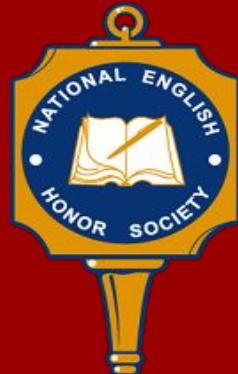
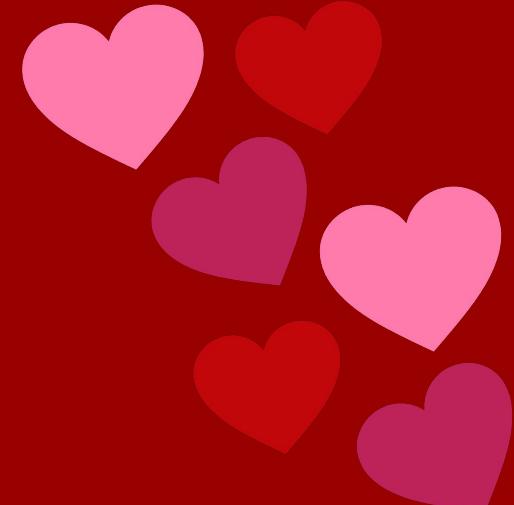


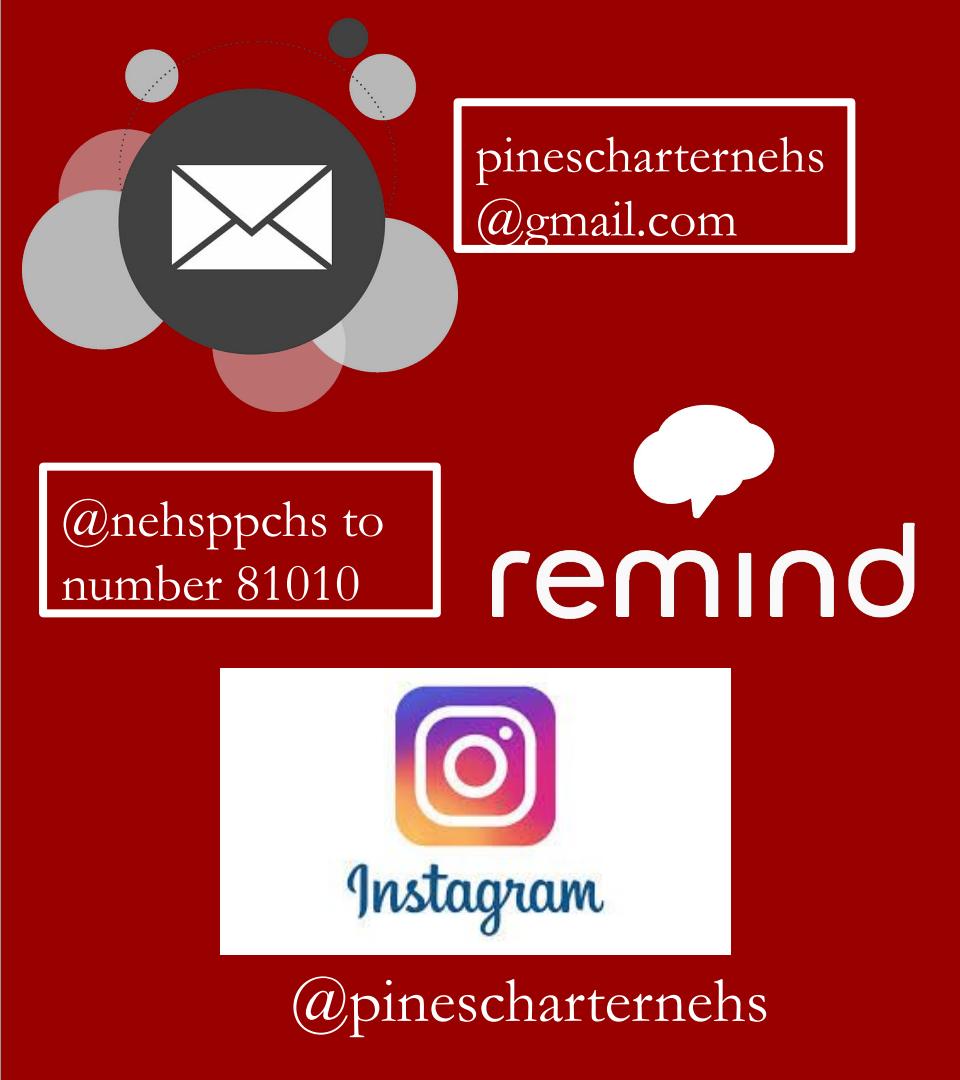
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Stay Informed!

