

# The Pioneer News

PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL · 2010-2011 · January · Issue Five

Dear Pioneer Families:

I hope this letter finds everyone refreshed from the most recent holidays. Looking ahead, each month until the end of the school year has at least one day of respite for students. So it is critically important that grades do not slip or that less attention is paid to studying. Please share the importance of school and staying on top of homework. Please use the Power School system to keep abreast of the most up-to-date information regarding progress in school.

As final exams approach, students need to eat a healthy diet and be well rested. Exams are a culmination of knowledge for the first 18 weeks of school. Finals begin on January 24 and end on January 27. All make-up exams will be held on January 28.

Please plan to come to Pioneer and share in the experience of National African American Parent Involvement Day (NAAPID). This day supports parental involvement in education. You can attend school and meet teachers and see what your child learns on a daily basis. This institution began in Ann Arbor, and continues to be a wonderful way to show support for learning. Please plan on attending even if it is for a brief time.

The Michigan Merit Exam will be held in March. It is important that all juniors take this exam. Encourage your junior to come to school and show their skills. Thirty students from the class of 2011 will be selected to take the National Assessment Educational Progress test. This is the first time the test will be given.

Michael White, Pioneer principal who was on military deployment, will be returning on February 1. I know he will be happy to be back to enjoy the routine of high school life. Please thank Tamber Woodworth, our outgoing principal, for her dedication to the job during the interim. Tamber will be going to Ann Arbor Mack Open School for the duration of the school year.

Off-campus lunch privileges will continue for seniors. To maintain off-campus lunch privileges on Friday a student must have written parent permission and be in good standing at school. Juniors who had grades of all C's or better, and were in good standing, had the opportunity to go off campus twice in December. Mr. Reece and Mr. White will determine if juniors will continue to have the opportunity for off-campus lunch in February.

On February 3 the concert band will be performing in Schreiber Auditorium at 7:30. It's a fantastic opportunity to hear and see how much our music students have learned. Spirit Week begins on February 7 – which allows for students to have a little more fun socially while learning.

In the event of an emergency and the school needs to contact a parent, we would use the emergency phone numbers provided by each family. If your contact information has changed since the beginning of the year please contact the class office immediately.

Varsity men's and women's basketball teams play at Huron on January 21. Both games should be very entertaining. January 28 the men's swim team takes on Adrian at 6 PM.

If you would like to see Saline's ice hockey team verses Pioneer that is Saturday January 22 at 3:15.

Finally February 9 is the District Count Day. This is the day when all the funding for the second semester of the school year is determined. It is critical to have every student in school on that day. Please encourage your child to be in school and on time that day.

Lorin Cartwright  
Assistant Principal/Athletic Director



## Purchase Your Omega Yearbook and Accessories

(Accessories may be purchased even if you have already purchased a yearbook)

Item	Qty	Price	Total
Yearbook		\$65.00	
Hear the Year		\$12.99	
Signature Package		\$17.70	
Deluxe Package		\$24.94	
1 Line Personalization		\$5.45	
2 Lines Personalization		\$7.60	
Icons (0-4)		\$3.40	
Clear Protective Cover		\$2.30	
Autograph Section		\$2.25	
Photo Pockets		\$2.05	
Donate A Yearbook		\$65.00	
<b>Total Due</b>			

Yearbooks, Personalization and Icons available until February 18, 2011.

All other items available until April 29, 2011.

Return form to C214/C216 during lunch or after school.

For more information contact Betsy van der Zee at 994-2293.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Personalization: (Max. 29 Characters Per Line)

Icon Code(s):

Find additional information describing accessories at-  
[Jostensyearbooks.com](http://Jostensyearbooks.com)

The yearbook is working with a new publisher this year and several new accessories are available. These options are available even if you have already purchased a yearbook. Descriptions are available at [jostensyearbooks.com](http://jostensyearbooks.com). You may also get information at lunch and after school at the Omega Yearbook Office (C214). Since these are new options, the publisher has agreed to extend the opportunity to purchase yearbooks and personalization until February 18<sup>th</sup>. Other items will be available until April 29<sup>th</sup>. Yearbooks will be available after February 18<sup>th</sup> while supplies last.

