



Letter from Head Of School, Margo O'Neill

Dear Parents,

Last week's all staff professional development in-service focused on a program developed by Dr. Becky Bailey called Conscious Discipline. Passionately presented by our school counselor, Micheline Green, the program integrates classroom management and social-emotional learning and helps us "respond to daily conflict in a way that transforms it into an opportunity to teach critical life skills." We all received some great ideas on how to gain composure during difficult moments. In any situation, we can practice being a **S.T.A.R.** That means to **S**mile, **T**ake a deep breath **A**nd **R**elax. Needless to say, I've had several opportunities since Friday to practice this in my own life! We appreciate your support in picking your children up early that day. It was a very meaningful afternoon.

Diane George, our middle school director, and I attended a presentation on addiction by Dr. Drew on Saturday at the Tempe Center for the Arts. Dr. Drew (formally David Drew Pinsky) is an American board-certified internist, addiction medicine specialist and media personality. The presentation was sponsored by notMYkid, a local organization whose mission is to inspire youth to make positive life choices with regard to substance abuse, bullying, unhealthy relationships, internet safety, etc. What an amazing organization. I would strongly encourage you to visit their website or to attend any of their events.

Have a great week!

Villa Makes Plans for Anti-Bullying Awareness Day

February 25th is an Anti-Bullying Awareness Day at Villa Montessori School!

February 25th is one of several internationally celebrated anti-bullying days. Called "Pink Shirt Day", students in grades 1-8 are asked to wear pink to show that we, as a community, will not tolerate bullying. The idea for this event came from two high school students who decided to take a stand after witnessing the bullying of a fellow student by encouraging their classmates to wear pink the following day in support of that student.

Throughout the month of February we will be gearing up for this day with anti-bullying activities and lessons. We will be encouraging our students to give back to the community and to know that each of them can make a difference.

So, please wear pink on February 25, 2015 in honor of anti-bullying awareness!

And remember... **HEY! Be nice!**

notMYkid Free Community
Events
INSPIRING POSITIVE LIFE CHOICES For parents, kids ages 11+

March 5—Body Image

May 12—Substance Abuse

July 15—Unhealthy Relationships

Location: 5230 E. Shea Blvd., Suite 100
Scottsdale, AZ 85254

Time: 7-8:30 pm

RSVP: Please contact Jansen Neff at
jansen@notmykid.org or 602-652-0163

Valentine Grams are here!!

Kisses = \$3
Smencil = \$3
Kisses + Smencil = \$5

Valentine's Grams are the overnight field-trip sponsorship for E2 grade-level trips, which helps keep our costs down and allows for a higher participation rate among students. To support our E2 students, you can pick up your order forms from any campus office. Please fill out a separate form for each person. You may enclose the orders in an envelope with cash or a check made out to Villa Montessori, and deposit it in one of the Valentine Gram Boxes.

The sale runs through Wednesday, February 11th. Deliveries will be made on Friday, February 13th. Extra order forms will be available in each campus office.

Q & A

Bullying: **The bystander's role**

Q: *My child came home from school upset because kids were picking on a classmate and wouldn't let her play with them. What advice should I give my daughter?*

A: Tell your youngster that her classmate was being bullied—and that she may be able to help stop it! There are several things she can do. If she feels safe, she could say something like, "That's not nice," and then walk away. She might invite the child who is being bullied to join her in a game or school project. Also, remind your youngster to report bullying to a teacher or other adult when she sees it. Let her know this is not tattling, but a way to help someone who is being hurt. You can explain: "Asking an adult to help a child who is being bullied is like asking the nurse to help a child with a scraped knee."

Elementary I Continent Study

Written by E1 Students
Isaac Speyer & Etta Thesing

Each year Villa Montessori E1 classrooms do a study regarding a continent. We do this two times a year so that we can learn about each continent before E2. This semester the topic of study is Europe. Every student chooses a smaller topic from Europe. The reports are usually on famous people, countries, animals, mountains, and other cultures. We get books or use other things like internet (Teachers prefer books instead of getting all your information off the computer). For our report we have to do: a written report, a poster board, and we also make a 3D project representing our topics. We all get due dates so we know when to share our project. Once everyone has shared, we have a luncheon. Parents and friends can come. They bring foods from the main topic, or continent. Some examples of food from Europe could be bread, edible mushrooms, sausage, rich deserts, and French fries. Seafood is another food that is eaten; these can all be brought to the luncheon. Also, the kids have their projects on display in the classroom. They can show to them to the parents and guests that come.

EI Parent Education— **Cultural History Curriculum**

The Elementary teaching staff invite you to a parent education series centered around the Elementary I cultural history curriculum. There will be two presentations offered, each exploring a different area of this curriculum.

On Wednesday, February 25 the presentation will be centered around the Creation of the Universe, and the second presentation will be on Saturday, March 21, and will be focused on the Timeline of Life.

The location of each presentation will be announced closer to the time of the event. If interested, please save the date in your calendar and look for more information soon!

