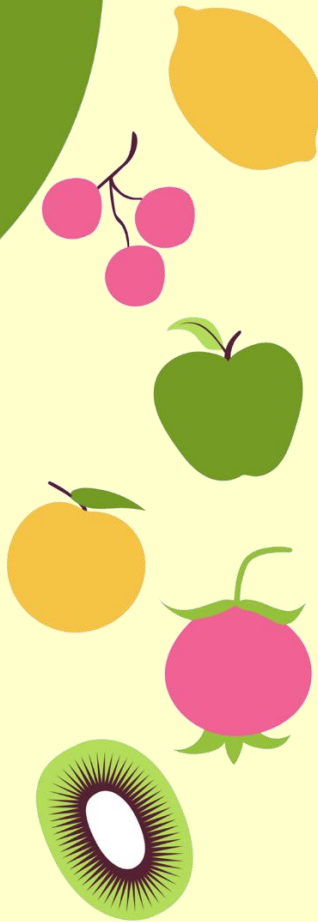




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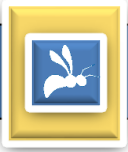
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Spring Community Arts Night



EVERYONE HAD A GREAT TIME!

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WELCOME TO HAMPSTEAD HILL ACADEMY

Note from Principal Hornbeck

We did it! Our gym and classroom passed final inspection last week. The new space is gorgeous. Our Annual B3 fundraiser this Saturday will be the first ever event and a soft opening. The official ribbon cutting and first baskets will be thrown Wednesday, April 9th. We will have many dignitaries, funders, and elected officials present, and more importantly, our basketball and volleyball student teams will be on hand for the celebration. Coach Edwards will start teaching gym class in the new space the Wednesday after spring break. Mr. Jones' drama classes will move into the old gym/auditorium space. It will be great to spread out. I deeply appreciate all of the flexibility that has been required of staff, students, and parents during construction, especially with the congestion at drop off and pick up. Better days lie ahead!



Mr. Hornbeck takes staff members on a tour of the Newstead Gym

Note from Assistant Principal Anderson

What's Hopping at HHA?

To kick off the month of March, the Spring Community Arts Night took place. Ms. Alexander and her amazing beginner string ensemble students, along with the woodwind instruments, played beautiful melodies. Patterson Park Academy of Music and HHA students also showed off their guitar skills, bringing back memories of Hot Cross Buns. Of course, it wouldn't be the same without Ms. Satterlee and the Culinary Arts Club creating egg-tacular breakfast treats! We simply could not have done it without our wonderful student and staff volunteers. On March 25th, the PTO sponsored a WIDA Celebration Breakfast for all K-8 multilingual learners to recognize their hard work on the WIDA exam. Students



Ms. Anderson enjoys the WIDA Celebration Breakfast with HHA WIDA students

enjoyed a savory breakfast from the Iron Rooster and got to wear their cool new special uniform T-shirt! Here's what's springing up in April! Be on the lookout for the Instrumental Music Concert on Thursday, April 10th, and the Elementary School Dance on Friday, April 25th. Don't miss out on these exciting opportunities! Also, get into the swing of spring with Spring Break. Take time to relax from April 14 – 21!



Instrumental music students perform at Community Arts Night

Hampstead Hill seeks to be a safe, nurturing, diverse, family-friendly neighborhood school with rigorous, effective academic programs and exciting, engaging extracurricular activities. We believe all parents want the same thing for their children: more and better opportunities for college and career. We believe in the importance of the arts, and we want our students to be great communicators, listeners and writers. Our students will be forward thinkers, persistent, responsible, caring, dependable and healthy members of the greater community.



MISSION STATEMENT

Hampstead Hill Academy is a neighborhood public charter school that exists to educate children living in both our attendance area and throughout Baltimore City. Our talented staff uses research-based curriculum to develop and implement rigorous lesson plans that continuously raise the academic bar for our students. Our whole school community is dedicated to working together to challenge our students to succeed in a fair, consistent, just and joyful learning environment.

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IMPORTANT DATES THIS MONTH

- Tuesday, April 1 – PTO Meeting 6 pm
- Friday, April 4 – Day of No Silence
- Saturday, April 5 – PTO B3 6 – 11 pm
- Friday, April 11 – Dress Out Day – Spring Break Theme \$1
- Friday, April 11 – Orange Friday
- Monday, April 14 – Monday, April 21 – School Closed – Spring Break
- Wednesday, April 23 – School Family Community Council Meeting 3 pm
- Friday, April 25 – Grades PreK – 2 Someone Special and Me Dance 5 – 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, April 30 – Instrumental Music Concert 5:30 – 6:30 pm

Please check <https://hha47.org/parent-student-calendar/>
for the Parent and Student Activities calendars for details.
Also, check the back of the magazine for event and club flyers.

180 Days of School		
Number of Days in School	Approximate Date	Number of Absences for Your Child to be Considered Chronically Absent
50	11/7	5
75	12/17	7.5
100	2/6	10
125	3/13	12.5
150	4/28	15
180	6/11	18

MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD IS NOT ON THE DISTRICT'S CHRONICALLY ABSENT LIST

Any student absence for any reason, including excused absences, causes your student to miss valuable instruction time. Baltimore City Schools follows the State of Maryland requirements for reporting absences. If your child misses 10% or more of any portion of the school year, she/he will be put on the chronically absent list for that period of time. For example, if school has been in session 50 days and your child has been absent 5 days, that is 10% of the year so far and she/he would be put on the chronically absent list.

Although even excused absences count towards the chronically absent total, communication with the school is key. Every time your child is out, make sure your child's teacher knows by sending a note in Dojo. Please review the chart to fully understand when your child will be considered chronically absent.

"The more that you read, the more things you will know,
the more that you learn, the more places you'll go."

—Dr. Seuss



TOP NEWS STORIES

YOUR TRUST MATTERS... A MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL HORNBECK

HHA has a fantastic reputation. Many families move to the neighborhood or stay instead of moving to the county because of our school. We are an anchor in Southeast. I'm always proud to say there are more than a dozen children of staff members enrolled, which is an indicator of the health of the school. While my own children, Holly and Tom, are grown, they are the most important people in my life. When you get ready to come to school each morning, you're not just getting your child to school on time. You are bringing us the most important person in your life for nearly seven hours. Whether you are a parent, grandparent, aunt or uncle, or guardian, there is no higher level of trust you place in anyone other than family. We understand and respect that trust and work every day to earn it and keep it.

STATE TESTING IS SCHEDULED FOR THE WEEKS OF MAY 12TH (ELA) AND MAY 19TH (MATH)



State MCAP is scheduled to begin in May. The week of May 12th is the reading assessment and the week of May 19th is the math assessment. Testing in grades 3 - 8 will take about 60-90 minutes each morning. The test includes open-ended written responses as well as multiple-choice questions. The multiple-choice questions ask students to select the best answer and then the next question asks them to select how or why they know their answer to the previous question is correct. Our students are as ready as any student in Maryland. Parents can help by making sure students are relaxed, rested and have a good breakfast on test days. Being present and taking the test on scheduled days with their class ensures that students do not have to make up the test and miss class later in May. Please email your questions to our testing coordinator Jen Shaffer at jrshaffer@bcps.k12.md.us. Remember that breakfast is free to all students starting at 7:40 am in our cafeteria. **On test days, students MUST be on time for the start of school by 8 am and be present every day to do their best.**

BUDGET AND CLASS SIZE UPDATE

For SY26, HHA continues to have the funding for all staff plus three positions to support lower performing students. Our budgeted enrollment is about 860 students, but the reality is that there will be an actual (as opposed to budgeted) enrollment of about 930 students. There is no cap on enrollment in grades K - 8. Only in-zone students are currently being admitted due to overcrowding. The only out of zone students who are admitted are rising kindergarten siblings, which is allowed through September 30, 2026. Class size in next year's 3rd, 4th, and 8th grades will remain too large with around 36 students in three homerooms in each grade. There will continue to be pullout staffing for enrichment, talent development, special education services, English as a second language services, etc., which has the effect of reducing class size for certain subjects. There will continue to be full time assistant teachers in every PreK - 1 classroom, one dedicated para for 2nd grade students, and mentors in grades 2 - 4, which improves the staff to student ratio. There will also be six full-time substitute teachers on staff that enable us to never split classes up when a teacher needs to be out for an appointment or is sick. Feel free to reach out to principalhornbeck@hha47.org to further discuss class size concerns.

Principal Hornbeck at

PLAYGROUND CAMPAIGN TO BEGIN

HHA is beginning a campaign to raise \$400,000 for a new playground. The playground will be as large as the old one with exciting new equipment. A solid soft rubber surface will run \$120,000 and around \$280,000 will be needed for amazing equipment to include slides, monkey bars, bridges, nets, climbing walls, and more. In terms of timing, the playground will be finished about 12 weeks from the date a contract is signed. Half of the cost is due at the signing with the balance due upon completion. We are in the process of looking for anchor and matching donors. Please see Mr. Hornbeck if you have funding ideas.

KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT FOR 2025-2026

If you live within our attendance area, from Broadway to Haven Street and Eastern Avenue to Boston Street, and you are planning to send your child to kindergarten at Hampstead Hill Academy next year, please register your child starting May 1st online at www.baltimorecityschools.org. Your child must turn five years old by September 1, 2025. Please call the main office with questions.

CHECK OUT THE JOB OPENINGS AT HHA



Each year, HHA seeks to attract and keep the very best teachers available. Nothing is more important to student success than the teacher. Each year, more than 75

resumes are received from talented teachers across the nation and Maryland interested in teaching at our school. There is a four-part process to the interview that includes the following:

1. resume screen,
2. phone interview,
3. 1/2 day visit to HHA to teach a sample lesson and provide an on-the-spot writing sample, and
4. a check of references

Job openings are posted on our website at <https://hha47.org/>. Special thanks to Academic Coaches, Katie Johnson, Megan Trainer, and Matt Cobb for their essential work with our recruitment and hiring process!

3RD QUARTER REPORT CARDS COMING HOME WEDNESDAY APRIL 2ND

Your child's 3rd quarter report card tells you how your child is performing in each subject. Make sure to note if any teacher indicates that your child is performing below grade level and/or is requesting a conference. If you want to schedule an appointment with a teacher, please send a note, message them on ClassDojo, or contact the main office at 410-396-9146.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PLACEMENT AND HONORS COURSES

HHA is the highest performing middle school in City Schools. According to the MSDE report card, we are in the 97th percentile in the State. Moving from 5th to 6th grade at Hampstead Hill Academy marks the transition from elementary school to middle school. This is an exciting milestone. At HHA, we seek to provide a joyful, safe, nurturing, diverse, family-friendly environment with rigorous, effective academic programs for every student. To that end, all students take honors classes. Middle school students receive honors credit for their work in English, social studies and science classes. In Math, students may be placed in an advanced class and tracked to take Algebra in 8th grade.

IS YOUR CHILD ON THE CHRONICALLY ABSENT LIST?

A student in Baltimore City is considered chronically absent when they miss 10% of any portion of the school year. Students been in school about 130 days, so any student missing 13 or more days at this point are chronically absent. Chronic absenteeism is slightly up this year currently sitting at 13% of our students who have missed at least 10% of the school year. Attending school is mandatory in Maryland. We can't teach your child unless they are present and on time. Chronic absence includes excused and unexcused absences. Please do not take vacation on school days. Please arrange to send your child to school on early release days. Unless your child has a fever or is throwing up, he/she should come to school. When one child has a fever or is throwing up, please send healthy siblings to school. Please get in the habit of sending your child to school. There are no remote learning options available. Teachers will not prepare work for when you may be traveling. Students will need to make up work upon returning to school.



DON'T STOP IN THE STREET! ONLY CROSS AT CROSSWALKS!

You will notice Baltimore City Parking Enforcement officers giving tickets out in the morning and afternoon. Please avoid driving on the blocks surrounding the school from 7:45 - 8:15 in the morning and 2:40 - 3 in the afternoon. Park a block or two away and walk your child to school or pick up your child. This is a constant safety concern, especially with construction. There has been a number of near misses by cars going around cars that are parked or stopped illegally in the middle of the road. Tickets for stopping in the lane of traffic to let your child out or pick your child up are \$258. We have some very sad stories of parents and caregivers who have had to pay that fine. Plan ahead, park a block away, and walk to school. Officers will randomly monitor our school.