### Get School Information via EMAIL Subscribe to PIONEER Announcements

The Yahoo Groups Internet Announcement Service for Pioneer families is open for subscription. This FREE service allows administration the ability to send out school announcements and other information to anyone who chooses to “subscribe” to the group. To subscribe, simply send an email to:

**[A2PioneerAnnouncements-subscribe@yahoogroups.com](mailto:A2PioneerAnnouncements-subscribe@yahoogroups.com)**  
(you do not need to send a subject nor a body to the message).

Please note that the group is for announcements only. Replies to messages sent via the group will not be forwarded to subscribers, nor will they be answered by anyone. We are very excited about the extra benefits this additional communication tool offers our Pioneer families!

**PLEASE NOTE:** To successfully UNSUBSCRIBE you must unsubscribe using the same e-mail address you used to subscribe. It is recommended that if you are switching e-mail carriers—unsubscribe before you make the switch.

# NEUTRAL ZONE NEWS

## College Prep Workshops

Neutral Zone has teamed up with The Princeton Review to offer a series of free college prep workshops. Topics include college admission and financial aid information, ACT test strategies, and essay writing. All workshops are free. The sessions are geared towards teens, but parents are welcome to attend.

### Upcoming dates include:

Financial Aid - Tuesday, January 18, 4 p.m. @ Neutral Zone  
ACT Strategy - Thursday, February 17, 5 p.m. @ Princeton Review  
College Admission - Wednesday, March 9, 5 p.m. @ Neutral Zone  
Admission and Standardized Test Essay Workshop - Wednesday, March 23,  
5 p.m. @ Princeton Review

Neutral Zone is located at 310 E. Washington Street and The Princeton Review is located at 1220 S. University, Suite 102. Pre-registration is not required. For more information, call Neutral Zone at (734) 214-9995 or go to [www.neutral-zone.org](http://www.neutral-zone.org).

## HOMEGROWN 2011

Neutral Zone presents HOMEGROWN, the annual poetry concert featuring collegiate-aged poets from the local performance poetry troupe Ann Arbor Wordworks. Many of the poets are graduates of Ann Arbor high schools.

This electrifying performance will feature both individual and ensemble original poems written and performed by poets including Mike Moriarity, Gahl Liberzon, Ben Alfaro, Mike Kulich, Maggie Ambrosino, Aimee Le, Lauren Weston, Anthony Zick and more. Musical accompaniment will be provided by local musicians Nick Ayers, Greg Burns, and Sean Duffy.

The poetry concert will take place on Thursday, January 27, at 7 p.m. at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theater in the Michigan League. Tickets are \$5 in advance/\$7 at the door for students and \$10 in advance/\$12 at the door for the general public. Advance tickets can be purchased from Pioneer teacher Jeff Kass. Contact him by email at [eyelev21@aol.com](mailto:eyelev21@aol.com) or by phone at (734) 223-7443.

*The following 9th grade members of the Pioneer Choirs will be performing in the Michigan School Vocal Music Association State SATB Honors Choir on Saturday, January 22. The Honors Choir concert serves as the culminating event of the 6th annual Michigan Music Conference, held at the DeVos Center in Grand Rapids. Congratulations to: Joe Brabenec, Samuel Kidd, Emmalee Mills, Sophie Morris, Maks Muno, Jake Norton, Chelsea Racelis, Remington Reackhof, Elise Reichard, Parker Sanford, Daniel Wu, & Kenny Xue.*



## **YOUTH EMPOWERMENT PROJECT**

In partnership with Ann Arbor Public Schools, the Youth Empowerment Project (YEP) is revitalizing Achievement Solutions Teams (AST) at Pioneer! AST was organized by the Youth Senate at Pioneer and Huron High Schools in response to results from their youth-led research over two years on achievement disparities among high school students in the AAPS. Negative peer influence was identified by the student research as among the top three of 21 core barriers to academic achievement. Fourteen hundred students participated in the research project.

