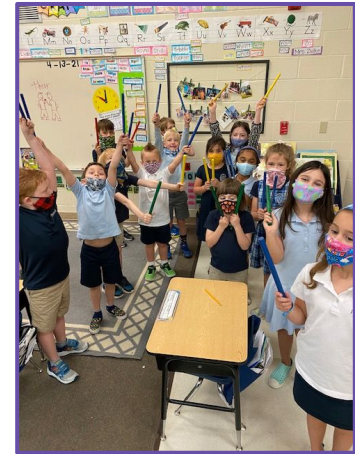
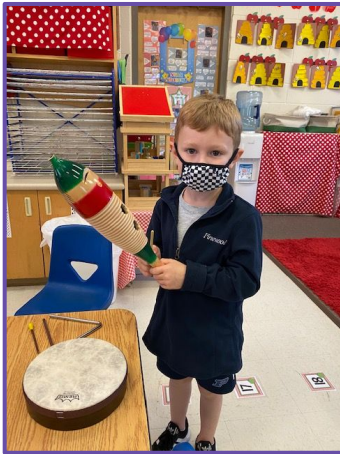


Mrs. Cunningham- Music, Lower School



🎵 Quarter 4 is full of exciting times in Lower School Music. All grades continue to work through our Game Plan Music Curriculum. Grades K3, K4, and K5 are exploring rhythm, movement, singing voices, percussion instruments and more advanced rhythmic patterns. First and second grade are working on end of the year songs, aural skills, rounds, canons, timbre and reading notation. Third, Fourth and Fifth grade are working on end of the year songs, performing rounds, notating bar lines, time signatures, labeling music, timbre, conducting and aural skills.

🎵 The Lower School Music Department is also very thankful for a generous donation from Ellen Bowler. Throughout the final nine weeks, students in Lower School Music will get to experience Bird Flight Patterns and Music as performed by the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra. The donation includes a concert video as well as full online curriculum.



Mr. Moreau- Music Technology

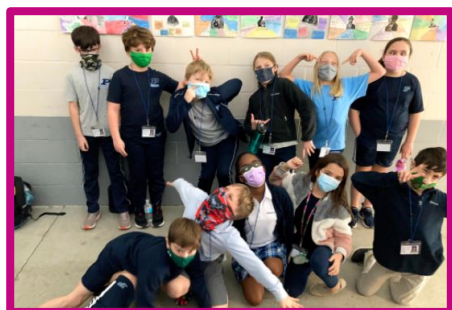
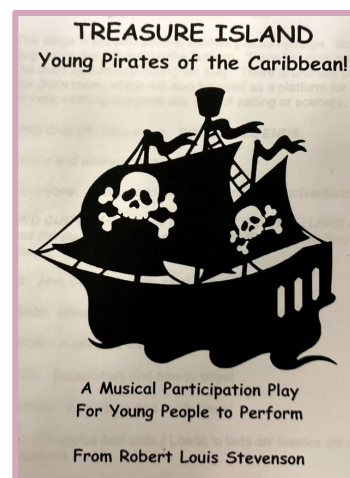


1..2..3..action! These last few weeks, the music tech students have been recording live versions of their original songs. While recording the audio, they also filmed their performance. The video compilation of their originals (plus special guests) will be available on **Thursday 04/15 at 6:00pm** on the *Pinewood Facebook and Youtube* pages. Enjoy!"

Take a look...!

Mrs. Klixbull- Drama, Lower School

- ★ 4th and 5th grade students will be recording their spring performance, Treasure Island by Robert Louis Steveson this coming April 22nd & 23rd! The Drama club has a total of 26 talented young pirates with their Captain, Mrs. Stephanie Klixbull. Over the spring semester, students have not only memorized and worked on the play but have also learned about improvisation, stage directions, and the basic fundamentals of play production. Be ready to set sail and be on the lookout for the recording of our performance coming **April 26th!** *Argh you ready to help us find the buried treasure?!*



Mr. Klixbull- Music, Upper School

🎵 7th grade guitar

The 7th grade guitar class has been working hard on a level 3 piece including alterations and harmonies.

View them here playing ["Chorale."](#)



- 🎵 Some other highlights include:
- The Choir singing for Yom Hashoah for the Charleston Jewish Federation
 - Visiting professor from CSU, Dr. Brett Floyd, came to work with middle and high school guitar students. He listened to the students sight read and performed and gave them advice from what it means to be a musician to how to improve their harmonics and many things in between.

Check this out...!