SCHOOL FAMILY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Please join us on Wednesday, April 23rd at 3 pm for the School Family Community Council (SFCC) meeting. The speaker for the April meeting will be Auni Gelles, Program Manager at Live Baltimore. Ms. Gelles will give a presentation on various housing initiatives taking place in Baltimore City. Mr. Hornbeck and HHA staff will be in attendance. We encourage parent participation, as your input is extremely valuable and helps spread important information throughout the community. Childcare is available for this meeting. SFCC meetings will be held on the third Wednesday of each month. Please refer to the Parent's Calendar for future dates. Look for an email with additional information to be sent.

FESTIVAL ON THE HILL (FORMERLY KNOWN AS HH AT NIGHT!)

The Annual Festival on the Hill continues this year. This family event is Thursday, May 8th from 5 - 7 pm. It will take place over in the park as that worked out well last year. There will be food, games, facepainting, and tons of fun. Stay tuned for details. Come one, come all!

2ND QUARTER PRINCIPAL'S LIST AND HONOR ROLL

Students at HHA who achieve the highest levels of performance are recognized on the Principal's List and Honor Roll.

- Students in 1st grade must achieve a grade of P with a 1 or 2 in all subjects to be recognized on the Principal's List.
- In grades 2 - 4, the Principal's List distinction recognizes students who achieve 90% or higher in all core subjects, with a 1 or 2 in conduct.
- In grades 2 - 4, Honor Roll students are recognized for achieving 80% or higher in all core subjects, with a 1 or 2 in conduct.

Students in grades 6 - 8 are recognized for their scholarship, leadership, and citizenship through the Leaders Go Places program. See the list of 2nd Quarter Principal's List and Honor Roll students at the end of the magazine.

SADDLE UP! YOU'RE INVITED TO A

HHA HOE-DOWN



APRIL 5 6-11 PM
HAMPSTEAD HILL ACADEMY'S
NEW GYM!

DONATE TO THE
SILENT AUCTION

SIGN UP TO HELP
VOLUNTEER

SCAN NOW TO BUY TICKETS

WHO BINGO, BIDDING & BETTER WHO BIDDING & BETTER
NEW VIP TABLES & TICKETS
LIMITED SEATING AVAILABLE
GRAB YOUR VIP TABLE TODAY

THIS IS A 21+ ONLY
EVENT

MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

HHA's Multicultural Festival will take place on Thursday, May 22nd! Families and staff are invited to share a family dish and/or assist with running a craft station. For more information and to sign up, please visit bit.ly/HHAMulticulturalFestival. For any questions or ideas, please contact mriorda@hha47.org.



NEWS FROM THE BALTIMORE CURRICULUM PROJECT



The Baltimore Curriculum Project (BCP) Board of Directors is a dedicated group of professionals responsible for governance, oversight, and strategic direction within BCP's network of charter schools. Comprising leaders from various fields—including education, business, law, and community advocacy—the board is committed to supporting high-quality public education in Baltimore.

Role of the Board

The BCP Board of Directors plays a vital role in ensuring the success and sustainability of BCP schools by:

- **Providing Oversight** – Monitoring academic performance, financial stability, and compliance with charter school regulations.
- **Strategic Planning** – Establishing long-term goals and priorities to drive continuous improvement in education and operations.
- **Financial Stewardship** – Reviewing budgets, approving financial reports, and ensuring responsible use of funding.
- **Supporting Leadership** – Advising and collaborating with school principals and BCP leadership to enhance student outcomes.
- **Advocating for BCP Schools** – Engaging with policymakers, community leaders, and stakeholders to promote BCP's mission.

The board meets quarterly to review progress and make decisions that impact the schools and students it serves. The next meeting is scheduled for **June 5, 2025, at Hampstead Hill Academy**. To learn more about the Board of Directors or read updates from the latest board meeting, visit www.baltimorebcp.org.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

"ARE YOU SMARTER THAN A BCP STUDENT?" GALA

Join BCP on Thursday, May 15th at the Baltimore Museum of Industry for the annual "Are You Smarter Than a BCP Student?" gala! This exciting event features celebrities and community leaders competing against BCP 5th and 8th grade students in a battle of knowledge using the BCP curriculum. The evening is a celebration of the impact BCP schools have on the community, with numerous sponsorship opportunities available. Don't miss this fun and engaging event! For more details on sponsorships and ticket information, visit our the [BCP website](http://www.baltimorebcp.org).



GRADES PREK - 4 TEAM NEWS

PREK

Ms. Klenk and Ms. Kaminaris: Everyone is enjoying the spring season and the warm weather that comes with it! This is a reminder that PreK students go outside for recess twice a day. Flip-flops are not permitted in school, and for safety reasons, closed-toe shoes are strongly recommended. This month in math, students will finish the unit on numbers 1–10 and will begin to learn about ordinal numbers. They will also explore the spring season and learn about plants. Additionally, students are excited for another visit to the Canton Library. Ms. Klenk's class will walk on Tuesday, April 8th, and Ms. Kaminaris' class will walk on Thursday, April 10th. Please check your child's folder and ClassDojo for additional information. Students will also have their final field trip of the year to the Baltimore Zoo on Thursday, May 15th. Also, the end-of-year family picnic and closing program will take place on Friday, June 13th, at 10 am. More details about these events will be shared on ClassDojo. Thank you for your support!

KINDERGARTEN

Ms. Maciel, Ms. Wallis and Ms. Villa Parker: Students have been engaged in a variety of exciting learning activities in all subjects. In reading, students are learning new sounds, reading short stories, and building fluency, and in language, they are identifying story elements, reviewing calendar facts, and practicing prepositions. In math, lessons focus on numbers up to 100, number bonds, addition and subtraction, fact families, and solving story problems, and in core knowledge, students are exploring the life cycle of plants. March was filled with fun and memorable experiences! Students enjoyed a field trip to the aquarium, celebrated the first day of spring, and even attempted to catch a leprechaun on St. Patrick's Day—better luck next year! In April, the focus will shift to building independence and increasing responsibilities to help prepare students for first grade. Families are encouraged to check their child's green folder and ClassDojo daily for updates and highlights of classroom activities. Thank you for your continued support!



Kindergarten students had a fun day of learning at the National Aquarium in Baltimore

GRADE 1

Ms. Bierley, Ms. Clary Thomas and Ms. Shapiro: Students are in the home stretch of the school year! They have successfully completed the unit on *Same Stories from Different Lands* and are excited to begin the next unit on *The Human Body*. Families are encouraged to support the first-grade team's silent auction item at B3 by making a donation. The link to donate can be found on ClassDojo. As the weather continues to change, please ensure that students are dressed appropriately and that their coats, lunchboxes, and water bottles are labeled with their names. Wishing everyone a safe and relaxing Spring Break!



The Astronauts and The Telescopes have been learning about life in the forest and grasslands. As part of their studies, students wrote about two different types of trees that grow in the forest and illustrated their work with pictures. Their hard work and creativity have been truly impressive!

GRADE 2

Ms. Bonner, Ms. Douglas and Ms. Zoll: Students are in the final stretch of the academic year! It's time to finish strong in both attendance and academics. Families are reminded to check their child's folder and ClassDojo regularly for the latest updates, homework, and important documents. Keep an eye out for the upcoming walking field trip permission slip to Urban Pirates, which will be sent home soon. The trip is scheduled for Friday, May 9th. To help prevent lost items, please ensure that your child's name is labeled inside all coats, sweaters, lunchboxes, and water bottles. Wishing everyone a safe and restful Spring Break!



This 1st grade language group was eager to take on a special project and explored a lesson on butterflies. They wrote a description and created beautifully detailed butterfly pictures. Their hard work and progress are truly impressive, making it a joy to celebrate their accomplishments.

GRADE 3

Reading – Ms. Knudsen: Some groups have been learning about the elements of nonfiction texts, including headers, sub-headers, bolded text, and indexes. They have practiced using these features to preview their reading and locate answers to comprehension questions more efficiently. Additionally, students have developed test-taking strategies such as using T-charts, rough drafts, root words, and text evidence to help decipher new words. These strategies are incorporated into daily learning, and students are eager to apply them during the MCAP test. Other groups have completed a book series that follows characters Wendy and Sidney on their adventures through space and are now nearing the end of a series featuring Waldo, the animal trainer. Alongside these stories, students have read nonfiction informational texts about space and animals. They have also been practicing writing in complete sentences and using proper paragraph structure to craft well-organized responses.

Language/Science - Ms. Ahearn Jensen: Students have been working hard and making great progress! In science, they are exploring the topics of water and climate. As part of their learning, students have researched severe weather, created weather reports, and engaged in hands-on activities to deepen their understanding of weather patterns. Their enthusiasm and dedication to learning are truly commendable. Keep up the great work!

Math - Mr. Bradbury: Students have taken their math practice outdoors working on Unit 6 on Mass and Weight. They will now focus on topics such as time, money, capacity, geometry, and area/perimeter.

Ms. Smith: March was a busy and productive month. Students successfully completed the fractions unit and did an excellent job on the unit test. They are now working on measurement and will soon begin the next unit on telling time. In reading, students enjoyed *Beauty and the Beast* and celebrated with a watch party, complete with snacks, stuffed animals, and fun! After watching the movie, they wrote essays comparing the video and written versions of the story. Families are encouraged to remind their child to read and complete their SIR logs each week, as this practice helps strengthen reading and comprehension skills. After spring break, SIR logs will shift focus to non-fiction literature. In science, students are finishing the Water and Climate unit. Wishing everyone a wonderful and relaxing Spring Break!



Third-grade students worked together in small groups to complete a math assignment. The afternoon was filled with learning and teamwork, all while appreciating the beauty of the park.

GRADE 4

Reading – Ms. Conrad: Students continue to work hard and explore wonderful stories in class. The Crocodiles (Conrad) are currently reading the myth *The Golden Touch*. Students will complete a portfolio project focused on the story's theme by creating a collage that represents a major theme and writing a well-structured paragraph with supporting details from the text. The Goldfish (Green) are reading *The Prince and the Pauper*. After finishing the book, students will create a comic strip summarizing the most important events and write a paragraph explaining a major theme with supporting details. Recently, they composed a letter from the perspective of the character Miles. The Sharks (Shortman) are reading *The Cruise of the Dazzler*. As they explore the novel, students are learning about figurative language and point of view. They recently wrote a letter from the perspective of the main character, Joe. Students are putting great effort into their reading and writing projects, and deepening their understanding of literature in creative ways.

Language/Science - Ms. Green: Students will begin energy investigations. They have mastered soils, rocks, and landforms and learned all about human and animal senses and body systems. This final unit includes plenty of work with circuits and energy transfers, which will be explored through engaging labs both in the classroom and outdoors. This month, parents and students will receive timelines and requirements for the end-of-year science fair. Everyone looks forward to see what 4th grade scientists discover in their independent research.

Math – Ms. Shortman: The Crocodiles and Goldfish will work on Unit 5: Unit Conversions, which includes adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing units, as well as converting between smaller and larger units. They will take the Unit 5 test in April. The Sharks will take the Unit 6 test on Decimals, which covers decimal place value, as well as comparing and rounding decimals. They will then move on to Unit 7: Decimal Operations, concluding the unit with a portfolio project. Also, a big shoutout to the Sharks for winning *Beat the Teacher* once again for the month of March! Keep up the great work!

GRADES 5 - 8 TEAM NEWS

GRADE 5

Reading – Ms. Pellegrini-Gaither: The Pandas are exploring a variety of texts, including *From Plateau to Mesa to Butte*, *The Hopi Way to Life*, *Upon This Earth*, and *Breaking the Rules*. The Robins and Owls have started the third unit of the SpringBoard curriculum, *Changing Perspectives*. In class, students are analyzing a variety of argumentative texts and discussing how authors use claims, reasons, and evidence. All students will begin to work on test-taking skills and strategies to prepare for the MCAP (Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program), which they will take in May. Keep up the great work!

Social Studies – Ms. Ruppenthal: Students did an outstanding job on the MISA assessment in March! Since then, they have been reviewing key events leading up to the Revolutionary War, including the Boston Massacre, the Boston Tea Party, the Second Continental Congress, and the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Once this unit concludes, students will begin to explore civics and economics in early America. They will analyze historical events from multiple perspectives, considering the experiences of those who lived through this time period.