The school-based AST program has been developed by students and adult allies to provide positive peer support through academic peer coaching to assist struggling students in taking charge of their success in school. AST is not a tutoring program. Rather, AST peer coaches help their peers set and reach short- and long-term personal and scholastic goals. Now in its third year, AST has produced promising academic outcomes; results each semester over the last two years reflect on average 75 percent of participating students' failing grades raised to passing ones, and combined GPAs were .67 points higher.

YEP is currently planning to have an introductory AST lunch meeting at Pioneer during the first week of second semester. If you are interested in getting your child involved in AST as either a peer coach or a peer, please contact YEP for more information. You can speak to either Ebba Hierta or Jess Chung at (734) 761-3005, or e-mail [ast@youthempowerment.com](mailto:ast@youthempowerment.com). We hope to hear from you soon!

### **Pioneer Students Help the Salvation Army**

The student body of Ann Arbor Pioneer High School collected 1,764 items of winter clothing and donated them to the Salvation Army on December 17, 2010.

The Principal of Pioneer High School and the National Honor Society members would like to express their sincere appreciation for the enormous contribution. Thanks very much for the outpouring of generosity and care.

## **ATTENTION SENIORS**

If your college has requested your mid-year (first semester) grades, please come to the Records Office to fill out a request form. Be sure to bring the Admissions Office address with you. If you have been provided with a form from the college, please bring that. Many of you have already submitted your colleges' mid-year report forms (including the Common Application Mid-Year Report). If this is the case, your grades will be automatically forwarded and you don't need to do anything further. **IF YOU HAVE NOT YET SUBMITTED THE COMMON APPLICATION MID-YEAR REPORT, YOU MUST BRING A FORM FOR EVERY COMMON APP SCHOOL TO WHICH YOU APPLIED TO THE RECORDS OFFICE** All requests for mid-year grades must be submitted by the end of January 2011.

# Future Stars

Directors: Joel Sparks, Sadie Yarrington, Desi Oakley, Tim Van Riper, Ashley Park  
(University of Michigan Dance and Musical Theatre Students)

The most popular high school talent show around is back for a ninth year of music, dance, and fun. Talented teens from all of Ann Arbor will be performing in four preliminary shows with different themes in front of a panel of judges that include teachers, alumni, and local celebrities! This years themes include "Chart Toppers", "Lights Out", "GLEE-ful", and "Grammys". Together the judges and the audience will judge these four shows and choose the best three numbers from each to continue on to the finals. There, one performer will be named as FutureStar of 2011!

Last year hundreds of people attended each show with Finals night almost selling out! To make sure you have a seat to see all the amazing talent you can go to [showtix4u.com](http://showtix4u.com) to reserve tickets starting December 17<sup>th</sup>. Want to make sure that you not only get seats but the best in the house? Patron seat (premium seats) will be on sale for \$25. No waiting in line or dashing to grab a seat! If you are interested please contact Ellen Rabinowitz at [rabinowitz@comcast.net](mailto:rabinowitz@comcast.net).

Come see the wonderful talent that Ann Arbor high schools have to offer, it makes a great night out, even for the whole family! Make sure not to miss out on the hottest competition of the year!

## **PRELIMINARY COMPETITION**

*All tickets will be \$5*

Friday, January 7th, 7 pm, "Chart-Toppers"

Friday, January 7th, 9:30 pm, "Lights Out" (students only)

Saturday, January 8th, 7 pm, "GLEE-ful"

Saturday, January 8th, 9:30 pm, "Grammy 09/10" (students only)

## **FINAL COMPETITION**

*Tickets: Adults \$12; Students/Seniors/Teachers \$9*

**Saturday, January 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 pm**

Remember, this is expected to be the most popular yet so be sure to reserve your tickets early at [showtix4u.com](http://showtix4u.com)!