Make SURE you are receiving emails and reminds from NEHS. If there is an issue please make sure to stay after the meeting.



NEHS Requirements

- ❑ 15 hours required per year for all members
 - ❑ For rising members, at least 10 by the end of February for induction
- ❑ General meetings count as an hour
- ❑ Volunteer at FSU Elementary's Literacy Night
- ❑ Design and send us a flyer to celebrate Women's History Month
- ❑ Submit poems to the NEHS Poetry Writing Contest (see slide 5)
- ❑ Submit ART to our literary journal, *the atala*
- ❑ Submit videos to our online Kinder Reading Program
- ❑ Remember, both your English & CUM GPA must not drop below a 3.0

FSU Literacy Night

- ❖ Earn NEHS hours **OR** regular volunteer hours!
- ❖ Event is on Wednesday, March 16th from 6-7:30, but volunteers are also needed before and after the event, so you can earn MEGA hours.
- ❖ Pines Charter FSU Elementary campus
- ❖ Volunteers needed BEFORE, DURING, and AFTER the event.
- ❖ Please sign up to volunteer on [this form.](#)

Juniors! Earn an NEHS Junior Summer Award!

The Junior Summer Study Award is presented to members of NEHS who are high school juniors, rising to the senior class in fall 2022. This award is intended to support students who have been selected for or who will be attending a summer learning program that is related to English studies in a direct way. Up to two awards for \$750 will be offered each year. Submissions will be accepted between **March 14 and April 11**.

Here is a link to the website for more information and criteria regarding the scholarship:

<http://www.nehs.us/scholarships-awards/student-awards/junior-study.shtml>



Earn 2 hrs. for submitting a poem or poems to the
NEHS Poetry Writing Contest!

February Topics: “Sacrifice” or “Never Again”

Submission window open from 1/31-2/28

Members of the NEHS Advisory Council and Central Office personnel will read and select the top entries; the best submissions will be published through social media outlets and archived on the Society blog, **NEHS Museletter**. In May, the “winners” from each semester will be re-revaluated and the best works of the year will be sent a gift e-card and will be re-published as the “best poets of the year.”

Visit this link for more specifics: <http://www.nehs.us/writing/poetry-challenge.shtml>

- **TO RECEIVE PINES CHARTER NEHS HOURS, YOU MUST SEND EVIDENCE OF YOUR SUBMISSION to pinescharternehs@gmail.com**

2022 NEHS Poetry Slam!

The Poetry Slam was amazing! We are so happy and proud to be able to not only celebrate poetry, but provide a serious showcase for creative talent and our own powerful student voices. Thanks to all of you who helped to make it happen!

**Congratulations to our
Literary Contest winners and
Poetry Out Loud finalist...**



CONGRATULATIONS, WINNERS!