Math – Ms. O'Connor: Students have started Eureka Math Module 5: Addition and Multiplication with Area and Volume. In this unit, they have been learning to calculate the volume of rectangular prisms, cubes, and composite figures. To apply these skills, students are working on Volume Village, a project where they design various stores and businesses, each with unique volumes. Additionally, they are exploring how to find the area of rectangles with fractional side lengths and studying the properties of different geometric figures. Students continue to excel on IXL.com, having answered an impressive **183,505 questions** this year! Keep up the great work!

GRADE 6

Humanities – Mr. Farber: Students are nearing the completion of *Bronx Masquerade* by Nikki Grimes. Soon, they will complete a short writing assignment in which they imagine a chapter in the book about themselves, writing both a brief narrative and an expressive poem. Next, students will begin reading *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis, both in class and as part of their nightly homework. Additionally, they are preparing for the MCAP English test, which will take place in May. Happy Spring!

Science – Ms. Poole: Students are finishing the chemistry unit titled, "*How Can I Smell Things from a Distance?*" They have been learning about how odors are detected and how they form. To understand odors, students have been exploring the states of matter, as well as atoms and molecules. **Quiz question:** In which state of matter must an object be for it to produce an odor? Want to see if you're correct? Ask a 6th grade student for the answer! The classroom tower garden, affectionately named Herbert, has been producing an array of fresh lettuces. After harvesting, students enjoyed a salad bar featuring greens grown in the classroom. Stay tuned for future harvesting updates!



Students enjoy a delicious salad made with lettuce grown in the classroom tower garden

Math – Ms. Bentil: In April, students will continue to work through Unit 5 – Geometry and begin Unit 6 – Statistics. They will calculate the volume and surface area of three-dimensional figures. In Unit 6, students will graph data and calculate measures of center and variability. Families are encouraged to have students work on their IXL Skill Plans at home to reinforce classroom learning. Additionally, students should refer to the online notes in Google Classroom (under "Links") for homework support and to study for quizzes and tests. Looking ahead, weekly quizzes will continue on Fridays, and the Unit 5 test is scheduled for April 8th. Please ensure your student is reviewing regularly. Thank you for your continued support!

GRADE 7

Language Arts – Ms. Locke-Jones: Students have completed their 3rd quarter essays and should be proud of their growth and ability to write meaningful analyses. As 4th quarter begins, they will start their novel study of *Miracle's Boys* by Jacqueline Woodson.

Science – Mr. Lohrman: In the 4th quarter, 7th students are transitioning from history with Mr. Ball back to science. To begin the quarter, students will complete the physics IQWST unit, where they will learn how energy makes things happen. They will explore how energy converts from one form to another and is never created or destroyed. For example, the Sun's light rays are converted into chemical potential energy in plants, which humans then use to fuel their bodies. This energy is then converted into kinetic energy, or energy in motion.

Math – Mr. White: Students will begin to work in Unit 4B: Geometry. They will learn to calculate the area of two-dimensional shapes, such as triangles, circles, and trapezoids, as well as the surface area and volume of three-dimensional figures, including prisms, cylinders, and pyramids. Students will also solve problems involving composite figures by breaking them into simpler shapes. This unit helps build foundational skills for real-world applications in design, engineering, and problem-solving.

GRADE 8

Language Arts – Ms. Kosmer: Students are in the second half of *To Kill a Mockingbird*. They have been participating in literature circles, text-dependent questions (TDQs), and Socratic Seminars to analyze the chapters. To conclude the unit, they will complete a character chart and write a final essay. To prepare for MCAP, students are practicing test-taking strategies and working with short stories to review key 8th grade ELA standards.

Pre-Algebra/Algebra 1 – Mr. Pratta: Students will complete their final unit on quadratic equations and begin to prepare for the MCAP exam in May. In this unit, students will learn that equations in the form $(x - m)(x + n) = 0$ can be easily solved using the zero product property, which states that if the product of two factors is zero, at least one of the factors must be zero. When equations are not in factored form, students will practice rearranging them so that one side equals zero and rewriting expressions from standard form to factored form. As they progress, they will recognize that not all quadratic expressions in standard form can be rewritten into factored form.

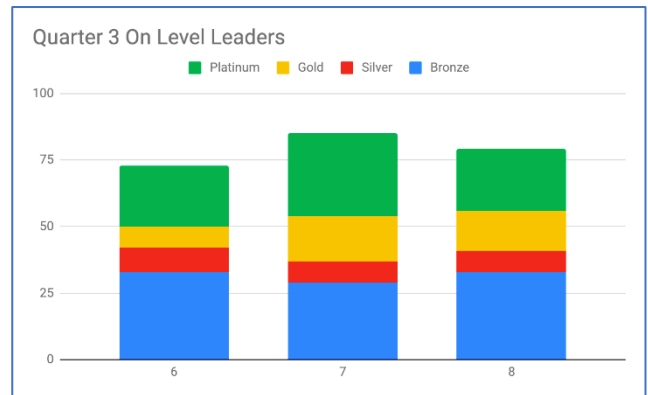
US History – Mr. Ball: Mr. Ball is very excited to be back teaching 8th grade in 4th quarter! In April, students will learn about the various groups of Americans who moved west and explore what life was like in this part of the United States. They will also examine the Mexican contributions to the West. After studying life in the West, students will shift their focus to the Era of Reform, analyzing how Americans sought to reform society in the first half of the 19th century. To conclude the month and the quarter, students will study the Civil War, examining its causes and the subsequent era of Reconstruction.

LEADERS GO PLACES

Middle school students finished another quarter incredibly strong! To achieve level status in the *Leaders Go Places* program, students must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher, earn at least 80% on ClassDojo, and complete two or more hours of community service each quarter. These are high standards, and in the 3rd quarter, an impressive 78% of middle school students met the criteria! Look at the incredible averages in the table to the right.

They also completed more than 1,260 community service hours, and to top it off, 40 students earned the *Riser Award* for reaching a higher level in the 3rd quarter than in the 2nd quarter. Additionally, 18 students achieved a leadership level for the first time this quarter. This achievement reflects the students' commitment to producing quality work and putting in their full effort, even as the school year nears its end. That's an impressive number of middle school students reaching new heights! Take a look at how students performed at each level in the chart to the right. This is extraordinary work!

Grade	GPA	Dojo Percentage	Service Hours
6	3.55	95%	344.5 hours
7	3.65	95%	534 hours
8	3.51	94%	403 hours
Total Middle School	3.57	95%	1268 total hours



ENRICHMENT

LIBRARY

Ms. Kannam: Exciting news from the HHA Library! A big thank you to all the students, teachers, and families who supported the Scholastic Book Fair! The event raised over \$15,899, resulting in a profit of nearly \$6,000 to purchase new books for the HHA Library. It was a fantastic celebration of reading, and we appreciate everyone's support! Additionally, a grant from *Reading Is Fundamental* (RIF) provided over 600 **free** books for HHA students in grades 1 - 4. These books will be sent home over the next two weeks, so be sure to check backpacks to see if your child's class was selected to receive a free book!

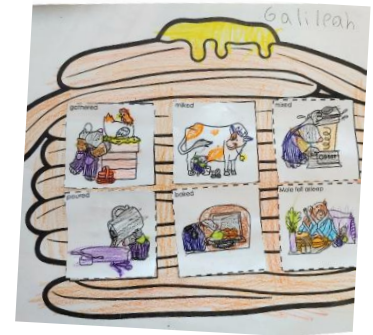


With spring in full bloom, students are once again enjoying reading time in the HHA courtyard. It's a wonderful opportunity to soak in the fresh air while diving into a good book!



DRAMA

Mr. Jones: Spring is in the air, and that means the return of HHA's Got Talent after spring break! Auditions will be held later in the month, so stay tuned for more details. In the meantime, early learners have started to embrace early scene work by sequencing pictures to create stories as shown to the right. It is exciting to see their creativity and storytelling skills develop!



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mr. Edwards: Students will move into the Newstead Gymnasium for the 4th quarter. Grades PreK-1 will continue to participate in collaborative games and locomotor activities, focusing on combining movements. Students in grades 2-5 will be introduced to team handball and basketball, while middle school students will engage in floor hockey and basketball.

FOOD FOR LIFE

Ms. Satterlee: It has been a busy month in the Food for Life Kitchen! Students in grades PreK - 8 have been learning about healthy eating. Younger students have explored a variety of nutrient-rich foods and discovered the importance of "eating the rainbow," while older students have been preparing nutrient-dense dishes. Additionally, all students receive fresh fruit as a snack twice per week. Looking ahead, preparations are underway for the Multicultural Festival on Thursday, May 22nd. Those interested in sharing a dish with the community are encouraged to email Ms. Satterlee at ksatterlee@hha47.org.

MUSIC

Ms. Barbee: Grade 1 and 2 students have been having a wonderful time exploring the world of music! They continue to build confidence in rhythm and maintaining a steady beat, both essential skills for young musicians. Recently, students have started to learn about pitch, recognizing how different notes sound higher or lower. They have also been introduced to the concept of rests, understanding how moments of silence contribute to the balance and structure of music. It is exciting to see their understanding grow as they develop a strong musical foundation. The progress they have made so far is impressive, and it will be exciting to see where their musical journey takes them next!

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Ms. Alexander: Ms. Alexander has greatly enjoyed working with HHA's student musicians throughout the month of March. On Tuesday, March 11th, beginning violin, clarinet/saxophone, percussion, and guitar students gave their first performance of the school year at the Spring Community Arts Night. They did a phenomenal job showcasing their hard work and progress! The final concert of the school year for all instrumental music students has been rescheduled to Wednesday, April 30th, at 5:30 pm. Families and friends are invited to join us as grade 4–8 students perform in band, orchestra, chamber groups, percussion, and guitar ensembles. Everyone looks forward to celebrating their dedication and musical achievements.



Instrumental music students prepare for Community Arts Night

ART

Ms. Butcher: Grade 1 and 2 students have been learning about the artist Georges Seurat and his unique painting technique, Pointillism. Seurat used tiny dots of color to create vibrant and detailed images. Inspired by his work, students created their own paintings, depicting colorful park scenes with carefully applied small dots of paint.



Students in grades 5 - 8 have been learning about the artist Carolyn Mazloomi, a renowned fiber artist and quilt maker known for her powerful storytelling through textiles. Students have been creating their own personal story quilts, using fabric, color, and design to express meaningful moments from their lives.



NATURE EXPLORATION

Ms. Riorda: Almost all of the classes were held in the park this phase! Middle school students investigated greenhouse gases and their effects on our climate. Other classes explored the amazing properties of water through a series of experiments. Elementary students discovered how animals are specifically adapted to their environments to survive and reproduce. Meanwhile, the youngest nature scientists continued learning about a new animal each week, corresponding with their class's letter of the week.



Students explore the letter "U" by making a sea urchin using food.

SUPPORT SERVICES

GIFTED AND ADVANCED LEARNING PROGRAM (GAL)

Passion Projects and Expert Projects

The GAL program is dedicated to creating learning opportunities that ignite curiosity, foster engagement, and instill a sense of agency—essential components in the development of gifted learners. One of the most effective ways to achieve this is through interest-based learning. During March and April, GAL students in grades 3 and 4 tap into their passions to design personal interest projects, allowing them to explore topics that excite them. Younger students in grades 1 and 2 also participate in activities that teach them how to become experts on subjects that spark their curiosity. Most students eagerly embrace this type of learning, quickly discovering that the journey of exploration can be just as rewarding as the final product. In addition to deepening their knowledge, they develop valuable life skills such as self-management, goal-setting, and organization. Grade 5 GAL students are currently engaged in an exciting project with Ms. Kelley Smith called "Jury Trials." Throughout April and May, they will learn about the judicial system, culminating in a thoughtfully planned and executed mock trial, where they will take on roles as representatives of either the prosecution or the defense. This hands-on experience provides a deeper understanding of the legal process while building critical thinking and public speaking skills.



