$)	SPENT (%)
Engineering	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
English	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
History	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
Math	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
PE	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 319.56	\$ 1,180.44	21%
Music	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
Science	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 18.98	\$ 1,481.02	1%
SLIM	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 1,500.00	0%
	\$ 12,000.00		\$ 11,661.46	



Pershing Middle School Foundation

New / Old business





New/Old Business

New Business:

- San Diego Wave FC
- Website – WordPress?
 - Cancels 3/28/2027
 - 1 yr Websites + Marketing Basic Renewal \$203.88 (paid on 3/16)

Old Business:

- GULLS GROUP EVENT
 - Deposit placed 1/30
- Bylaws





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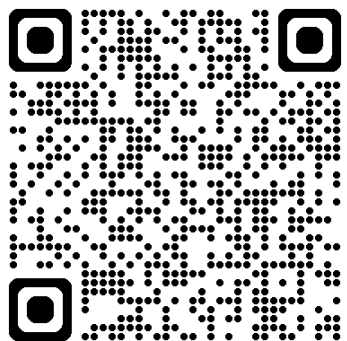
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Upcoming Dates & Q&A

THANK
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Q&A



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9/12	Cuyamaca Outdoor School Open House
9/19	Ringers – Skate Into Fall
9/23	Del Cerro Pizza & Beer (Dine-out)
10/6	The Habit (Dine-out)
10/21	Chipotle (Dine-out)
11/18	West Coast Smoke & Tap House (Dine Out)
12/9	Dave's Hot Chicken (Dine-out)
1/30	Gulls Game (Group Outing)
3/22-3/26	6 th Grade Camp
4/16	Challenge Course Fundraiser