POETRY OUT LOUD: Sophia Lopez

SPOKEN WORD: Samantha Lowe

FREE VERSE: Jillian Medina

RHYMED VERSE: Jadelynn Corzo

VILLANELLE: Vrinda Gupta

EKPHRASTIC POEM: Nitya Dave

SESTINA POEM: Ariana Lesmes

CINQUAIN: Julianna Gonzalez

HAIKU: Paul Mcfarlane

SHRINKLIT POEM: Leo Graham

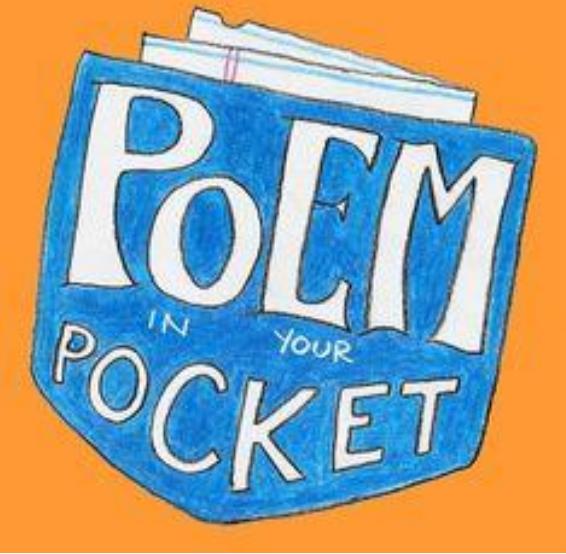
PARODY POEM: Rebecca Lim

ODE: Nitya Dave

SHORT STORY: Isabella Cely

INFORMAL ESSAY: Sumona Edvullari

Poem in your Pocket Day will be at the end of April



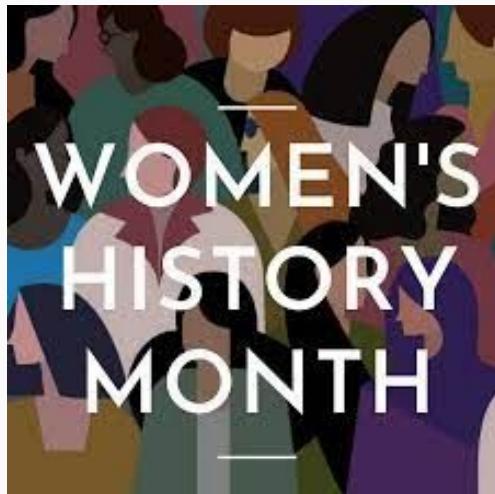
- ★ “Every April on Poem in Your Pocket Day, people celebrate by selecting a poem, carrying it with them, and sharing it with others throughout the day at schools, bookstores, libraries, parks, workplaces, and on Twitter using the hashtag #pocketpoem” (poets.org).
- ★ began in 2002 to celebrate New York City’s National Poetry Month celebration
- ★ in 2008 expanded to all 50 states by Academy of American Poets
- ★ Pines Charter NEHS will participate! YOU can contribute by...
 - coming in to D203 to prepare scrolls of poems in early April.
 - preparing poem scrolls at home (more details TBA)
 - distributing poems
 - Signing up to perform poems between classes

Black History Month Feature



- ★ This month we've been promoting Black voices!
- ★ Visit our instagram to see flyers featuring beloved books, poems, or other literary works by Black authors!

Women's History Month Feature



- ★ Next month we're promoting female voices!
- ★ You can participate!
- ★ Create a flyer featuring a beloved book, poem, or literary work by a female author, including your favorite quote from it.
- ★ DM us the flyer on instagram by February 6th to earn 1 hour!
- ★ All submissions will be featured on our instagram @PinesCharterNEHS!

NEHS club T-shirts and sweatshirts!



- If you ordered one, pick up your shirt after school in D203!!
- We ordered a few extras, so if you did not place an order but would like to purchase one, please come to D203 after school on Tuesday.
- Short-sleeved shirts are \$10, long-sleeved shirts are \$15, and sweatshirts are \$20.

Induction Ceremony for New Members



- Scheduled for Wednesday, April 6th at 6pm
- Induction ceremony invitations will be emailed (as EVITE) to inductees who have completed at least **10** of their 15 NEHS required volunteer hours by the end of **February**.
- Will be held at an outside venue (community center)
- Parents will likely be able to attend. More info will be provided later.

Reminders...



- Make sure you signed in so you can receive your hour
- Check pinescharternehs.wordpress.com for hours and other information
- Please follow us on instagram `@pinescharternehs`
- Next General Meeting: **Wednesday, March 16th**