2nd grade student, Ayden, finishes a game he created to teach his classmates about money

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Ms. Shaffer: In April, the field of special education recognizes Autism Awareness Month, a time dedicated to increasing understanding and acceptance of individuals with autism spectrum disorder (ASD). This month highlights the unique strengths and challenges of individuals with autism, promotes inclusion, and supports efforts to create more accessible educational environments. Schools, organizations, and communities often host events and activities to raise awareness, provide resources for families and educators, and foster a greater appreciation for neurodiversity. It is an opportunity to celebrate the diverse abilities of individuals with autism and advocate for their needs and rights in all areas of life. For more information, visit <https://www.autismspeaks.org/world-autism-month-faq>

ELD DEPARTMENT NEWS

This month, WIDA ACCESS testing was successfully completed. On March 26th, a special WIDA celebration breakfast was held to honor the achievements of HHA's multilingual learners. A heartfelt thank you goes out to the PTO, parent volunteers, administration, and staff whose support made this event possible. WIDA ACCESS score reports will be sent home once they become available later in the fourth quarter.



HHA WIDA students enjoy a celebratory breakfast for their hard work on the recent WIDA testing

CLUBS

As a reminder, students are not permitted to join two clubs that meet on the same day at the same time.

NOTIFICATION OF CLUB OPENINGS

Parents will be notified of club openings on grade level Class Dojo pages. If more students sign up for a club than there are openings, a lottery will be held. Students selected will receive a permission slip. If your child does not receive a permission slip, your child was not selected in the lottery.

BOARD GAMES CLUB

The Board Games Club kicked off with a fantastic start! Students enjoyed learning how to play Connect 4, Sorry, Trouble, Candy Land, Checkers, and Chutes and Ladders. Middle school students helped facilitate gameplay by encouraging turn-taking, patience, and good sportsmanship, ensuring that everyone had fun. A special thanks to the PTO for generously donating the games. After the second session, the games will be raffled off to participants from both sessions!



Students have fun playing board games while learning teamwork, patience, and problem-solving. They also learn to take turns, follow rules, and develop critical thinking in a fun and engaging way.

The Girls on the Run team has been training hard for the upcoming 5K race while also learning how to let their girl power shine! This year's race will take place at Druid Hill Park on Sunday, April 27th at 9 am. Join us for a fun-filled morning and help cheer on our runners! For more information, please contact Coaches Melissa Riorda or Lindsay Knudsen.



SCIENCE OLYMPIAD TEAM

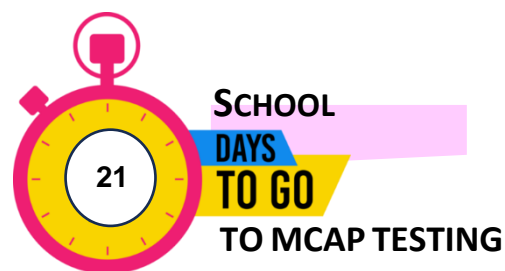
HHA's middle school Science Olympiad team achieved an impressive 2nd place overall at the regional tournament on March 8th. This outstanding accomplishment reflects the students' dedication, teamwork, and passion for science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). At the state tournament on March 29th, the "Write It, Do It" team achieved an impressive 3rd! The kids had a fantastic time competing in their individual events, overcoming a few challenges along the way. They are all excited for next season to kick off in September for the 2025-2026 season! Congratulations to all team members and coaches on their hard work and success!



FAMILY INFORMATION

THE COUNTDOWN CONTINUES

- 76% of the school year is completed
- 137 of our 180 student days have passed
- There are approximately 21 school days left until our 3-8 grade students take the MCAP Assessment in reading and math beginning in May, 2025.



Spend some time learning about this state assessment for your child at the Maryland State Department of Education at

<https://marylandpublicschools.org/about/Pages/DAAIT/index.aspx>

KNOW THE NO'S

- No gum at school. It is distracting and prevents students from reading aloud clearly.
- No smoking or vaping in or around school property. This is against the law on school property.
- No dogs allowed on school property
- No double parking or idling at drop-off and pickup. Double parking creates a dangerous situation, and you could get a \$252 ticket for double parking.
- No crossing in the middle of the street. Cross your child at the corner. Do not encourage your child to get to school by crossing in the middle of the street! This can be extremely dangerous for your child.
- Please remind your child, especially older children, that ball playing is not allowed in front of the school during school arrival and dismissal times. Also, ask them to be mindful of smaller children to avoid accidentally bumping them.

How HHA COMMUNICATES WITH FAMILIES

HHA uses the following ways to communicate with families:

- Class DoJo – for parent/teacher communication. Check with your child's teacher for information on how to join.
- Post a monthly news magazine. This is a comprehensive document with information from Mr. Hornbeck, staff, club coordinators, community partners, etc. The magazine is posted monthly at www.hha47.org
- Send out parent emails – please sign up to receive emails at www.hha47.org
- Post information on the HHA Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/HampsteadHillAcademy/>
- Check out the HHA website at www.hha47.org
- Parent and Student Calendars at <https://hha47.org/calendar-of-student-parent-events/> - You can set to view in week, month or agenda.
- Staff emails – List of staff email addresses is located at <https://hha47.org/staff-contact-roster/>
- Not sure where to find what, email Ms. Mittenthal at cmittenthal@hha47.org

Join Our Email List

Sign up to receive HHA emails at www.hha47.org.
Look for the icon on the front page of the website
at the bottom.

THE LEARNING CHANNEL- HOW TO TALK TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER:

5 THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

By Maria Trimarchi

Prepare - One of the best things you can do before talking to your child's teacher is to prepare. Think of it as a business meeting and you're bringing the agenda. Ask the teacher how they prefer to be contacted. Many teachers do use email but parents should take advantage of whatever the teacher has set up: email, phone, school hours, website, etc. Understand that many teachers don't have a lot of time for extra one-on-one meetings with parents, especially at the beginning of the year or during report card time, so using your agenda and keeping the conversation focused will truly help. Find a time that's convenient for both of you: not usually drive-by meetings during pick up and drop off times, in the middle of the day or in the grocery store. Be on time, be prepared with questions and stories, and walk away with a plan. Parents should expect teachers to be experts in their field but need to remember they're human too. Many teachers are also parents who've been on the other side of the table.

Trust - Having a positive relationship with your child's teacher can help your child be more successful in the classroom. Parents should expect their child's teacher to hold shared information confidential, and should be confident in discussing cognitive and social development, as well as family events, with him or her. Trust that even if you disagree or have different styles of communication, you both have a commitment to the child. Be fair, but in situations where you feel you don't have a parent-teacher partnership, or that the teacher isn't producing results, seek out the counsel of the school administration for tips or help.

Share - Just as you expect your child's teacher to share important events that happen during the school day, your child's teacher wishes you'd reciprocate. Mutual disclosure is important in this partnership. Share insights into your child's interests, needs, strengths and personality. If you have areas of concern, be honest about that with your child's teacher. Communication should be both positive and negative -- don't be afraid to share important events in kids' lives (such as divorce or a new sibling) but also remember to share the funny stories too. All these things can affect how your child's days go.

Be Informed - Informed parents know what's happening in the classroom. They know the teacher, the kids, the whole cast of characters and the rules of the classroom. Some of the easiest ways to stay informed about what's going on in the classroom is to read newsletters, the classroom's Web page and any notes sent home. And, of course, stay on top of your child's homework assignments. Teachers have varying levels of accessibility but all are accessible (some are available after school hours, some have been known to give out their home phone numbers). Keep informed and keep in touch.

Participate - In addition to being a well-informed parent, be a parent who participates. Make an effort to meet your child's teacher early in the year, if only to introduce yourself. Throughout the year you and your child's teacher will have opportunities to meet at parent-teacher conferences and school events -- be sure to attend all parent-teacher meetings as these are sometimes the only one-on-ones you'll have together. Ask what you can do to be involved. For example, being a volunteer for classroom activities is just another way to stay connected and informed. Accompany a field trip, join the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), help organize a classroom party or donate time or resources to the classroom or grade.



A graphic for 'BREWERS HILL SPRING BEAUTIFICATION'. It features four photos: 'Flower Distribution until supplies last' showing a rack of potted plants, 'Planter Box Installation' showing a wooden planter box with flowers, 'Dumpster' showing a green dumpster, and 'Community Cleanup' showing two people wearing gloves and holding a plastic bag. Below the photos is the text 'BREWERS HILL SPRING BEAUTIFICATION' and 'April 5, 2025 | 9am-12pm | 3900 Dillon St'. To the right, it says 'Sponsored By:' followed by logos for 'Brewers Hill', 'BUBBA'S SERVICES', 'PUSH FITNESS', and 'BHN BREWERS HILL NEIGHBORHOOD'.

ATTENDANCE

HHA is serious about attendance. Our talented staff cannot teach unless students attend school. There is a district-wide focus on student attendance. Again this year, there will be mandatory hearings at school headquarters for the parents of students with poor attendance. Each month, the news magazine will include this chart so students and parents can review monthly attendance data.

Congratulations to the PreK Team of staff and students for having the highest attendance average for the month of March!

Month March	Attendance Percent	Yearly	Attendance Percent
HHA Average	95.29%	HHA Average	95.28%
PreK	96.58%	Grade 7	96.50%
Grade 7	95.92%	Grade 4	95.72%
Grade 4	95.85%	Grade 6	95.61%
Grade 3	95.57%	Grade 3	95.61%
Grade 2	95.25%	Grade 1	95.35%
Kindergarten	95.22%	Grade 5	95.10%
Grade 1	95.22%	Grade 8	94.82%
Grade 8	94.91%	Grade 2	94.76%
Grade 5	94.84%	Kindergarten	94.62%
Grade 6	94.27%	PreK	93.91%

COMMUNITY NEWS

AUDUBON UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Service-Learning Opportunity – Habitat Team Garden Volunteers

Saturday, April 5, 8:00–9:30 AM

Audubon Gardens, northwest of Boat Lake

Registration preferred: md.audubon.org/events.

Bird-Friendly Garden Design Webinar

Wednesday, April 9, 7:00–8:30 PM

Virtual event. Free.

Registration required: md.audubon.org/events.

Birding Tour

Saturday, April 26, 8:00–9:30 AM

Meet at the southern end of Boat Lake in Patterson Park

Led by Audubon and the Baltimore Bird Club

Free for all ages! Registration preferred: md.audubon.org/events.

Register at least 72 hours in advance to borrow binoculars.

Service-Learning Opportunity – Habitat Team Garden Volunteers

Saturday, May 3, 8:00–9:30 AM

Audubon Gardens, northwest of Boat Lake

Registration preferred: md.audubon.org/events.



Hello and greetings from Live Baltimore! **Trolley**

Tour: Live Baltimore's Spring Trolley Tour will take place on **Saturday, May 3** at Poly.

Baltimore's premiere **homeownership event** will include a bus tour of neighborhoods, workshops, and a resource fair—and, attendees will qualify for the \$5,000 Buying into Baltimore lottery. You can find a variety of promotional graphics/language [here](#) and one graphic attached.

Buy Back the Block: The Buy Back the Block program provides **grants of up to \$20,000** to Baltimore City residents living and purchasing within the grant-eligible Baltimore City area. This funding is only available through 2025. I'm attaching an information packet (in English and Spanish) and am happy to provide additional materials if you'd like them. You can find a video about this grant [here](#).



