

PIONEER BLAST

UPDATES



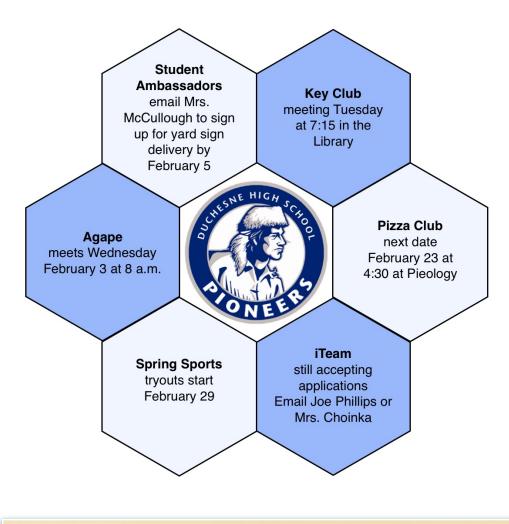
ProLife March

This week was supposed to be the March for Life in Washington D.C., the 42nd anniversary of the Roe vs. Wade decision in 1973 legalizing abortion. However, due to a massive storm leading to 1-2 feet of snow, the event was canceled. There was, however, a March for Life in Missouri last Saturday, and some Pioneers went down and marched in the successful make-up event. "I think it

had an effect of making it more direct where we went to planned parenthood instead of the capital, where the abortion crisis is happening," said Andrew Sweeso, a junior Pioneer who went and marched. Abortion has killed over 54 million babies since the Roe vs. Wade law was implemented, and that number will continue to grow until we can convince congress to change it. As of now, America is split between pro-life and pro-choice, so there's work to be done.

Group of Duchesne students that attended the March

Pioneer Clubs



THIS WEEK NASA CELEBRATES 12 YEARS ON MARS

JANUARY 25 MARKED The rover "Opportunity's" 12th year of exploration.

UPON LANDING IN 2004, "OPPORTUNITY" HAS LED TO MANY NEW DISCOVERIES ABOUT THE RED PLANET

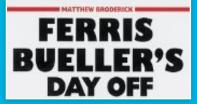
• EVIDENCE OF WATER WAS FOUND

• IT WAS CONFIRMED THAT MARS EXPERIENCES CHANGING SEASONS SIMILAR TO EARTH

○ A MARTIAN YEAR WAS DETERMINED TO BE EQUIVALENT TO 1.9 EARTH YEARS

> ORIGINALLY THE ROVER WAS ONLY EXPECTED TO LAST 3 MONTHS. YEARS LATER, "Opportunity" still continues to be one of the most important space informants.

Pioneer Pete's Netflix Pick of the Week____



Think you've mastered playing hooky? Think again. This 1986 film takes skipping school to a whole different level.

The main character, Ferris Bueller (Matthew Broderick) accidentally convinces his town that he is slowly dying, while he is out having the time of his life. Ferris, along with his girl friend, Sloane (Mia Sara), and best friend, Cameron (Alan Ruck) go downtown for a day of fun. The three of

them don't have a care in the world. At school the dean of students, along with Ferris' sister, is trying to get to the bottom of Ferris' games. This film will give viewers a good laugh, along with he enjoyable suspense of Ferris returning home before his parents come home.



Girls Basketball:

STLhighschoolSPORTS.com rankings - 1/20/2016
Girls Basketball Small Schools
1. Lebanon, Illinois (17-1)
2. Incarnate Word (11-4)
3. MICDS (10-3)
4. Highland (17-4)
5. St. Charles (10-4)
6. Breese Central (19-3)
7. Duchesne (13-2)
8. Lutheran St. Charles (13-2)
9. Whitfield (11-2)
10. Warrenton (9-1)

Hockey:

The Hockey team had an interesting weekend as they played in an outside rink where they scored a 7-1 victory against Howell North. Justin Meers, however, had a normal day on the ice scoring his second straight hat trick and adding 3 assists for fun. Nick Burke was also good for 2 on the night.

Boys Basketball:

The Boys Basketball team had a thriller in store for Pioneer Nation on Friday. They edged past Whitfield 62-60 thanks to some CLUTCH free throws courtesy of Luke Lowenstien.

Sport:	Opponent:	Win/Loss	Score:
Boys Basketball	Whitfield	Win	62-60
Swim and Dive	N/A	2nd place	N/A
Girls Basketball	Cardinal Ritter	Win	41-31
Hockey	Howell North	Win	7-1

LifeHacks



WANT TO DRAW PERFECT CIRCLES? PRESS YOUR PINKY KNUCKLE INTO THE PAPER. GRAB THE PAPER AND SPIN IT. BOOM. PERFECT FREEHAND CIRCLES EVERY TIME!

SHARPIE DRIED OUT? EASILY RESTORE IT BY FILLING A SHALLOW DISH WITH RUBBING ALCOHOL AND LETTING THE TIP OF YOUR MARKER BATHE IN IT FOR A COUPLE MINUTES. PUT THE CAP BACK ON FOR ABOUT AN HOUR AND IT WILL BE GOOD AS NEW.





WANT TO SEND YOUR FUTURE SELF SOME MOTIVATION/WORDS OF WISDOM? ON <u>FUTUREME.ORG</u> YOU CAN WRITE EMAILS TO YOURSELF THAT WILL BE SENT TO YOU ON A FUTURE DATE.

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To Be Honest...

- 1. Blake Griffin broke his hand after punching the Clippers equipment manager. Next time Blake Griffin tries to sell you a Kia, you accept.
- 2. Mattel announced that they are releasing Barbie dolls in curvy, tall, and petite sizes, "offering girls choices that are more reflective of the world they see today." Yes, the world today, with the hip new trend of diversity.
- 3. Rihanna's new song, "Work," hit the airwaves this week. The song contains the word "work" 83 times. Maybe she should *work* on some better material.
- 4. In her new commercial for Weight Watchers, Oprah Winfrey shared how she managed to lose 26 pounds and still eat bread everyday. Perhaps what is more remarkable is that she is not experiencing any self-loafing with her decisions and that her diet isn't complete toast.

Fake or Real



Last week's Fake or Real



