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VMFA Adventures!



On February 11, 5th grade and Middle School students visited the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Several students mentioned that the African exhibit showcasing masks and various cloths, as well as the Hollywood exhibit with original costumes from movies like Kill Bill, Wizard of Oz, and Indiana Jones, were among their favorites sites.

Thanks to Grainger!

Much thanks to Grainger, Inc., the PPDC computer lab has been outfitted with really cool new chairs! The students can now swivel and be comfortable at the computer stations, but the chairs don't roll (for which the teachers are grateful!).

Kitchen Supplies Lawnmower Cricut Machine

Contact Rosemary Jones for more information or to donate your item!

*Please contact your tax advisor for more information



Parent Council



PPDC hosted our first parent meeting Tuesday, February 11. The gathering was a success, as we had 25 parents in attendance! The evening focused on food and fellowship. The attendees were able to mingle among each other and talk candidly about their views on their community, children, and the services rendered at PPDC.

We were able to discuss topics around healthy communities, creating a parent group, and ways to better serve our children, collectively. We only scratched the surface as it was just the start of more meaningful interactions.

It is our hope to form a Parent Council that will meet on a monthly basis. Engagement with our parents is just as important as our engagement with our children, and it is our goal to increase family outreach this year. Feedback from the parents informed us that they were very interested in creating some type of parent group or parent council so we can all work together in order to make this happen.

If you are interested in volunteering with the Parent Council please contact Outreach Coordinator, Adrienne Cole, or call 804-780-1195.



Join us for our annual Mardi Gras celebration. We will have crafts, games, and the traditional pancake dinner! A suggested donation of \$2 per person or \$5 per family will benefit the PPDC Summer Youth Mission Trip. To make reservations, email Danyelle Barnes or call 804-780-1195. See you there!

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