Around this time of year, families are searching endlessly to fill in the gaps in their summer plans.
[Download your free guide!](#)



Principal's List - February, 2025

Adarkwah-Yiadam, Stephen	Decker, Ramsey	Memoli, Penelope
Aguayo Gonzalez, Amelia	Desmond, Emerson	Mendez, Dominic
Al Awdi, Jory	Dobbins, Abigail	Menke, Bradley
Aldinger, Oliver	Donahue, Mae	Minihan, Casey
Aleman Cruz, Bryan	Duque, Mathew	Moll, Riley
Algin, Lydia	Dyer, Hunter	Monserate, Dino
Almazo, Elena	Enos, Frankie	Moore, Everly
Ambrocio Ambrocio, Isabella	Farber, Miles	Morosoff, Alexander
Andrade Martinez, Carlos Alejandro	Fernandez Bellow, Athena	Moussa, Annika
Andrews, Sabrina	Fraser, Grace	Naasz, Quinn
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Bektas, Nursel	Gomez Astudillo, Louis	Noble, Shane
Ben Abdallah, Mohamed	Hammouda, Imrane	Nunez, Galileah
Benbow, Brielle	Hardee, Macy	Obeng, Enoch
Betts, Isaac	Heaney, Caleb	Ochoa Tenezaca, Oscar
Biondi, William	Heaney, Nolan	ONeil, Isla
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Boyd, Zoey	Hoffman, Ridley	Oviedo Barreto, Javierlys
Bradbury, Ivy	Hollak, Tau	Peabody, Noelle
Bravo Romero, Oliver	Hornung, Harper	Penaherreta Cappolla, Cameron
Braxton, Josiah	Hudgins, Fiona	Perez Ambrocio, Melany
Brock, Raleigh	Huffman, Jacob	Perez, Liam
Brown, Jack	Humes, Lennon	Perez, Lucia
Brown, Sloane	Joda, Amy	Pettit, Tavin
Bujanda, Sebastian	Johnson, Quinn	Pieschel, Kaya
Cable, Giavanna	Jolley, Eleanor	Pomento, Annette
Campbell, Finley	Jones, Mark	Pomento, Jonathan
Campos, Luka	Juknevicus, Jack	Popov, Maya
Candia- Garcia, Yuleysi	Kilareski, Riley	Porter, Emily
Candia Hernandez, Miriam	Koscianski, Alexander	Pupek, Owen
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Cannon, Tori	Kutcher, Isaac	Ramirez Hernandez, Edsson
Cardillo, Leoni	Kutcher, Netta	Redd, Wesley
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Carpio Pineda, Jordy	LeCompte, Aria	Reddinger, Rye
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Chabot, Celeste	Macchia, Nora	Rodriguez, Emery
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Chimborazo, Ayden	Madella, Jacob	Ross, Harlem
Christino, Evangeline	Mah, Madison	Rytina, Aiden
Cielo-Medina, Dana	Maloni, Rhett	Sawyer, Ethan
Cline, Amelia	Marin Bautista, Ivan	Schatz, Elliott
Cohen, Maya	Marsh, Eva	Schellenbach, Piper
Connolly, Lola	Martinez, Carlos	Schick-Vigna, Eleanor
Cotherman, Greyson	Mathioudakis, Leo	Schultz, Alejandro
Curran, Jaxon	McCartney, Claire	Schultz, Isabella
De Los Santos, Geovani	Mejia Tiu, Emily	Scott, Maya

Sedlak, Alice
Sener, Defne
Serafi, Sophie
Shaw, Ian
Shepherd, Jack
Shiraaf, Afzal
Sink, Andrew
Sink, Wade
Sippel, Quinn
Skrybantovych, Nikita
Slater, Payton
Smith, Kali
Snell, Madeline
Sotirchos, Athena

Spencer, Alexander
Stanton, Zyla
Stephens, William
Stith, Aubri
Szwak, Avery
Tancraitor, Elayna
Taylor, Nola
Thammasathiti, Mayuree
Thomas, Ella
Thomas, Karter
Tyson, Harper
Tyson, Lennox
Ulloa Castillo, Daneyri
Urquhart, Jasper

Vasquez Krepa, Ivy
Vidovich, Shea
Vincent, Nora
Ward, Madison
Webb, Beckett
Webb, Madelyn
Williams, Brooks
Wilson, Selah
Xolalpa Miguel, Camila
Zachmy, Leon
Zamora Barchi, Gia
Zelic, Sead
Zhao, Yuxi (Selina)
Zhumi Mendez, Leonardo



Honor Roll - February, 2025

Aguilar, Franklin
Alvarez-Aguilar, Kyara
Amador-Hernandez, Maia
Ambrocio Ambrocio, Andony
Anderson, Austin
Beresford, Joshua
Bohlen, Seth
Booth, Logan
Bottari, Camilla
Cable, Julian
Cano-Candia, Claudia
Castro Iglesias, Mateo
Conney, Deondre
Connolly, Brecken
Contreras, Niko
Cruz-Gonzalez, Areli
Denning, Samuel
Dopkowski, Grayson
Drake, Jackson
Flores Candia, Mabelin
Flores-Venancio, Diego
Fraser, Bentley
Funez Ramirez, Lucas
Gafar, Rayana
Garcia Gonzalez, Cynthia
Gibbons, Finn
Gonzalez, Jorge
Hall, Regina
Hartnell, Rumi
Hernandez Cruz, Michael
Hernandez Parrales, Alexa
Hernandez, Misael
Hill, Jaxon
Holcomb, Jullian
Hylkema, Benjamin
Isaula, Genesis
Jones, Bodhi
Katzenstein, Michael
Knorovsky, Levi
Knudsen, Wyatt
Krol, John
Krueger, Colt
Krueger, Davis
Leon-Candia, Christopher

Madrigal Galindo, Carlos
Madrigal- Galindo, Gael
Marcos-San Pedro, Harry
McCoy, Paige
Medrano Raymundo, Hayslin
Mendez-Pantoja, Brayan
Morris, Aneara
Morris, Aniyra
Moss, Louisa
Munoz, Maximiliano
Navarro-Martinez, Elias De Jesus
Neponuceno Moran, Katia
Neverosky, Dylan
Nguyen, Thai Son
Obeng, Isaiah
Obileye, Skylar
Omweg Von Kelsch, Axel
Orellana Gaspar, Raquel
Page, Hance
Parris, Yoel
Parsons, McKinley
Pavon Rios, Alondra
Pelaez-Yanza, Nayeli
Perez, Enzo
Polo, Gabriela
Polo, Luis
Quartana, Charlize
Ramirez Flores, Josep
Ramirez Lopez, Mireya
Riddick, Carter
Roberts, Harper
Rodriguez, Abigail
Rose, Hazel
Sampaio, Mia
Santiago- Lopez, Katalina
Sawyer, Logan
Schick-Vigna, Owen
Selassie, Ilanah
Sheubrooks, Leonard
Shiraaf, Zafar
Singla, Shaurya
Soto Hernandez, Jaime
Spence, Zachary
Stephens, Samuel

Tenezaca Quito, Eileen
Tilghman, Kelsie
Tlatenco Moran, Kevin
Urquhart, Penelope
Vaughan, Damico
Vaughan, Justice
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Williams, Ty'Jan





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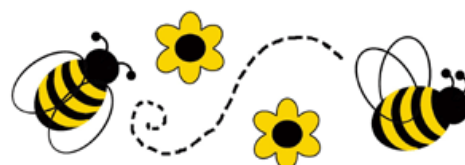
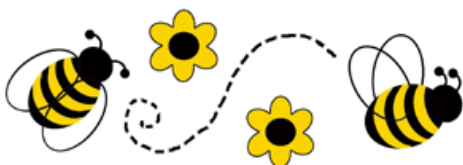
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Please remember to sign in when you volunteer so we can acknowledge you on this page.



APRIL

2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	Orange Monday	PTO Meeting 6-7:30			LGR Field Trip Day of NO Silence	B3 6-11 PM
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
					Spring Break Dress Out Day \$1	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
NO SCHOOL - SPRING BREAK						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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27	28	29	30	1	2	3
			6 & 8 th Gr Field Trip Concert 5:30-6:30	3 rd Gr Field Trip	Orange Friday K Field Trip	



HAMPSTEAD HILL ACADEMY

BUSY BEES SUMMER CAMP

**June 30th to August 1st
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

Students entering kindergarten through 5th grade are eligible to enroll in our summer camp full of fun, friends, and adventure! Breakfast, lunch, and field trips included.

Your cost is just \$500 for the full 5 weeks with a \$100 discount for each sibling enrolled.

Aftercare available from 12:00pm-3:30pm Monday-Friday for an additional \$500 for the full five weeks.

To Register:



*Full payment for all five weeks is required by June 1st. Partial attendance does not qualify for a reduced rate or refund. See registration link to inquire about need based scholarships.

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QUESTIONS? CONTACT MS. BERLIN AT JBERLIN@HHA47.ORG



HAMPSTEAD HILL ACADEMY

BUSY BEES

CAMPAMENTO DE VERANO

**Del 30 de Junio al 1 de
Agosto de
8:00 a 12:00 horas**

Los estudiantes que ingresan al kinder hasta el Quinto grado pueden inscribirse en nuestro campamento de verano lleno de diversión, amigos y aventuras. Desayuno, almuerzo y excursiones incluidos.

El costo es \$500 por las 5 semanas completas con un descuento de \$100 por cada hermano inscrito. Cuidado posterior disponible de 12:00 p. m. a 3:30 p. m. de Lunes a Viernes por \$500 adicionales por las cinco semanas completas por estudiante.

Para registrar: *El pago total de las cinco semanas se debe realizar antes del 1 de Junio. La asistencia parcial no califica para una tarifa reducida ni para un reembolso. Consulte el enlace de inscripción para obtener información sobre becas basadas en necesidades.



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PTO MARCH UPDATES

In March the PTO was happy to provide breakfast to celebrate all the students who worked hard to complete their WIDA testing. We finished the month with a fun family social at Mobtown Brewery. Many thanks to them for hosting and always being a great community partner!

We have been hard at work planning our Bingo, Bidding, and Bites HHA Hoedown. We are just days away and very excited for a fun-filled evening.

We still need to fill many volunteer posts to make B3 a success so please go to our [HHA Link Tree](#) to see how you can help.

FAMILY SOCIAL



PTO BOARD NOMINATIONS

There will be several PTO board member openings at the end of the school year. The openings are: President, Treasurer, and three At-Large Board Member positions. All HHA parents and staff can nominate someone or themselves for a position. Each position is for a two-year term.

You may submit multiple nomination forms. If multiple candidates are interested in running for the same position, an election will be held at the PTO meeting on May 7, 2025, at 6 p.m.

Please submit the [online form](#), fill out the paper form included in this newsletter, or send nominations by email to Carrie Mittenthal at cmittenthal@hha47.org by April 27, 2025, at 5 p.m. If you have any questions please reach out to the PTO by email at hhapto@gmail.com

APRIL EVENTS

- 1 - PTO meeting
- 4 - Coffee Hour
- 5 - B3 - HHA Hoedown
- 8 - Restaurant Night - Verde
- 11-28 - HHA Spirit Store open
- 25 - Someone Special and Me Dance

HHA PTO LINK TREE




We invite you to check out our Link Tree. It is home to information on upcoming events, volunteer opportunities, meeting agendas and minutes, and more! This is your go to resource for all things PTO!


TRANSLATION AT PTO MEETINGS

In order to ensure all members of our community feel welcome and included, Spanish language translation will be available at all meetings.


Groceries Giving Back:


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PTO MARZO

En marzo, la Asociación de Padres y Maestros (PTO) ofreció un desayuno para celebrar a todos los estudiantes que se esforzaron por completar sus pruebas WIDA. Terminamos el mes con una divertida reunión familiar en la Cervecería Mobtown. ¡Muchas gracias por la organización!

Hemos estado trabajando arduamente para organizar nuestro Bingo, Subastas y Bocadillos HHA Hoedown. Estamos a solo unos días y estamos muy emocionados por una noche llena de diversión.

Aún necesitamos cubrir muchas vacantes de voluntarios para que B3 sea un éxito, así que visiten nuestro [sitio web HHA](#) para ver cómo pueden ayudar.



SOCIAL FAMILIAR

NOMINACIONES A LA JUNTA DIRECTIVA DE LA PTO

Al final del año escolar, habrá varias vacantes para la junta directiva de la PTO. Las vacantes son: presidente, tesorero y tres miembros generales de la junta. Todos los padres y el personal de HHA pueden nominar a alguien o nominarse a sí mismos para un puesto. Cada puesto tiene una duración de dos años.

Puede enviar varios formularios de nominación. Si varios candidatos están interesados en postularse para el mismo puesto, se realizará una elección en la reunión de la PTO el 7 de mayo de 2025 a las 6 p. m.

Por favor, envíe el formulario en línea, complete [el formulario](#) impreso incluido en este boletín o envíe sus nominaciones por correo electrónico a Carrie Mittenthal a cmittenthal@hha47.org antes del 27 de abril de 2025 a las 5 p. m. Si tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con la PTO por correo electrónico a hhapto@gmail.com

EVENTOS DE ABRIL

- 1 - Reunión de la Asociación de Padres y Maestros (PTO)
- 4 - Hora del Café
- 5 - B3 - Fiesta de baile de HHA
- 8 - Noche de Restaurante - Verde
- 11-28 - Apertura de la Tienda de Bebidas Espirituosas de HHA
- 25 - Baile de Alguien Especial y Yo

HHA PTO LINK TREE




Te invitamos a ver nuestro nuevo árbol de enlaces. ¡Es el hogar de información sobre próximos eventos, oportunidades de voluntariado, agendas y actas de reuniones, y más! ¡Este será su recurso de referencia para todo lo relacionado con el PTO! .