*For more information please visit our website: [ptguild.org](http://ptguild.org)*

## Athletic Booster Club



*The Pioneer Booster Club's mission is to support athletic and academic excellence in all student athletes. There are over 30 sports teams available to the students. These create smaller communities, afford a way for parents to get to know each other, and help students develop discipline and make long-lasting friends.*

Please mark your calendars for the annual

### Pioneer Athletic Booster Club Gala

coming on March 25, 2011.

It should be lots of fun and we hope to see as many of our parents, staff, and coaches there as possible.

Please contact Kathy Robenalt if you have items or services you would like to donate to our silent auction or if you would like to volunteer to help out.

WRoben3357@aol.com or 734-834-0390.

## Pioneer Spirit Ware!

Ann Arbor  
Pioneer



We have new in-stock items -- great Pioneer t-shirts, shorts, crew and hooded sweatshirts and they all come in a variety of colors and sizes. We carry purple, black, gray and white Pioneer (and "Ann Arbor Pioneer") t-shirts and sweatshirts in S, M, L, XL and 2XL. We also carry Pioneer sweatpants, windbreakers, shoe laces and lanyards! Please note that special or custom orders need 2 weeks. Please send any questions to the spirit wear contact at [pioneerptsos-tore@gmail.com](mailto:pioneerptsos-tore@gmail.com)

Please see our new order form on page 14 of this newsletter. Our order form is also at:

[http://www.aaps.k12.mi.us/pioneer.parents/files/ptso\\_store\\_order\\_form\\_2010.pdf](http://www.aaps.k12.mi.us/pioneer.parents/files/ptso_store_order_form_2010.pdf)

Thank you for your support!

## **Fall Athletic Overview Academic Awards**

### *Academic All State*

Volleyball Team  
Men's Tennis Team

### **Overall Fall Sports Team GPA – 3.40**

#### **MHSAA Scholar Athletic Finalists for Scholarship**

Frank Diaz-Pezua	Jialuo Sehn
Cody Norat	Sara Ryan
Matthew Hing	Courtney Lymburner
Justice Kwak	Cara Pardon
Crystal Smith	

### **Athletic Accomplishments**

#### **Team Championships/Invitational**

Women's Swimming	Sixth in the State
Men's Tennis	League Champions, State Runners-up
Field Hockey	State Runners-up
Women's Golf	State Qualifier
Women's Cross Country	State Qualifier
Men's Cross Country	State Qualifier
Men's Water Polo	Sixth in the State
Football	State Qualifier

#### **State Team, National Team and Individual Accomplishments and Scholarships**

Hannah Crowley – W. Swimming – Featured on TV segment State Champs

Hanna Cowley – featured on State Champs, High School TV show

Hanna Cowley – AA.com Swimmer of the Year – W. Swimming

Nia Greenstone – Volleyball – AA.com Volleyball player of the Year

**Spring sports begin on March 14, 2011. Please register in the athletic office between the hours of 7:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.**

## Theatre Guild

Pioneer Theatre Guild announces, with great excitement, that its entry into this year's MIFA (Michigan Interscholastic Forensic Association) Competition will be "It Came From Mars" by one of Michigan's best known playwrights, Joseph Zettelmaier. Directed by noted local actor/director Aaron Moore, the play will be performed for the public in Schreiber Auditorium on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 4 and 5. The play had an extremely successful run at Performance Network



last year and was named best new play of 2010 by [annarbor.com](http://annarbor.com) and others. The show time is 7:30 each night and tickets are \$6 and will be sold at the door. Zettelmaier has worked with Pioneer students for the past several years as writing mentor for its annual "Student Productions," a compilation of student written and directed short plays and has kindly allowed Theatre Guild to present his work at the MIFA Festival.

For more information, go to [ptguild.org](http://ptguild.org).

