



October 16, 2008 Pershing Comet News



Dates to Remember...

- **October 21st, PLC Early Dismissal, 1:33 pm**
- **October 20th – October 24th, Red Ribbon Week**
- **October 27th – October 30st, Fall Break, No School**
- **November 7th – PPTO Carnival and Waffleman Feed**
- **November 12th - Pershing Blood Drive**
- **November 15th – Bubba’s Closet at Pershing**

RED RIBBON WEEK EVENTS

Monday, October 20th – Sock it off to drugs, Wear Crazy Socks

Tuesday, October 21st – Hats off to drugs – Wear your favorite hat

Wednesday, October 22nd – Living drug free is no sweat – Wear sweat clothes to school

Thursday, October 23rd – Team up against drugs – Wear your favorite team clothing

Friday, October 24th – Wear all red to school

Pershing Blood Drive

Please look for information that will be sent out soon regarding Pershing Blood Drive. The Blood drive will be on Wednesday, November 12th

12:00 – 5:00 PM

In the Gymnasium

For an appointment call 436-1160




LOST AND FOUND

All items not claimed before Fall break will be given to Bubba’s closet. Please come check out our Lost and Found by the office. Thanks!

SPECIAL THANKS!!!!

**Vala’s Pumpkin Patch
2nd Grade Field Trip**

Carrie Cejka and Ameritas for funding



PPTO NEWS!!! Important Dates

November 7th – Carnival, Open House and Waffleman Feed

November 13th – PPTO Meeting, 7:00 pm

NEEDED VOLUNTEERS

We still need volunteers for the Carnival on November 7th. If you are interested please contact Angie Miller at email address pershing.pto@hotmail.com.

PUMPKIN RUN!!!!

We had 48% of our students sign up for the Pumpkin Run and received a plaque for 1st place for the highest percentage of kids to sign up. The run took place on October 4th at Pioneers Park. We set a goal of having 135 kids sign up for Run, and if we met the goal then I would have to wear a Tutu during school on October 3rd and also at the Pumpkin Run. We had 169 kids sign up! And yes, I wore a tutu during school and at the Pumpkin Run! Congratulations Pershing!

Mr. Wendelin
Physical Education Teacher

It all comes back to you!

Starting October 1st complete a pledge card online at www.lincoln.ne.gov – keyword ARD or go to the Web site for locations to complete the pledge form.

America Recycles Day Community Prizes
A total \$500 will go to the school that obtains the most pledges per student. Also, the winning school will also receive a 48” park bench made from recycled plastic that has a retail value of \$450.

One pledge per person. Be sure to write the name of your school on the “Affiliation/Organization/School” line on the pledge form.

LPS Elementary Principals Present

Bubba’s Closet

**Saturday, November 15, 8:00 am to 10:00 am
At Pershing**

Donate clothes for Bubba’s Closet to Hanger’s Cleaners from Oct. 6 – Nov. 8. Clothes will be transported to Pershing where elementary students can pick out items to adopt and use! This one of the many American Education Week activities planned in Lincoln Public Schools.