TRANSLATION AT PTO MEETINGS

Para garantizar que todos los miembros de nuestra comunidad se sientan bienvenidos e incluidos, habrá traducción al español disponible en todas las reuniones.


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THIS IS A 21+ ONLY EVENT

HNA HOE DOWN

DON'T MISS THESE AMAZING AUCTION ITEMS:

Orioles Tickets
Ravens Tickets
Tate Rae Tickets
Linkin Park Tickets
★ **Private Harbor Cruise**
Coppermine Camp
Merritt Camp
Dance On the Square Camp
Let's Grow Camp

★ **Private Party in the Newstead Gym!**
Lego Building in the Principal's Office
Empanadas with ESOL teachers
Nature walk with Mrs. Riorda
Pizza & Movie with the 1st Grade Team
Mario Kart & Pizza with Kindergarden Team
AND MORE

APRIL 5 6-11 PM

HAMPSTEAD HILL ACADEMY'S
NEW GYM!

SCAN NOW TO BUY TICKETS

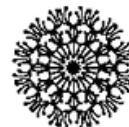
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BIDDING, BINGO, & BITES
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PTO MEETING

April 1st
6pm
In the Library

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED!

CHILD CARE PROVIDED by FF&G

Pizza provided for the kids!

Translation will be provided online and in person

**Unable to join in person- Join us via Zoom!

Zoom Link Posted on School Calender

SCAN HERE



LET US KNOW YOU'RE COMING!

Questions? Email us HHAPTO@gmail.com





¡NOSOTROS ESTAMOS DE VUELTA!

REUNIÓN DEL PTO

1 de Abril

6pm

Biblioteca de la escuela



¡SE SERVIRÁN REFRIGERIOS!

CUIDADO DE NIÑOS PROPORCIONADO por FF&G

¡Pizza para los niños!

Intérpretes disponibles en línea y en persona.

**No se puede unir en persona- ¡Únase a nosotros a través de Zoom! Enlace de zoom publicado en el calendario escolar

ESCANEAR AQUÍ

¡AVÍSANOS QUE VIENES!



**¿Preguntas? Envíenos un correo electrónico
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restaurant night fundraiser

Where

VERDE

Verde 

When

APRIL 8TH

What

Ditch the dishes! Order dinner,
Dine-in or Pick-up!

**A PORTION OF ALL SALES WILL
BE DONATED TO HHA.**

How

Come on in and order Dine in or pick up!
Must order over phone or in person-
Not available with online ordering.
No Delivery.

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Cuando

ABRIL 8TH

Qué

¡Deshazte de los platos! Ordene la cena: ¡para llevar, o para cenar!

UNA PARTE DE TODAS LAS VENTAS SE DONARÁ A HHA.

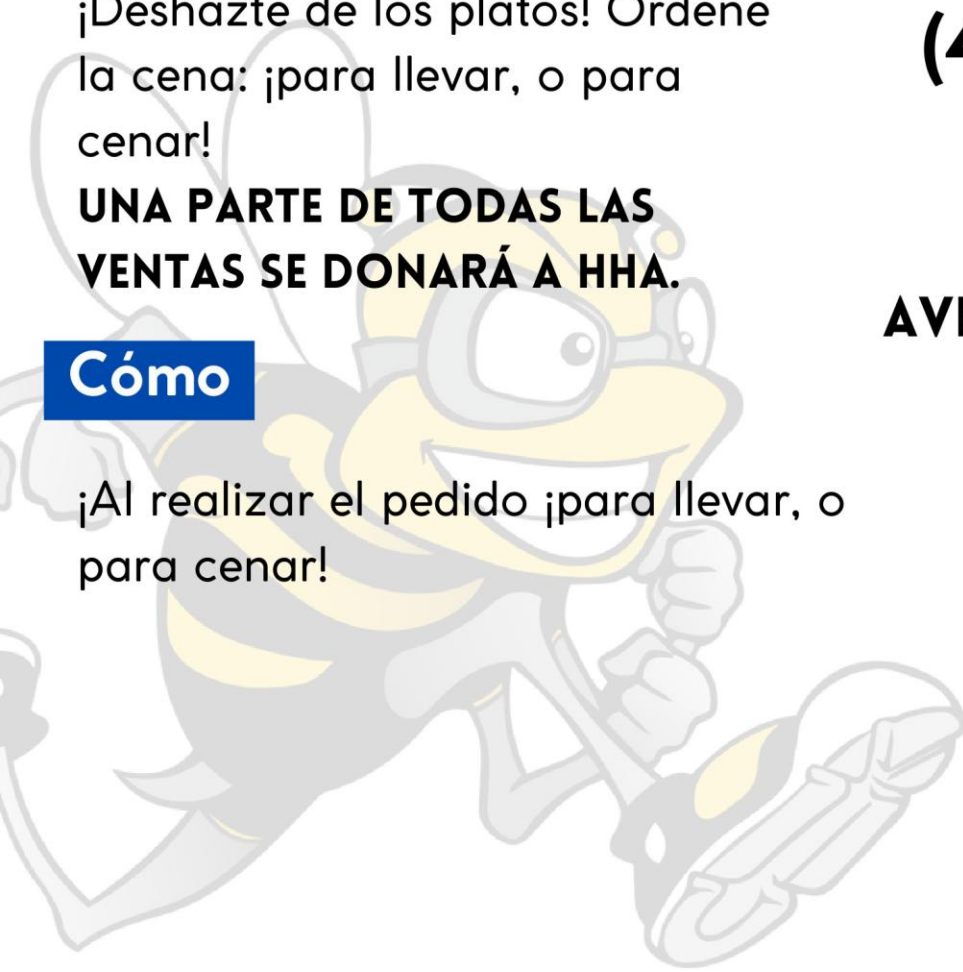
Cómo

¡Al realizar el pedido ¡para llevar, o para cenar!

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**ABIERTO
5PM - 19M**





PTO PRESENTS:

LIGHT

★ UP
THE

Night

GLOW DANCE

FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH

5:00 PM

INSIDE HHA GYM

STUDENTS IN PRE-K-2ND ARE INVITED
TO ATTEND WITH 1 SPECIAL ADULT (18+) OF THEIR CHOICE.
SIGN UP WITH THE QR BELOW, OR FORMS IN THE OFFICE



THIS IS A FREE EVENT BY THE HHA PTO
COMPLIMENTARY SNACKS AND DRINKS FOR ALL



PTO PRESENTA:

LLUMINA



LA

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LUMINOSA



DANZA

VIERNES 25 DE ABRIL

5:00 PM

DENTRO DEL GIMNASIO HHA

LOS ESTUDIANTES DE PRE-K -2ND ESTÁN INVITADOS A ASISTIR
CON 1 ADULTO ESPECIAL (MAYOR DE 18 AÑOS) DE SU ELECCIÓN.
REGÍSTRESE CON EL QR A CONTINUACIÓN, O FORMULARIOS EN LA OFICINA



ESTE ES UN EVENTO GRATUITO DEL PTO DE HHA. REFRIGERIOS Y BEBIDAS DE
CORTESÍA PARA TODOS.

SPRING PTO SPIRIT STORE

APRIL 11-28

\$40.00	\$40.00	\$23.00	\$40.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$15.00

PTO HHA TIENDA DE ESPÍRITUS

ABRIL 11-28

\$40.00	\$40.00	\$23.00	\$40.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$15.00



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March – April 2025

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Adults/Adultos



Digital Drop-In Clinic

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Wondering how to get library materials, such as eBooks and audiobooks onto your tablet? Need help figuring out email, social media, or other features of your computer? Trying to connect devices to a network, Bluetooth, or the cloud? Our Digital Drop-In Clinic is open for any and all technology questions, where we'll do our best to assist you in a relaxed, low-stress environment. Note: We cannot fix broken equipment or devices.

BYOB (Bring Your Own Book) Club

Wednesdays, March 5 & April 2, 5:00 p.m.

Our Bring Your Own Book (BYOB) Club does not have an official book club pick. Instead, we invite you to read what you want and then come to our monthly meetings and tell us about it, be it book, blog, magazine article... So join us every first Wednesday to share what you're reading and get some reading recommendations from your neighbors.

Lawyer in the Library: Immigration Information

Wednesdays, March 12 & 26, April 9 & 23
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Legal practitioners from Just Neighbors and World Relief will be available to speak with individuals seeking information on immigration-related matters. Practitioners can provide general information on basic immigration-related inquiries, distribute informational materials, provide referrals, and more. Services will be available in Spanish.

Paper Crafts

Thursdays, March 13 & April 10, 2:00 p.m.

Join us for a craftersnoon of upcycling old books! We'll create paper crafts from discarded library books.

Passion & Peril Book Club

Saturdays, March 22 & April 26, 3:00 p.m.

Passion & Peril Book Club explores Romance, Mystery, Suspense, Psychological/Domestic Thrillers, and Paranormal genres. Join us on Zoom or in person. This month's book selection is available at libraries and on digital platforms like Hoopla, Libby, and KU. Happy reading! Please go to prattlibrary.org for the Zoom link.

March: *The Banks V.1* by Roxane Gay

April: *Squad* by Maggie Tokuda-Hall

Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan

Saturday, April 5, 2:00 p.m.

Celebrate First Contact Day with us as we watch *The Wrath of Khan*. 1982 | Rated PG | 1 hr. 53 min.

Clínica Digital Sin Cita Previa

Martes y jueves, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Nuestra Clínica Digital está abierta para todas las preguntas acerca de la tecnología, y haremos nuestro mayor esfuerzo para asistirle en un ambiente relajado. Aprenda a pedir a préstamo materiales de la biblioteca, como libros digitales y audiolibros directamente a su tableta. Aprenda a utilizar su correo electrónico, redes sociales, u otras aplicaciones de su computadora. Anotación: No se arreglan equipos ni dispositivos dañados.

Traiga Su Propio Libro (BYOB Club)

Miércoles, 5 de marzo y 2 de abril, 5:00 p.m.

Este club de lectura no tiene un libro oficial. Los invitamos a que vengan a la Biblioteca cada mes y nos cuenten sobre el libro que hayan leído recientemente. Acompáñenos el primer miércoles de cada mes para compartir y recibir recomendaciones sobre libros.

Abogado en la Biblioteca: Información sobre la Inmigración

Miércoles, 12 y 26 de marzo, 9 y 23 de abril
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Profesionales de la ley de inmigración de las organizaciones Just Neighbors y World Relief estarán disponibles para hablar con personas buscando información sobre la inmigración. Los profesionales presentarán información general relacionada a la inmigración, distribuirán panfletos, asistirán con referencias legales, y más. Los servicios estarán disponibles en español.

Manualidades de Papel

Jueves, 13 de marzo y 10 de abril, 2:00 p.m.

¡Acompáñanos cada jueves para una tarde de manualidades utilizando libros reciclados!

Club de Lectura: Pasión y Peligro

Sábado, 22 de marzo y 26 de abril, 3:00 p.m.

El Club de lectura: pasión y peligro explora los géneros de romance, misterio, suspenso, y sobrenatural. Participa en persona o en Zoom. Puedes encontrar las selecciones en la biblioteca o digitalmente en Hoopla, Libby, y KU. Visite prattlibrary.org para el enlace de Zoom.

marzo: *The Banks V.1* by Roxane Gay

abril: *Squad* by Maggie Tokuda-Hall

Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan

Sábado, 5 de abril, 2:00 p.m.

Mira la película *The Wrath of Khan*. 1982 | Rated PG | 1 hr. 53 min.

Teens/Adolescentes



Retro Reads & Reels: Teen Book & Movie Club

Mondays, March 3 & 17, April 7 & 21 4:00 p.m.

Read popular 2000s titles and see how the movies compare to the books.

March: *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins

April: *The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants* by Ann Brashares

Afternoon Anime Club

Tuesdays, March 4 & 18, April 1 & 15, 3:30 p.m.

Hang out with your friends and unwind with some anime themed activities paired with the shows.

Anime Club in Spanish

Thursdays, March 13 & 27, April 10 & 24, 3:30 p.m.

Watch anime with your friends in the afternoon! The shows will be offered in Spanish (dubbed) or in Japanese with Spanish subtitles.

Dungeons & Dragons for Teens

Mondays, March 31, April 14 & 28, 6:00 p.m.

Come play this entry level game with us as we check out the new things in Dungeons & Dragons.