## Important Dates Don't Forget to Mark Your Calendar

For a complete calendar of key events at Pioneer please visit  
[http://www.a2pioneer.org/pioneer.calendar/phs\\_google\\_calendar](http://www.a2pioneer.org/pioneer.calendar/phs_google_calendar)

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Article-Info Deadline

Monday—Jan. 25 (might change)

To: [gsicorp@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gsicorp@sbcglobal.net)



## STUDY SKILLS WINTER 2011

**SAT/ACT Essay Workshop**

**Grades 10-12.** Learn how to organize and write a persuasive essay within the allotted time. The scorer's rubric will be analyzed so you will understand exactly what is expected within your essay. You will practice writing an essay and receive instructor feedback about ways to improve your writing for the test. Scholarship recipients pay \$20. Instructor: Great Lakes Educational Group staff. **1 class.**

ID# 1335.601	1/29	Saturday
FEE: \$75	9:00 AM – 12 Noon	Tappan, Media Center

**ACT Preparation Workshop**

**Grades 10-12.** Enrolling in the ACT Preparation Workshop helps you prepare to successfully take the ACT test. This workshop is for students taking the ACT during the remainder of the calendar year. The best method for scoring well on the ACT and replacing anxiety with confidence is to be knowledgeable and well prepared. Information and strategies for each section of the test are included. Bring a **CALCULATOR** and a **WATCH WITH A SECOND HAND**. A manual is provided for each participant as part of the fee. Scholarship recipients pay \$20. Instructor: Great Lakes Educational Group staff. **1 class.**

ID# 1329.601	2/5	Saturday
FEE: \$79	9:00 AM – 12 Noon	Tappan, Media Center

ID# 1329.602	3/26	Saturday
FEE: \$79	9:00 AM – 12 Noon	Tappan, Media Center

**Finding for the College that Fits**

**Parents & Students (Grades 9-12) together.** Parents and students are faced with a myriad of choices about college. Let John help you and your student find and identify the resources in your family's search for the right college. Discussion will include what your student needs and wants from school, location, admissions possibilities and finances. This class is intended for parents and students to attend together. Instructor: John B. Boshoven, M.A., M.S.W. **1 class.**

ID# 1337.601	2/9	Wednesday
FEE: \$29	7:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Community, Room 213

**Paying for the College that Fits**

**Parents & Students (Grades 9-12) together.** Find out where money for college comes from and how to get your fair share. Families will learn about sources of aid, the FAFSA, the College Scholarship Search Profile (CSS), and scholarship searches. Instructor provides resources to help find financial assistance for college. Instructor: John B. Boshoven, M.A., M.S.W. **1 class.**

ID# 1341.601	2/16	Wednesday
FEE: \$29	7:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Community, Room 213

**The Art of Writing a Winning College Application Essay**

**Parents and Students Grades 9-12.** College admissions officers spend minutes reading an essay, so how can yours be as impressive as Mt. Everest—strong and memorable—and not an anonymous anthill? Learn what admissions officers are looking for, how to bring out your unique writing voice, and engaging ways to emphasize your strengths without bragging. Discuss and take home samples of winning essays. Come to class with a notebook and optional essay drafts for feedback. Expect to leave class energized, with a jumpstart on your essay. Instructor: Debbie Eisenberg Merion. **1 class.**

ID# 1339.601	3/23	Wednesday
FEE: \$29	7:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Community, Room 213

Enroll online at [aareced.com](http://aareced.com) or call Ivy Juan at 734-994-2300 ext. 53248.

**PLEASE help so the ASAN party will continue for class of 2011 and beyond!**

**All Senior All Night Party Fundraising!**

**Kroger Program has changed please read below!**

(If you don't already have one, Kroger Plus cards are available at any Kroger customer service desk. If you use a phone # at the register, call 877-576-7587 to get your Kroger Plus card #.)

Note there's a pop-up screen often during the following process. Click so that **all** content is shown.

