



# Montessori News

February 05, 2024

## What's Happening!

- Thank you, to Secondary Staff for volunteering to work after hours for Winter formal and Sports Events! We appreciate you!
- Kids fest is coming soon, Thursday, March 28th
- Spring Break is April 1st.—5th

## Upcoming Events

Mon. Feb. 5th **4:00 pm**  
Basketball Game  
Home

Tue. Feb 6th **4:00 pm**  
Basketball Game  
Home

Wed. Feb 7th **All Day**  
Hot Lunch Pizza

Wed. Feb 7th **9:00 am**  
Prospective  
Parent Tour

Thurs. Feb 8th **All Day**  
Basketball Away

Fri. Feb 9th Field **All Day**  
trip—LE 123  
Andres Show

Fri. Feb 9th Field **All Day**  
trip—UE Under-  
ground Railroad

Fri. Feb 9th Hot **All Day**  
Lunch McDonald

## Montessori “Going Out” Trips

Field Trips or "going out" is an integral part of the Montessori curriculum, which encourages students to explore and experience the world both close to and far from home. Dr. Montessori wrote: "The outing whose aim is neither purely that of personal hygiene nor that of a practical order, but which makes an experience life, will make the child conscious of realities ... When the child goes out, it is the world itself that offers itself to him. Let us take the child out to show him real things instead of making objects which represent ideas and closing them up in cupboards." Hence, the Montessori phrase of "going out" was born.

Children's House: 6-8 going out with at least 2 of those incorporating service learning within 30 mile radius. Planetarium, Southside Farms, Hope Farms, and local assisted living facilities are a few trips. Elementary: 2-4 field trips and service learning, which include The Refuge, Museums, Indian Pow Wow, and food pantry. 6th grade will have their first overnight trip in Spring. Secondary: Fall Unity camping trip, and in the Spring, they have a week-long trip. Secondary students have visited Nantahala, Washington D.C., New York City, and Williamsburg and have multiple service learning opportunities throughout the year. The Senior Class will also enjoy a senior overnight trip in the Spring. In the Secondary Program, students help with planning all their field trips.



## WMPCS Community Survey

Please fill out the Annual WMPCS Community Survey and let us serve you better! Closes on February 11th

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JY6M9CG>

Additional Grades 5-8th <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TYXR38D>

The Community Survey



## Join the WMPCS BOT

The WMPCS Board of Trustee is now accepting applications for the Board appointed seat. Applications are located at: [https://washingtonmontessoripcs.ss20.sharpschool.com/about\\_us/board\\_of\\_trustees](https://washingtonmontessoripcs.ss20.sharpschool.com/about_us/board_of_trustees)

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### The Three Basic Foundations of Washington Montessori

Respect all living things  
Respect all non-living things  
Use grace and courtesy

### Facts about Maria Montessori

Graduated from Medical School in 1896, one first female physicians

Opened the first Montessori school in 1907 in Rome

Now there are over 20,000 Montessori schools in 110 countries worldwide

### EAGLES SPORTS

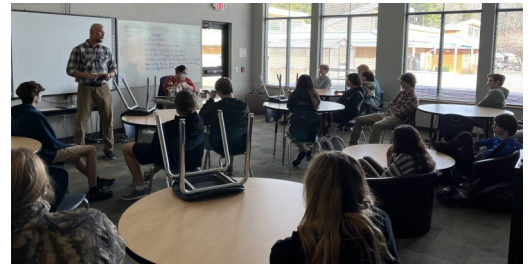


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**Mission Statement:** Our mission is to inspire academic excellence; to nurture curiosity, creativity, and imagination and to do so within an environment rich with warmth, kindness, and respect.

## Career Monday in High School

The high school enjoyed another Career Monday. The students were able to learn about careers in Hospital Management, Urban Planning, Real Estate, Social Work, and Juvenile Justice! We would like to thank our speakers for sharing their knowledge and experience with our students: Mr. Bobby Roberson, Mr. Stephen Braddy, Mr. Scott Cullom, Ms. Late-sha Boomer, and Ms. Heather Radford.



## Congratulations to Concession Stand Business!

The Concession Stand passed the Beaufort Co. Health Department Inspection with 99.50! Thank you to all who helped make the possible for the high school concession stand business. Join us at the next sport event!