Sign Me Up!: Basic American Sign Language

Wednesday, April 23, 3:00 p.m.

Learn about American Sign Language and Deaf Culture through hands-on games and activities! You'll learn how to introduce yourself in ASL, as well as basic vocabulary to sign about your favorite things. Presented by Kathy MacMillan.

Club de Libros y Películas Retro para Adolescentes

Lunes, 13 y 17 de marzo, 7 y 21 de abril, 4:00 p.m.

Leeremos títulos populares de los años 2000 y compararemos los libros con las películas.

marzo: *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins

abril: *The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants* by Ann Brashares

Club de Anime en la Tarde

Martes, 4 y 18 de marzo, 1 y 15 de abril, 3:30 p.m.

Acompañe a tus amigos y disfruta de programas y actividades de anime.

Club de Anime en Español

Jueves, 13 y 27 de marzo, 10 y 24 de abril, 3:30 p.m.

¡Mira anime con tus amigos por la tarde! Los programas se ofrecerán en español (con doblaje) o en japonés con subtítulos en español.

Dungeons y Dragons para Adolescentes

Lunes, 31 de marzo, 14 y 28 de abril, 6:00 p.m.

Ven a jugar Dungeons y Dragons en esta campaña elemental.

Lengua de Signos Americana Básica

Miércoles, 23 de abril, 3:00 p.m.

Aprenda sobre la lengua de signos americana y la cultura sorda con juegos y actividades. Aprenderás a introducirte y palabras básicas incluyendo tus cosas favoritas. Presentado por Kathy MacMillan.

Children & Family/Niños Y Familias

Monday Wondernoons

Mondays, 4:00 p.m.

Join us for a fun-filled afternoon of creativity, where kids make wonderful and unique crafts to take home!

Baby & Toddler Storytime

Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m. (March 11 & April 8, 12:00 p.m.)

Stories, movement, play, and songs for babies in arms and toddlers together. Come early for playtime. For little ones under two with a favorite adult. All abilities welcome.

Family Storytime

Thursdays, 11:00 a.m.

Stories, movement, songs, and our most fun activities. Come ready to move, laugh, and learn together. For families with children ages 2 – 5. All abilities welcome.

Cuentos y Cantos; Spanish/English Preschool Storytime

Fridays, 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Stories, movement, songs, and play activities that prepare your child for lifelong learning. For ages 3 – 5 with a favorite adult. All abilities welcome.

Game On Wednesdays

Wednesdays, March 5 – 26, 4:00 p.m.

A new gaming experience every Wednesday! We'll play life-sized Pac Man, life-size Hi Ho Cherry-O, Change Face Game, and P for Pizza.

Something's Fishy

Saturday, March 8, 1:00 p.m.

Join us as we make decorative papier mache fish.

Animal Krackers with Wildlife Adventures

Friday, March 21, 11:00 a.m.

Get ready for a wild adventure at the library! Come meet a variety of amazing creatures up close and personal. You'll get to watch them, learn about their unique behaviors, and even touch and hold them.

Kids' Writers LIVE! Idris Goodwin & Lorraine Nam

Your House Is Not Just a House

Friday, March 28, 1:00 p.m.

Meet the creators of this year's Imagination Celebration book! All registered in person attendees will receive a FREE copy of the book while supplies last.

Make It Arty Wednesdays: All The Green Things

Wednesdays, April 2 – 30, 4:00 p.m.

Show off your artistic abilities and get creative!

Let's Celebrate Spring

Saturday, April 5, 12:00 p.m.

Celebrate the beauty of spring with a paper flowers craft!

From Wastepaper to Recycled Paper

April 14 – 19

This activity will demonstrate how some used paper can be turned into something new and beautiful. Bring in your used paper and over the week we'll recycle it into new paper.

Lunes de Maravilla

Los lunes, 4:00 p.m.

Niños pueden visitar la biblioteca para una manualidad.

Canciones y Cuentos para Pequeñitos

Los martes, 11:00 a.m. (11 de marzo y 8 de abril, 12:00 p.m.)

Cuentos, movimientos, juegos y canciones para bebés en brazos y niños pequeños. Llegue temprano o quédese después para jugar. Para niños menores de dos años con un adulto favorito. Todas las habilidades son bienvenidas.

Cuentos para Familias

Los jueves, 11:00 a.m.

Cuentos, movimiento, canciones, y rimas en Inglés y Español. Lleguen listos para moverse y divertirse juntos. Para familias con niños de edades 2 – 5. Todas las habilidades son bienvenidas.

Cuentos y Cantos; Spanish/English Preschool Storytime

Los viernes, 11:00 a.m. y 1:00 p.m.

Disfrute leyendo libros y cantando canciones en inglés y español con nosotros. Se anima a los adultos a participar con el fin de preparar a su hijo para la escuela. Para niños de 3 – 5 años acompañados por un adulto. Todos los niveles son bienvenidos

Miércoles de Juegos

Miércoles, 5 – 26 de marzo, 4:00 p.m.

Jugaremos Pac Man de tamaño real, Hi Ho Cherry-O de tamaño real, el juego de cambiar caras, y P for Pizza.

Pez de Papel Maché

Sábado, 8 de marzo, 1:00 p.m.

Haz un pez decorativo de papel maché.

Animal Krackers con Wildlife Adventures

Viernes, 21 de marzo, 11:00 a.m.

¡Una aventura salvaje en la biblioteca! Observa a varios animales mientras aprendes sobre sus comportamientos. ¡También tendrás la oportunidad de tocarlos!

Kids' Writers LIVE! Idris Goodwin & Lorraine Nam

Your House Is Not Just a House

Viernes, 28 de marzo, 1:00 p.m.

¡Conoce los autores del libro seleccionado para la celebración de imaginación! Todos los asistentes recibirán una copia del libro GRATIS hasta agotar existencia.

Los miércoles de Arte

Miércoles, 2 – 30 de abril, 4:00 p.m.

¡Diversiones artísticas cada miércoles durante el mes de abril!

Celebración de la Primavera

Sábado, 5 de abril, 12:00 p.m.

Celebra la primavera con una manualidad de flores de papel.

De Desechos a Papel Reciclado

14 – 19 de abril

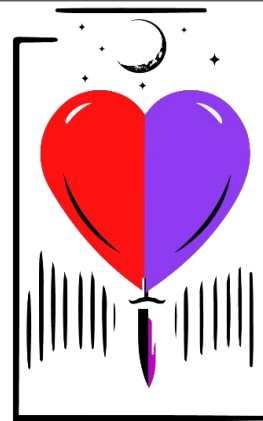
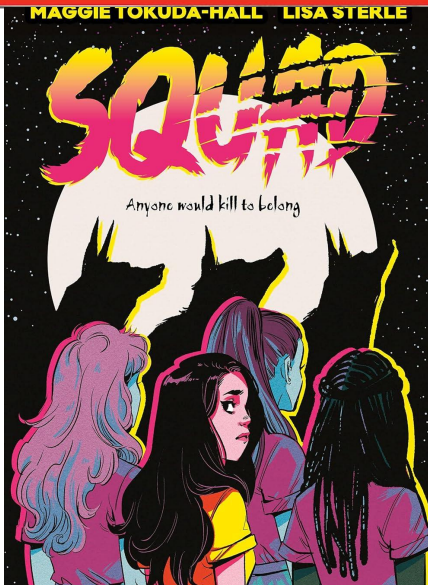
Trae tu papel viejo a la biblioteca y lo reciclaremos para hacer papel nuevo.



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Passion & Peril Book Club



PASSION & PERIL
BOOK CLUB

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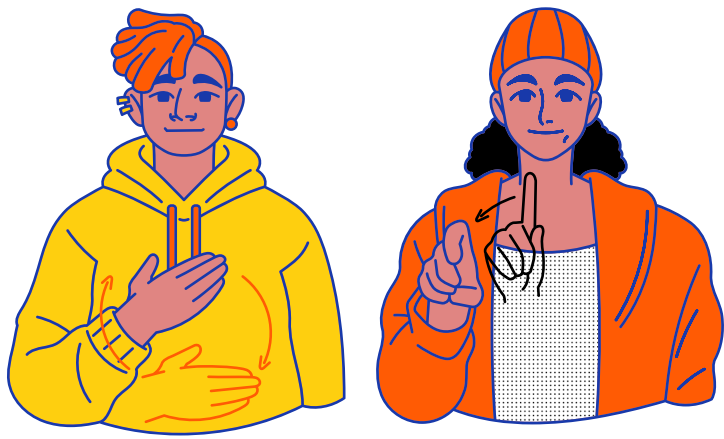
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ABRIL

PROGRAMAS PARA ADOLESCENTES

Club de Anime en Español

jueves, el 10 y 24 de abril

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Lecturas y Películas Retro: Club del Lectura & Película para los Adolescentes Verano en vaqueros de Ann Brashares

lunes, el 7 de abril, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

(lectura)

lunes, el 21 de abril, 4:00 - 6:00p.m.

(película)



Dungeons & Dragons para jovenes

lunes, el 14 y 28 de abril

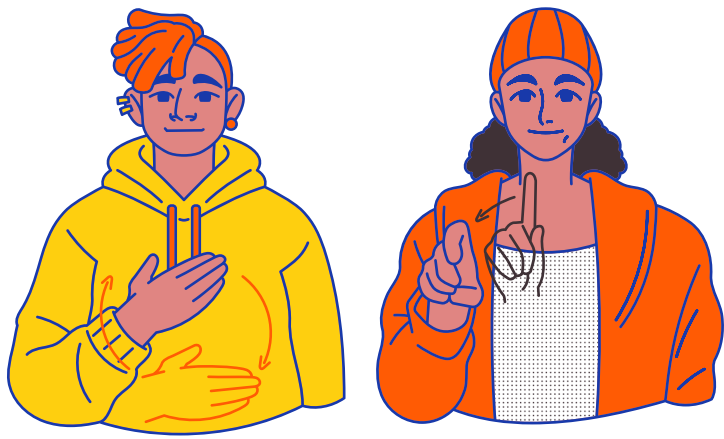
6:00 - 7:30pm

Lengua de Signos Americana Básica

miércoles, el 23 de abril

3:00 - 4:00pm





APRIL TEEN PROGRAMS

Afternoon Anime Club

Tuesdays, April 1st & 15th
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Retro Reads & Reels: Teen Book & Movie Club 1990s Edition

The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants by Ann Brashares

Monday, April 7th, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
(Book Discussion)

Monday, April 21st, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
(Film)



Dungeons & Dragons for Teens

Mondays, April 14th & 28th.
6:00 - 7:30pm



Sign Me Up!: Basic American Sign Language

Wednesday, April 23rd
3:00 - 4:00pm



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Adults

Lawyer in the Library: Immigration Information



Legal practitioners from Just Neighbors and World Relief will be available to speak with individuals seeking information on immigration-related matters. Practitioners can provide general information on basic immigration-related inquiries, distribute informational materials, provide referrals, and more. Services will be available in Spanish.

**Wednesdays,
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

April 9 & 23

May 14 & 28

June 11 & 25



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Abogado en la Biblioteca: Información sobre la Inmigración



Profesionales de la ley de inmigración de las organizaciones Just Neighbors y World Relief serán disponibles para hablar con personas buscando información sobre la inmigración. Los profesionales presentarán información general relacionada a la inmigración, distribuirán panfletos, asistirán con referencias legales, y más. Servicios serán disponibles en español.

**Los miércoles,
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**9 y 23 de abril
14 y 28 de mayo
11 y 25 de junio**

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TEENS

Sign Me Up!

Basic American Sign Language



Learn about American Sign Language and Deaf Culture through hands-on games and activities! You'll learn how to introduce yourself in ASL, as well as basic vocabulary to sign about your favorite things. Get ready to talk with your hands and listen with your eyes!

Presented by Kathy MacMillan, author of the *Little Hands Signing* series and *Little Hands and Big Hands: Children and Adults Signing Together*.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

STAY IN THE LOOP WITH CREATIVE ALLIANCE EDUCATION

Schools and community partners, come visit us! Join us for art making, cooking, dancing, and cultural connection.

ART MAKING

Come to us, or we can come to you! Special projects include: Recycle Party, Animal Stuffie, Quilt Square, Lego Print, Pool Noodle Sculpture, Felt Weaving, Mini Crankie, 3-D Fashion Painting, 3-D Cardboard Self Portrait, Linoleum Prints, and Tie-Dye Tote Bag.



