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— PRAIRIE VISTA'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER - MARCH 15TH, 2019 —

Kids Club Spring Break 2019

Kids Club 2019 Spring Break registration is now open!



Full-day childcare will be offered at **Mary Frank Elementary School** for **Monday, April 1 – Friday, April 5, 2019, from 6:30**

a.m. – 6:00 p.m. This service is available for students in all P-H-M schools, families do not have to be currently enrolled in Kids Club to take advantage of this service. **The cost is \$25 per child per day or \$100 per child if attending all 5 days.**

Children will enjoy a variety of educational and recreational activities, as well as crafts for this week.

Registration form and payment are due together no later than Tuesday, March 26.

Children need to bring their own lunch and drink (no pop please). Morning and afternoon snacks will be provided.

[Please click to download, complete and print the registration form.](#) Please return the form send it along with your payment to your child's school.

If you have questions, please contact Kids Club at (574) 258-9514 or at 258-9587.



Penn Summer Camps 2019

Penn High School, along with Penn-Harris-Madison School Corporation, offers a wide variety of athletic and enrichment camps during the summer months.

Listed below are the Summer 2019 activities and camps available at Penn High School. [Click here to see a full list of what's offered through Penn-Harris-Madison school District.](#)

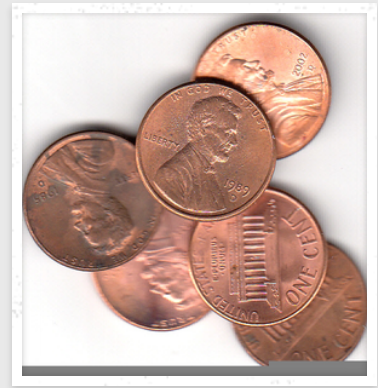
Parents are responsible for transportation (*unless otherwise noted*). Not all camps are open to students who do not attend P-H-M schools, please read the qualifications for each camp carefully.

Make sure to check back after April 15 for camp registration forms that are not yet available.

Penny Wars

Prairie Vista Penny War For PHM!

Collect your Pennies starting March 4th - March 29th



Pennies for PHM is a fundraiser to support the PHM Educational Foundation. The PHMEF funds numerous grants that have allowed Prairie Vista to acquire educational tools such as Ipads, Books for Mrs. Hlade's Book Club, Adventures in Computer Science, 4th Grade Rocks & Minerals, Bluetooth Music Room, as well as the Mindful Kindergarten Program.

Prairie Vista gets 25% back of the money we raise and the students would like to raise money to purchase playground equipment!

Donate as many pennies as you can to your classroom container starting... **NOW!**

The SIXTH ANNUAL PV PENNY WAR for PHM!!!

WHEN: April 9th - April 12th, 2019

TEAMS: Each classroom has its own collection container

GOAL: To still have the most VALUE in your classroom container after the week-long PENNY WAR!!

RULES:

1. From **now** until **March 29th**, bring in as many pennies as you can to put into your classroom penny container. Don't bring in any silver coins or paper money – only pennies!!

2. Beginning on **April 9th**, bring in as many silver coins and paper money as you wish. But here's the catch – it's not going to go into your container; it's going to go into another classroom container! *This will be done during a designated time each day so as not to be disruptive to our learning.*

3. Each penny has a value of +1, but the silver coins and paper money will cancel out the value of that coin/bill.

For example, if Mrs. Hlade's class has +100 in their container at the start of the week, but a child from Mrs. Wagley's class puts in a nickel, a dime, and a quarter, then the VALUE of Mrs. Hlade's container would be down to only +60.

Nickel = -5

Dime = -10

Quarter = -25

Paper money = -face value

Reward: If we raise **over \$3000** the whole school will earn a dance party!!



PHM Silver Mile Bubble Bash

P-H-M SILVER MILE Bubble Bash is back with more bubbles, earlier start time and lower prices!

This untimed race welcomes runners of all experience levels while blasting through foam bogs along the course. Choose to walk or run 1.5 miles or add a second loop to run a 5K distance. ***Registration is now open! Early bird prices available until Sunday, April 21 (\$10 students/\$20 adults)***

The Silver Mile Run for Education will also include our amazing Silent Auction, Health & Fitness Expo, free health screenings by Saint Joseph Medical Center, and Talent Showcase! Our Talent Showcase will be expanded this year so we can include more of our incredibly talented students throughout P-H-M.

This fun-filled, family friendly event will take place on Saturday, May 4, from 8:30am to noon at Penn High School. Come out with your friends and family and enjoy a morning of fun and bubbles! Please visit www.phmef.org for updates and to register for the Bubble Bash.

Spring Thank-a-Teacher

The annual **Spring Thank-a-Teacher program** will run from April 8 thru April 26, 2019. This is the perfect opportunity to thank that special teacher, bus driver, office secretary, librarian, or any other P-H-M employee that has made a difference in your child's life. The minimum donation is \$20 per recipient and the money received is used to fund future grants for programs that wouldn't otherwise be possible due to budget cuts. Your special person will receive a note and congratulatory pin acknowledging your donation. All donations to the Foundation are tax deductible. We are also taking credit cards as payment. Forms can be downloaded at www.phmef.org. Thanks for your continued support for the P-H-M Education Foundation where our mission is *to support excellence in education at P-H-M schools!* Questions can be emailed to laynabender@phmef.org.

Upcoming Dates to Remember

Monday, March 18th -

- PUMA's All - 2:20 - 4

Wednesday, March 20th -

- PUMA's All - 2:20 - 4



Friday, March 22nd -

- 4th Grade Fieldtrip to Center for History - 9 - noon
- PUMA's All - 2:20 - 4

Wednesday, March 27th & Thursday, March 28th - Junie B. Jones Musical at 6:30 pm



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