PTO Invites You to First Meeting at Jump City

We cordially invite you to join us for our very first Villa Montessori PTO meeting on Thursday February 26 at Jump City on Indian School Rd. from 6:00 - 7:30 pm. No babysitter? No problem! Bring your children and for \$5 they can jump and play while we meet and socialize!



This is a potluck - so bring your favorite dish (side, main, snack). Our agenda will be light and fun - we will formally elect the board, we will share volunteer opportunities across the committees, and we will have a guest speaker who will share a bit about Montessori education. Then, eat, drink, socialize, and watch our children jump until they are ready to go to bed!

RSVP - <http://www.evite.com/event/016A7G2NIDY5FYCZGEPETASCX2U64M>

We look forward to doing some wonderful things together to support Villa Montessori School! Look forward to seeing you at Jump City!

Nicole Newhouse
www.vmpto.org



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DATES TO REMEMBER

February 9-12

Valentine Grams on Sale

February 13

Valentine Grams get Distributed

February 16

President's Day — School OPEN

February 25

E1 Parent Education Series—
Creation of the Universe, 7PM

February 26

First General PTO meeting -
Jump City (Indian School Rd), 6PM

March 6

Summer School Registration
Forms Become Available for
CURRENT STUDENTS

March 9

Infant and Toddler Program CLOSED

March 9-13

Spring Break
All Day Contracts Only

March 21

E1 Parent Education Series—
Timeline of Life, 9AM

March 23

Summer School Registration Forms Due
for CURRENT STUDENTS

March 30

Summer School Registration
Forms Become Available
to the PUBLIC

Middle School Starts Annual Magazine Fundraiser

Next week is the start of the middle school's annual magazine sale that helps fund many different events at the middle school. The money earned through this fundraiser goes to provide extra activities students do at land labs such as archery, rappelling, and art. The money is also used to fund items needed at the middle school campuses. **The sale will run from Monday, February 16, 2015 through Tuesday, March 3, 2015.**

There are several ways that you and your student can participate in this fundraiser. The first way is by filling in the family and friends postcard booklet. There are a total of 11 postcards for family and friends who do not live in the immediate area. Great American does not create a mailing list from these addresses. They simply mail the postcard to the recipient with the directions to go online to make any purchases. Please return this booklet in the packet with any orders you take.

The second way to participate is by taking the catalog to friends and families and getting orders in person. There are extra forms at school if you need them. Please have people make checks payable to Villa Montessori School. Please see the instructions for filling out the forms in the student packets. These are due **Tuesday, March 3, 2015.**

A third way is through shopping online at **gaschoolstore.com** or send emails to friends and family. The steps to register online to send personalized emails are as follows:

Go to www.gaschoolstore.com and click on 'Shop Now'

New users register using our online account # **2492981**

Click on **Enter Emails**

Enter email addresses of friends and family members

Click on **Personalize Emails** to include personal message in your email and click **Send Personalized Emails**

Don't forget to renew or purchase new magazines yourself. Click Shop

For any online shopping, please use 2492981 as our Villa Montessori ID

Our deadlines are critical in order for us to complete the orders before we leave for Spring Break the second week of March. We certainly appreciate any help in this fundraiser that you would like to offer and also understand if it is not a match for your family. Please feel free to recycle this material if you do not wish to participate. If you have any questions, please contact Christine Davis at cdavis@villamontessori.com or Becky Barmore at rbarmore@villamontessori.com.

THANK YOU!!

The Middle School Staff



Villa Montessori School



50 Golden Years of Growing Greatness

**APRIL 25th - "VILLA MONTESSORI SPARKLES & SHINES"
50 GOLDEN YEARS OF GROWING GREATNESS AUCTION DINNER**

"We are encouraging everyone to dress in gold or sparkle – even the men!"

We are celebrating our 50th Year Anniversary and 2014 Charter School of the Year award!

Our auction committee has been working since last summer to make this a fabulous event. This year's event will be held again at the Chaparral Suites Hotel in Scottsdale. **We need parents to work the night of the event. Please contact me if you are interested. We also need help on Saturday morning and immediately following the event. – You will receive double volunteer hours on that day! You can also participate by soliciting items or underwriting expenses for this event.** Remember you can receive one-hour volunteer time per auction item or one hour volunteer time for each \$100 in value of the items. You can also donate wine for your hours. Every hour is worth \$20 so donate a \$200 bottle of wine and you will receive all 10 hours. We ask every family to volunteer 10 hours a year.