GROUP MOVIE

Come watch a movie of your choice in our 200 person capacity black box theater. Bring your own snacks!



CIELO WORKSHOPS

Make a traditional Mexican corn husk flower, corn husk doll, papel picado banner, or a piñata. In our teaching kitchen, make Latin American food classics tacos, tamales or paletas with our Artesanas. A group of Latin women honoring their heritage by demonstrating, sharing, and teaching their traditional heritage.



EXHIBITION TOUR

View our art exhibition. In response, make art or take a class in our dance studio.

EXHIBITIONS

MAY 16-JUN 21 Hoesy Corona. *Colorful nature scenes of how the changing environment is affecting humans now and human migration.*

JUL 12-AUG 16 The BIG Show *Our members spectacular variety of artwork showcase.*

SEP #-SEP # Katie Pumphrey tbd.....



SAVE THE DATE

FREE!

TIANQUIZTLI SEP 25 | 3-7 | In front of Creative Alliance on East Ave.

Tianquiztli is a vibrant outdoor artisan market that showcase the flavors, art, music, and traditions cherished in Baltimore and passed down through generations.



10 PERSON MINIMUM ON ALL EVENTS. COMPLETE OUR INTEREST FORM VIA QR CODE.
MUST BOOK AT LEAST 2 WEEKS BEFORE EVENT DATE.
PROGRAMS START AT \$5 A PERSON.

QUESTIONS

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COOK

- Tacos, Tamales or Paletas. Learn how to make Latin American food classics with our Artesanas. *Paletas/Popsicles, are made with fresh fruit.*



JUL 7-AUG 8 2025

SUMMER CAMP

CULTURAL CURIOSITY AT CREATIVE ALLIANCE

*At Creative Alliance Creativity Center we cook, dance, and make art together.
We connect with nature in our third classroom, beautiful Patterson Park.*

AGES 7-11

At our Cultural Curiosity summer camp, students will begin their day with yoga and mindfulness practice in Patterson Park. They'll create piñatas, puppets, and clay rattles. We'll go swimming at Patterson Park pool, cool off watching a movie in our theater, and have special guest artists like Beatbox Bingo and Slippy the Hula Hoop Extraordinaire.

Camp culminates in a final exhibition with community fair and showcase in our theater. We have a field trip to Rocky Point Beach too!

CAMP SCHEDULE

8:30-9:00	MON-FRI Optional extended care. Wake up journaling, mandala coloring, or Legos
9:00-9:20	MON-FRI Welcome and morning snack
9:30-10:00	MON-WED Morning Yoga and mindfulness in Patterson Park THU: Make it Take it craft or baking with Teen Council
10:30-11:05	MON-WED Field games, soccer, nature scavenger hunt, or playground in Patterson park THU Make it Take it craft or baking with teen council
11:15-11:45	MON-FRI Cool down and lunch
11:45-1:45	MON & WED Enrichment: Clay rattles, puppet, or piñata making TUE Group movie and popcorn in the Patterson theater THU & FRI Swimming at Patterson park pool
1:45-2:00	MON-FRI Clean up and pack up
2:00-4:30	MON-FRI Optional before & after care: Craft & Cartoon time. Pool noodle sculptures, painted marshmallow structures & more!



JUL 7-AUG 8 | 5 WEEKS | MON-FRI | AGES 7-11

9:00-2:00 | 5 WEEKS \$1,500 | 8:30-4:30 | EXTENDED CARE 5 WEEKS \$1,900

9:00-2:00 | WEEKLY \$370 | 8:30-4:30 | EXTENDED CARE WEEKLY \$430

LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE. REGISTER BY MAY 9TH

QUESTIONS

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APPLY HERE





BIRTHDAY PARTIES

COME CELEBRATE WITH US!

RENT A SPACE

\$350

Our parties start with a space rental for a two hour party. Price includes: two hour party, 1 hour for set up, 1 hour for clean up and an Event Manager. Bring your own activity and food.

Rent one of our gorgeous spaces. We have two art studios, a 450 sq' professional dance studio, and teaching kitchen.

All parties include a very special personalized birthday flyer!

BUILD YOUR OWN PARTY!

Starting at \$500

Scan QR code below for more detailed information. All supplies and instructor provided. Bring your own food and decorations. Options start at \$500 for a 15 participant activity. That includes using our kitchen for food and presents.



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MOVIE

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MOVE

In our gorgeous light filled 1,200sq' professional dance studio, take an intro Hip-hop, Baltimore club dance, bucket drumming, Cantando Aprendo Español, hula hooping, or stilt walking class.



COOK

In our group teaching kitchen mix, bake, share and enjoy your favorite party food. Bake and decorate your own cupcakes or cookies, build it from scratch pizza, fresh paletas/popsicles, make tacos or tamales.



Not sure what options a best fit? Tell us about your child.

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What does a typical party look like?

Arrive at Creative Alliance, Creativity Center (3137 Eastern Ave) 1 hour before your party begins. Our Event Manager will greet you at the door, show you your space, and you can start decorating. Your instructor arrives 30 minutes before your event. Then, guests arrive and art making begins! After about an hour, depending on activity, your party can eat and continue the celebration in our teaching kitchen. Once the party concludes, our Event Manager will help you clean up.



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- **Clay Rattle.** Former resident artist Melissa Foss will begin her workshop playing some of her exquisite indigenous style handmade flutes. Then attendees will create their own music making clay rattles.
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- **Bucket Drumming Basics.** Learn from the talented Menes Yahudah of Urban Foli, and have a drum presentations for families.
- **Intro to Stilt Walking.** Jes Rashella of Baltimore Hoop will teach a beginners stilt workshop for ages 12 and up. Maximum of 10 participants.
- **Cantando Aprendo Español/ Learning Spanish through Singing** (Ages 5 and younger) The incredible Tamara Ramos, sings, dances, reads, and blows bubbles as your toddler plays, moves, and learns some Spanish.
- **Hula Hoop Dance Party.** Learn basic hula hooping and stacking tricks with Slippy, a world record holding hoop stacker from Baltimore Hoop Love.



COOK

In our group teaching kitchen mix, bake, share and enjoy your favorite party food. Bake and decorate your own cupcakes or cookies, build it from scratch pizza, fresh paletas/popsicles, or make tacos or tamales.

- **Cookie or Cupcake Baking & Decorating.** Mix dough, bake, and decorate sugar cookies or cupcakes. OR have pre-baked desserts and decorate only cookies or cupcakes.
- **Build It From Scratch Pizza Making.** Make your own dough and add your favorite pizza toppings. Pizza, yummm!
- **Tacos, Tamales or Paletas.** Learn how to make Latin American food classics with our Artesanas. Paletas/Popsicles, are made with fresh fruit.



Want to cook something not listed? Let us know, and we'll find the perfect teacher.

ADULTS

Don't worry, we didn't forgot about you! Yes, all these parties can cater to adults too. Our Creativity Center space is BYOB. We offer adults Improve, Burlesque, Stilt walking, Caricatures, Traditional Baltimore Painted Screens, Cooking, Dance, even Yoga and Pilates parties.





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SUMMER CAMP 2025 GUIDE

FUN • FIELD TRIPS • OUTDOOR PLAY • SPORTS • SMILES

FUN ALL SUMMER (JUNE 23-AUGUST 13)
MONDAY-FRIDAY AGES 5-13

CAMP BALTIMORE

M-F 8:30-5:30 PM | \$225 (City Resident) \$450 (Non-City Resident)

BMORE SUMMER FUN

M-F 8:30-3:30 PM | \$75 (City Resident) \$150 (Non-City Resident)

TRAVEL CAMP

M-F 8:30-5:30 PM | \$325 (City Resident) \$500 (Non-City Resident)

FUN 4 ALL: INCLUSION CAMP

M-F 8:30-5:30 PM | \$225 (City Resident) \$450 (Non-City Resident)

SPORTS CAMPS (JUNE 23-AUGUST 13)

SWIM & FITNESS AGES 8-14

M-F 8:30-4:30 PM | \$300 (City Resident) \$400 (Non-City Resident)

MADISON SQUARE SUMMER BASKETBALL AGES 7-13

M-F 8:30-3:30 PM | \$225 (City Resident) \$450 (Non-City Resident)

SPORTS & FITNESS CAMP AGES 8-15

M-F 8:30-4:30 PM | \$100 p/w (City Resident) \$200 p/w (Non-City Resident)

ALL-STAR TENNIS AGES 7-14

M-F 8:30-5:30 PM | \$100 p/w (City Resident) \$200 p/w (Non-City Resident)

SPECIALTY CAMPS

OUTDOOR RECREATION EXPLORATION SESSIONS

M-F 8:30-4:30 PM | \$75 (City Resident) \$150 (Non-City Resident)

STEM CAMP SESSIONS

M-F 9 AM-4:30 PM | \$30 (City Resident) \$50 (Non-City Resident)

FOREST EXPLORERS NATURE CAMP SESSIONS

M-F 8:30-4:30 PM | \$150 (City Resident) \$250 (Non-City Resident)

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 Confetti Pancakes or Assorted Cold Cereal Strawberry Chex Applesauce Cup Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	2 Breakfast Pizza or Assorted Cold Cereal Strawberry Chex Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	3 Cowboy Bread or Assorted Cold Cereal Strawberry Chex Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	4 Oatmeal Breakfast Bun or Assorted Cold Cereal Wheat Toast Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk
7 Peach & Raspberry Yogurt Crunchy Granola Clusters or Peach & Raspberry Yogurt Graham Crackers Assorted Fresh Fruit 100% Fruit Juice Assorted White Milk	8 Cerealand Waffle or Assorted Cold Cereal Graham Crackers Applesauce Cup Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	9 Breakfast Pizza or Assorted Cold Cereal Graham Crackers Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	10 Lemon Bread or Assorted Cold Cereal Graham Crackers Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk	11 Croissant w/Apple Butter or Assorted Cold Cereal Wheat Toast Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted White Milk
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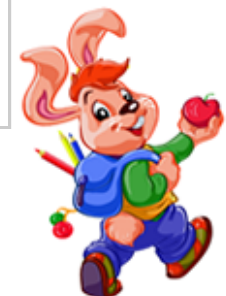


**Options Available Daily at
Breakfast:**

Cold Cereal Options-
Apple Cinnamon Cheerios,
Multi-Grain Cheerios,
Original Cheerios,
Cinnamon Toast Crunch,
Golden Grahams, Honey
Kix

1% White Milk & Fat Free
White Milk
([View Nutritional
Information](#))

Menu is subject to change



K-8 Lunch Menu

April 2025



Milk Options:

1% White Milk, Fat Free
White Milk, Sometimes Fat
Free Chocolate Milk and
Fat Free Strawberry Milk

Seasonal Fresh Fruit

Apples, Oranges, Bananas
([Fruit Nutrition](#))
([Condiment Nutrition](#))

All rolls, breads, and
tortillas are made with
whole grain.

Menu is subject to change.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1 Beef Nachos w/Tortilla Chips w/ Salsa Cup and Sour Cream or Pepperoni Pizza Kit Fiesta Taco Black Beans Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	2 Chicken Fillet Sandwich Spicy Chicken Patty Sandwich or Bistro Box - Lemon Loaf Steamed Broccoli Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	3 Breaded Drumstick Mac & Cheese Celery Sticks Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	4 Cheese Personal Pan Pizza Turkey Pepperoni Personal Pan Pizza or Deli Sandwich Steamed Corn Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk
7 New Orleans Chicken w/ Brown Rice w/Dinner Roll Steamed Corn Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	8 Chicken Queso Dip or Pepperoni Pizza Kit Fiesta Taco Black Beans Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	9 Teriyaki Chicken w/ Fried Rice or Bistro Box - Lemon Loaf Sweet & Spicy Broccoli Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	10 Spiral Rotini w/Italian Meat Sauce w/Dinner Roll Celery Sticks Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	11 Cheese Pizza Wedge or Turkey Pepperoni Pizza Wedge or Deli Sandwich Steamed Corn Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk
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28 Breaded Mozzarella Sticks w/Marinara Sauce Cup Green Beans Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	29 Beef Nachos w/Tortilla Chips w/ Salsa Cup and Sour Cream or Pepperoni Pizza Kit Fiesta Taco Black Beans Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	30 Chicken Fillet Sandwich Spicy Chicken Patty Sandwich or Bistro Box - Lemon Loaf Steamed Broccoli Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk		