



# Montessori News

May 15, 2023

## What's Happening!

- Middle School EOY trip to Williamsburg, VA
- WMPCS Senior Spotlight
- Montessori Parent Education: Hundreds Board
- Teacher Appreciation Breakfast
- MPTO Fundraiser Update

## Upcoming Events

Tue. May 16th **3:30-5:30 pm**  
Athletic Acknowledgement Event

Wed. May 17th **All Day**  
Hot Lunch

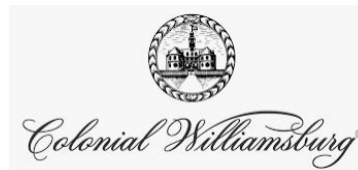
Thurs. May 18th **7:00 pm**  
BOT Meeting

Fri. May 19th **All Day**  
Fieldtrip –CH Haven's Garden

Mon. 22—Thurs. 25th  
Moving Up Days

## Middle School EOY trip to Williamsburg, VA

The 7th and 8th-grade End-of-Year Trip to Williamsburg, VA, was fun! Learners stepped into the historic Jamestown and Williamsburg area and were fully immersed in 18th-century Virginia's colonial capital city. The interactive programs engaged students' minds as they saw what the colonial world was like firsthand. From a guided ghost tour, tavern dining, and interactive reenactments, students saw and experienced life as the founding families did in the 1700s.



## WMPCS Senior Spotlight

Fonzie has been a student at WMPCS since Kindergarten. He is a member of the National Honor Society and has over 300 hours of high school community service hours. Some of his hours include volunteering at his church, school events and coaching the Middle School soccer team this spring. Fonzie is a dedicated student-athlete and has played soccer, basketball, and cross country at WMPCS. He has been the varsity captain of the soccer team for the past 2 years. Fonzie will attend ECU in the fall where he plans on entering the 5 year MBA program at the College of Business. Fonzie's favorite part of WMPCS is the friendships he has had since elementary school that will last a lifetime.





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### Did You Know?

### We have many ways to communicate with parents!

- Admin Weekly Newsletters
- Director's Monthly Letter
- Classroom Monday Newsletters
- Website
- Google Calendar
- WMPCS official Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/washington.montessori/>

### EAGLES SPORTS

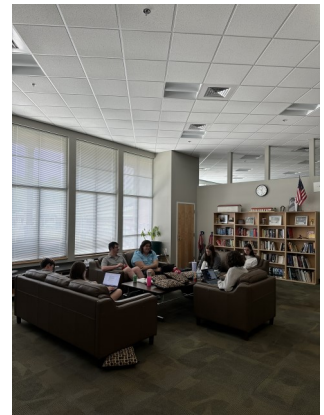


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**Mission Statement:** Our mission is to inspire academic excellence; to nurture curiosity, creativity, and imagination and to do so within an environment rich with warmth, kindness, and respect.

## Montessori Parent Education: Secondary Classroom

The Montessori classroom environment is unique. It is characterized by a student-centered approach that enables students to manage time, exercise choice, organize themselves, and practice self-regulation within a group context. This development of independent self-management is crucial to succeeding in higher education and adulthood. ([americanmontessori.org](http://americanmontessori.org))



## Teacher Appreciation Breakfast

In honor of Teacher Appreciation Week and as an extra thank you and farewell, the seniors cooked breakfast for the teachers. The seniors were here early cooking pancakes, eggs, bacon and sausage to serve our teachers a hot breakfast. We will miss the Class of 2023!



## Bertie Co. Peanut Fundraiser Update



The WMPTO would like to thank everyone who participated in the Bertie County Peanuts fundraiser. It was quite successful! We raised around \$3,400 which will be used for initiatives to better WMPCS. Initiatives are brought to the WMPTO by our teachers, staff, students and community members. We would especially like to congratulate our top sellers who received cash prizes for their efforts in raising funds for the WMPTO. Our top seller was Lydia Woolard and she received a prize of \$100. Our 2nd place seller was Gracie Rogers and she received \$50. Again, the WMPTO thanks you for your help with the Spring fundraiser. If you would like to be added to our email list for the most updated information and WMPTO events, please email [mindyg0329@gmail.com](mailto:mindyg0329@gmail.com).