We will be sending donations forms out over the next three months. Extra donation forms are in the Administration Office or call me for a form (602) 363-5006. This is a great way to fulfill your required 10 hours volunteer time. **PLEASE HELP! We must have all items in by April 16th!**

Co-Chairs of Event: Erik Droge & Trisha Hartnett

Silent Auction: Amy Armstrong, Laura Harper, Trisha Hartnett, Karen Heard, Sandy Jablonski, Denyce Doubleday, and Sarah Silvester

Procurement: Monica Bush, Shelly Cross, Cheri Farias, Natalie Gruner, Carrie Jankowski, Shoshanna Lieberman, Alison Oesch, Suzanne Siegel, Shannon Smith, and Julia Winter

Wine Wall: Denyce Doubleday, Trisha Harnett & Carrie Jankowski

Auction Slide Show: Monica Bush

Centerpieces: Katie Easley

Finance: Sheri Johnson (Alum Parent)

Publications: Sue Watson

Classroom Baskets: Shelley Hubbard, Mary Ann Maher, and Shannon Smith

Raffle/Publicity: Sue Watson

Set-up/Clean-up/Transportation: Brian Bush, Manuel Chimal, Jerome Hartnett & Tommy Smith

Technical Support: Mel Richards (Alum Parent)

Administration Support: Margo O'Neill

Facilities/Program Production: Vince Watson

Villa Chair: Sue Watson

Invitations for this event will be mailed in March, so mark your calendars for April 25th!

Villa's Birthday Bash

DATE

APRIL 11, 2015

Family Movie Night

50th

Villa Montessori
Elementary Field

50th

FROM THE DESK OF SUE WATSON

NEW — UPDATED AMOUNT!

**\$140,087 IN TAX CREDITS
THE PARENTS OF VILLA HAVE DONE A GREAT JOB!!**

We thank you all for your continued support. This year we had 445 donors with an average donation of \$314. We are up over \$15,000 from last year! These monies go directly toward our extracurricular courses and their instruction. All donors (Friends of Villa) are listed on separate pages —CORRECTIONS HAVE BEEN MADE TO THE PREVIOUS LIST — WE APOLOGIZE FOR THOSE ERRORS!

The following families were each responsible for Villa receiving over \$1500 from friends and family. They will receive two dinner tickets to the Villa Auction in April.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Amy & Patrick Armstrong - \$1600

Monica & Brian Bush - \$1600

Elizabeth & David Van Wie - \$1600

Camille Rawdin & Kyle Vessel - \$1500

Jennifer Reighard & Aaron Walker - \$2800 – Plus \$800 in matched funds

Julia & Matt Winter – \$2000

I want to again thank Julia Winter as Parent Chair for this campaign and all of the wonderful parents that volunteered to be the Tax Credit Coordinators for their child's classrooms.

IMPORTANT: If you, your friend or family donated to the tax credit campaign and their name is not on the list, please call me (Sue Watson) immediately (602 363-5006).

We would again like to have a tax credit representative from every classroom next year. It would require one meeting in September to plan the campaign, phone calls to parents and sending informative emails to your classroom throughout the campaign. Please call me if you are interested in helping with this.

**OUR WEBSITE IS AVAILABLE YEAR ROUND FOR
TAX CREDIT DONATIONS.**

Website: [http://www.villamontessori.com/apps/pages/index.jsp?
uREC_ID=193390&type=d](http://www.villamontessori.com/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=193390&type=d)

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Support our Villa Community

In keeping with the community spirit of the "Villa Family," we would like to help support those Villa families that own or operate businesses. If you own or operate a business, have a child at Villa, and would like your business listed, please contact Barbi Smith at bsmith@villamontessori.com. We will list the name of the business, phone number, Web site, and your name.

It takes a VILLAge!

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B&B Printery	602-861-3737	bbprintery.com	Lisa Bartholomew
Beautycounter	623-229-0222	galwillmore.beautycounter.com	Gail Willmore
Bricks Dance Studio	602-954-5200	Bricksstudio.com	Mandy Durante
Brain Gym Instructor	602-418-7030	braingym.com	Mary Ann Beebe
Celebrations International Travel	480-272-6020	celebrationsinternationaltravel.com	Adrienne Mitra
Elephant Road—Eco Friendly Baby Store	480-421-7583	elephantroadbabystore.com	Aaryn Green
FastFrame on Camelback Road	602-522-1701	fastframe.com	Kate Matsler
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PTO Meeting

February 26
6:00 - 7:30 PM
3921 EAST INDIAN SCHOOL RD

No babysitter? No problem! Bring your children and for \$5/hour they can jump and play while we meet, socialize & share ideas! Coming enters you in to win a gift card to Toys R Us!

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YOUR *Villa* REALTOR

Our family has been at Villa for almost three years. My wife Karena and I along with our two boys Maxwell (4) & Calvin (2) embrace the Villa community.

Our children's education is extremely important to us and we support Villa however we can. With that, I will donate 10% of my commission to Villa from each successful Close of Escrow involving a Villa parent.

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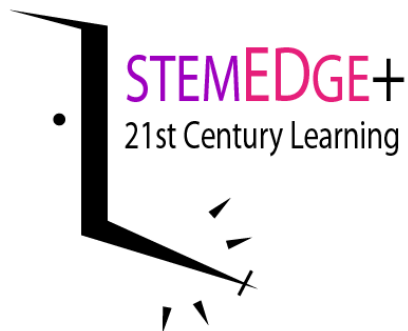
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