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Ms. Ehrlich- Theater and Dance

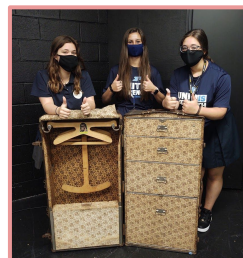
Middle School Theatre News:

- The Middle School Performance classes have moved to working with scripted scenes, and learned about stage blocking and projection. All middle school classes are working on pieces that will be entered into the virtual Junior Thespian Festival! We will share those performances with you when they are completed.
- Students from the performance classes were also recently inducted into the Junior Thespian Society! Congratulations to them for their hard work! Students from the performance classes were also recently inducted into the Junior Thespian Society! Congratulations to them for their hard work! [Click here to see the 2021 members!](#)

The Eidson family for donated set pieces



The Bulford Family for a donated keyboard



JoDee Robinson for donating a trunk from 1910

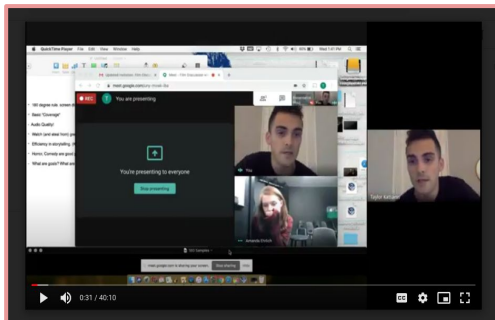
High School Theatre News:

- Our High School Theatre Tech class has finished designing for the Lower School performance of Treasure Island. We would like to thank Mr. Mike Williams for helping our class build a stage door for the show!



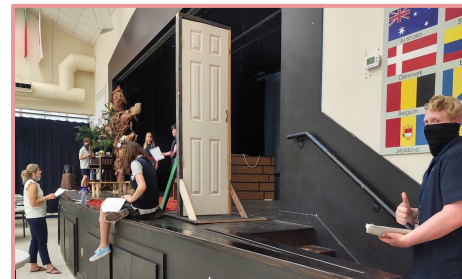
Musical Theatre and Film Study:

- Our Musical Theatre and Film Study class has been very busy! Jaelin LaVanway recently won the Superior Award for her film, Scatterbrained. You can view her short film by [clicking here!](#)
- The students also recently had a virtual workshop with former Pinewood student, Taylor Katsanis.



High School Actor's Workshop:

- Our High School Actor's Workshop Class recently completed their show Speed Date! If you did not get a chance to view it while it was available on Broadway On Demand, please email Ms. Ehrlich.
- They are also mentoring the Lower School actors for their upcoming show, Treasure Island!
- Several students were also recently inducted into the Thespian Society! [Click here to see the 2021 members!](#)




★ **Panther Paws News: We are excited to announce that the Panther Paws will return for the 2021-2022 school year!**

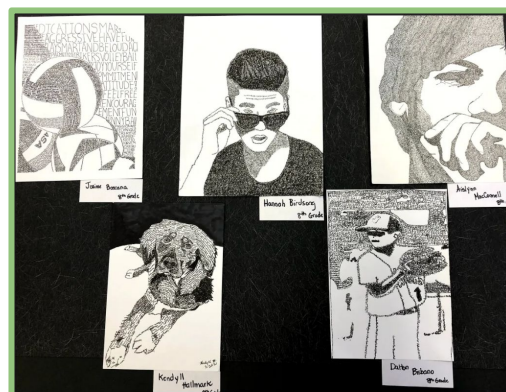



Don't miss this...


Mrs. Strang- Visual Art, Upper School

 **General Art** classes are finishing the school year with an Independent Assignment. They had to develop a plan and lay out three different projects. They are choosing supplies based on what supplies they have used this year. **7th Grade Art** finished their Candy Compositions and moved into Deconstructed Collages.

They will finish up the school year with Painting utilizing Paper Collage and an Independent Art Lesson choosing from what they have learned this year. **8th Grade Art** finished up Micrography (the art of drawing visual patterns from lines of minutely written words, which is a Jewish art form). They are currently working on a 3 Medium Artwork which will have two different papers and use ink, charcoal and colored pencils for the drawing portion. They will finish up with a Printmaking Lesson as well.



 **Advanced** students are working on their Independent Pieces and will have 4 finished pieces.

 **AP Art** students are finishing their Independent Pieces and working on their final AP Portfolio. There will be a total of 15 pieces they have worked on throughout the year.



2021 Congressional Art Competition

The *Congressional Institute* sponsors a nationwide high school visual art competition to recognize and encourage artistic talent in the nation and in each congressional district.

Students submit entries to their representative's office, and panels of district artists select the winning entries. Winners are recognized both in their district and at an annual awards ceremony in Washington, DC. The winning works are displayed for one year at the U.S. Capitol!

[Click here to see Pinewood artist's submissions!](#)

Don't miss this...

Mrs. Reed- Visual Art, Lower School

🎨 We had several students in lower and upper school whose artwork was chosen to be part of the South Carolina Art Education Association Virtual Art Show celebrating Youth Art Month. Click on the links below to view the grade level shows and look for our talented Pinewood students' work!

[Lower School](#)

[Middle School](#)

[High School](#)

Special congratulations to 4th grader *Jaxon Kessler* for placing 1st in the art show! His work will move onto the State YAM Exhibition! You can see his work recognized in the [Awards winners video here!](#)

Look what's coming!

*I want to celebrate all of our students' artistic skills, hard work and creative minds with the annual **Lower School Art Show!***

The art show will be sent out virtually towards the end of May, so be sure to keep an eye out for the links!



🎨 Our online art gallery on **Artsonia** is shining bright with so many beautiful, colorful and creative pieces of artwork from grades 1st-6th! Be sure to check out our talented artist work!



Thank you for all your support and participation of the arts throughout the school year!