TO REGISTER YOUR KROGER PLUS CARD:

- Go to **[www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com)**
- Click *Michigan*.
- Click *enroll* under Participant.
- As a new online customer, click **Sign up today!** in the '**New Customer?**' box on the right.
- Under Preferred Store, enter zip code, click *find*.
- Pick preferred store, click *select*.
- Enter email address, create a password, click *confirm*.
- Agree to the terms and conditions, click *confirm*.
- You will get a message to check your email and click on the link within the body of the email.
- Enter your email address and password, click *sign in*.
- Click *Edit Kroger Community Rewards information* and enter your Kroger Plus card number
- Click save changes.
- Update or confirm your information, click *save changes*.
- For organization, enter NPO number **82622** or **Pioneer**, select from list and click *save changes*.
- To verify correct enrollment, *Pioneer High School ASAN* should be on the right side of the page
- Logout

Although it may take a few minutes to register, it will now be so easy to support ASAN using just your Kroger Plus card every time!

If you have any questions or need a new card please contact Judy Kaplan 734-995-8370 or email [judykapa2@aol.com](mailto:judykapa2@aol.com)



# Pioneer PTSO/ASAN

## GROCERY PROGRAM ORDER FORM

**THE PIONEER PTSO/ALL SENIORS ALL NIGHT (PTSO/ASAN) GRADUATION PARTY** provides our seniors with a safe, drug & alcohol-free, supervised, fantastic celebration at the school on graduation night.

**Why should I participate in the grocery program if my student isn't a senior?** To ensure the ASAN party continues, so it will be available when your student *is* a senior. **The** major source of funding for the party is this grocery program. Year-round participation in the program helps cover party costs. **No other group at Pioneer uses this fundraiser, so ALL of our families can contribute to making this night SAFE and SUCCESSFUL.**

**If this is at no cost to me, how is it a fundraiser?** Participating grocery stores donate a percentage to ASAN calculated from grocery sales each month.

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

- **MEIJER'S Community Reward Program.** Register online at [www.meijer.com/rewards](http://www.meijer.com/rewards). Organization name: Pioneer High School, code number: 992136
- **KROGER'S Plus Card Reward Program.** Register online at - [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com) with this program you must re-enroll every year. For organization enter NPO number 82622 or Pioneer High School. Kroger is willing to give a lot to the program if you register your Kroger plus card today! Instructions are on the next page!

• **Rechargeable cards. (Add more \$ at the store, no need for another card when balance is done.)**

**BUSCH'S** \_\_\_\_\_ cards @ \$5 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**HILLER'S** \_\_\_\_\_ cards @ \$5 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

• **Not rechargeable cards. (Order a new card when used up.)**

**WHOLE FOODS** - \_\_\_\_\_ cards @ \$100 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT DUE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Complete order form, make check payable to: **PIONEER PTSO/ASAN**

Turn in at registration or Mail form & check to:  
Judy Kaplan 1893 Snowberry Ridge Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
Questions call 734-995-8370 or email [judykapa2@aol.com](mailto:judykapa2@aol.com)

***Thank you for your support!***

Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Given @ reg \_\_\_\_\_ Mailed \_\_\_\_\_ Delivered \_\_\_\_\_ Picked-up \_\_\_\_\_

# Ann Arbor PTO



## THRIFT SHOP

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## PTO THRIFT SHOP NEWS

The Ann Arbor PTO Thrift Shop has donated over \$100,000 to AAPS Transportation fund, to be distributed to all schools on a per-pupil basis. This means PHS will receive \$11,000 to support student and staff transportation for field trips, sports events, and other school based activities! This will help offset some of the previous budget cuts. Details should be available soon through the main office.

Happy Trails Pioneers!

*Shop for Thrifty Gifts and Home Accents  
at the AAPTO Thrift Shop  
2280 S. Industrial Hwy.*

Please visit the AAPTO Thrift Shop at 2280 S. Industrial  
*All proceeds benefit Ann Arbor Public School Students!*

### **New Parent Representative needed!**

What's a rep? S/He acts as liaison between Pioneer PTSO and the AA PTO Thrift Shop:

- 1) Communicates information and reminders from the Thrift Shop to the school PTO and school community, via newsletter or announcements;
- 2) Attends three Thrift Shop Board meetings per year when checks for volunteer hours are distributed;
- 3) Delivers the payout check and distribution list to the school PTO treasurer.

This position is rewarding because you facilitate the delivery of thousands of dollars of support to school organizations. It is NOT time consuming, and can be done in the evening. Please read more at

[www.a2ptothriftshop.org](http://www.a2ptothriftshop.org) and contact me!

Parent rep: Martha Kershaw 663-5957 [mdkershaw@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mdkershaw@sbcglobal.net)

## PTSO STORE PIONEER WEAR ORDER FORM

Please fill out this order form **COMPLETELY** and either mail it to the address below, take it to the General Office or e-mail it back to **PioneerPTSOstore@gmail.com**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print your e-mail address clearly since we use this to contact you when your order is available)

PHONE: (\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Order: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Rec'd	Item	Price	Color (circle one)	Size (circle one)	Logo (circle one)	Total \$
<input type="checkbox"/>	T-shirt Short-sleeve	\$12	Gray    Purple Black    White	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	
<input type="checkbox"/>	T-shirt Long-sleeve	\$17	Gray    Purple	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hooded Sweatshirt	\$36	Gray    Purple Black	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sweatpants	\$20	Gray    ONLY	S, M & L ONLY	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Girls Shorts	\$14	Gray    Purple			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lanyard	\$3	Purple w/white letters			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoe Laces	\$4	Purple w/white letters			
<b>SPECIALS ORDER</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/>	Crew Neck Sweatshirt	\$36	Gray    Purple Black	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hooded Windbreaker	\$40	Purple    Black	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Pioneer ONLY	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Jacket	\$36	Purple    Black	S, M, L, XL, XXL	Ann Arbor Pioneer or Pioneer	

**Do you want a name or class year on the back of your shirt or under Pioneer on the Windbreaker?**

**Cost is \$12.00 per item.**

Print VERY clearly please: \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Grand Total    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment must be made with the order. Make checks payable to PIONEER PTSO STORE**

You can mail orders to Patricia Kalosa, 809 Edgewood Place, Ann Arbor 48103

Questions? Email: PioneerPTSOstore@gmail.com

You will be called or e-mailed when your order is ready.

For Store Staff ONLY:    Special: \_\_\_\_ In-stock: \_\_\_\_ Cash: \_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_ Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Completed by PTSO Store Staff (please initial): \_\_\_\_\_  
 This section must be completed before the order can be processed. Thank you!

## From the PTSO

Tuesday February 8th is the next PTSO meeting: "Curriculum Focus", 7:30 PM Media Center. (There is a snow date of Feb. 15). Please mark your calendars for this important meeting where parents will receive information concerning curriculum and instruction. Counselors will be available to answer questions concerning filling out course schedules.

Watch your mail for a postcard listing the dates of upcoming meetings and events in the second semester. Post this card where you will see it to remind you of dates you don't want to miss as we make our way through the second half of the school year.

The PTSO is trying to provide healthy snacks for our teachers during this year's staff meetings, held once or twice a month. If you would like to assist with this effort, please let Kathy Robenalt know through e-mail at WRoben3357@aol.com.

Please contact any of the Board members if you ever have concerns, questions, or suggestions to make Pioneer the best place it can be. Our contact information is on the last page of the newsletter. We are still seeking interested persons for next year's board - please contact any board member if you would like to participate!!

*Kathy Robenalt*  
PTSO President

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**From the Editor**—Be sure to spot errors and typos and send them my way :) Also, and much more importantly - please let me know what you would like to see in future newsletters. My e-mail address and telephone number are just above on the left.

*Gerry Humes*