

## Greetings PVA Families!

March is also a time when we get to honor the unique and varied contributions of our nation's women throughout history and today. Celebrating Women's History Month is a momentous occasion that allows us to reflect on the resilience, strength, and determination of women who have broken barriers, challenged societal norms, and paved the way for progress in various fields. From activists and pioneers to scientists, artists, and leaders, Women's History Month serves as a reminder of the remarkable impact women have had on shaping our world. It's an opportunity to amplify their voices, recognize their achievements, and inspire future generations to continue striving for gender equality and empowerment. Through education, awareness, and advocacy, Women's History Month not only celebrates the past but also advocates for a more inclusive and equitable future for all. Talk with your child about the important women in their lives.

April is a month teeming with diverse celebrations, each imbued with its own cultural significance and traditions. For many of us, it marks the arrival of Easter, a joyous holiday commemorating the resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Additionally, April heralds Earth Day, a global observance dedicated to environmental awareness and sustainability. Communities worldwide unite in efforts to protect and preserve our planet through various initiatives and events. Furthermore, April hosts various cultural observances such as Vaisakhi, Hanuman Jayanti, and Passover, each offering opportunities for reflection, gratitude, and connection. Whether celebrating religious, environmental, or cultural occasions, April inspires unity, reflection, and appreciation for the rich tapestry of human experience.







MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

4/17 - Excursion Day (Details TBA)

3/21 - PVA Family Night w/ Mr. Eddie 6-7pm

4/1



4/15 - School Closed (Teacher **Appreciation Day)** 

4/22



4/2 - March Reading **Incentive Sheet** Due



4/30 - April reading incentive sheet due **JEDWHI** 

4/17 - Excursion Day (Details TBA)





4/18 - PVA Family Night w/ Mr. Eddie 6-7pm

4/12 - Half day (Noon Dismissal for Techer Work Day



Dear PVA families,

I am so excited to share the new and exciting progress of all of our new projects. The BAAM Academic Center Project is coming along amazingly! The building project is on schedule and there has been great participation with our students and other community members on our BAAM mural art project. We are getting very excited about design and soliciting furniture bids for the new BAAM Academic Center. This project is taking shape and the building structure is very visible in our community.

Secondly, the Polaris Village Early Learning Center renovation project is on schedule to open sometime in April. The opening date will be contingent upon all of the final approval of permits and inspections. As soon as the completed occupancy permits and license is obtained, all families who have completed the initial application process will be notified of the official opening date. Please look for updates and communication from Polaris Village Ministries Chief Operating Officer & Director of PVELC. We are so elated about all of the new opportunities for our students, families, and our community partners. Let's embrace these wonderful changes and additions to our small and dynamic rural community.

Thanks for all you do! Derick Daly, CEO



From the Desk of Dr. McCoy

Dear PVA Families,

The Polaris Village Early Learning Center (PVELC) renovation project is coming along nicely. We are projected to open the center sometime in April. We are still adding names to our wait-list for our 3 and 4 year old program. If parents are still interested, please contact me at <a href="mailto:lmccoy@polarisvillage.org">lmccoy@polarisvillage.org</a> or call me at 410-253-9668.

This is a tuition-based program and PVM will be participating in the state voucher program. Those parents who have placed their children on the wait-list will be mailed an initial application form next week. I will notify those parents who will be registering their children in our early learning center regarding next steps and I will disseminate PVELC 's Program packets which will include all of the required childcare and state forms at the time of registration.

Looking forward to working with our new children and families.

