What's Happening at EAC

- Mar. 10: Snack Week for Noura Finley, Emma Shaffer and Will Goodreau
- Mar. 10 14: Scholastic Book Fair
- Mar. 11: Scholastic Book Fair, 3 9 p.m. Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 11: Upper Level Demonstration Night 6:30 8:30 p.m.
- Mar. 12: Dryden Central School No Afternoon Bus
- Mar. 12: Scholastic Book Fair, 3 9 p.m. Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 12: Junior Level Demonstration Night 6:30 7:30 p.m.
- Mar. 12: Middle School Genealogy Night 7:00 8:30 p.m.
- Mar. 13- 14: NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Mar. 13: Scholastic Book Fair, 11 a.m. 2 p.m. Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 14: Scholastic Book Fair, 11 a.m. 2 p.m. Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 17: Books, Bagels & Coffee: Scholastic Book Fair, 8:00 9:30 a.m. Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 17: Snack Week for Sadie Ferguson-Cormier, Vivian Bradshaw and Niccolo Barseghyan
- Mar. 20: Coffee Shop 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m., Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Mar. 21: Dryden Central School No Busing
- Mar. 22: EAC Family Fun Fest, Willy Wonka at the Hangar Theatre, 2:00 p.m.
- Mar. 24: Snack Week for Griffin Galgoczy, Douglas Blalock and Jane Ambrose
- Mar. 26: Upper Level Third Year Students' Field Trip to Johnson Art Museum 9:45 12:15
- Mar. 31: Snack Week for Ada Goldweber, Chloe Carvell and Zayla Dennis
- **Apr. 1: School Bus Transportation Requests Due**
- Apr. 1 4: Middle School Trip to Washington, D.C.
- Apr. 2: Board Meeting 4:15 p.m.
- Apr. 7: Snack Week for Sarah Kalnins, Siena Doob and Isabella Eckenrode
- Apr. 9: Upper Level Second Year Field Trip to Johnson Art Museum 9:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m.
- Apr. 14-18: NO SCHOOL Spring Recess

Benefit for Ndor Eco Village in Ghana - March 8th

J.P. Nawn of the EACMSI after school staff, would like to invite our community to The Andrea B. Riddle Center for Music, Movement and Art for a benefit concert. The performance will be held Saturday, March 8th from 2-3:30 p.m. Featuring local roots reggae band, Mosaic Foundation, donations from the concert will support rural education and sustainable agriculture in Aklorbortornu, Ghana.

Please join us! This will be fun for the whole family! \$5/family suggested donation. All proceeds benefit the Ndor Eco Village

www.ndorecovillage.org www.mosaicfoundationmusic.com

Confirm Your School Conference Today!

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday and Friday, March 13th and 14th. Please call (277-7335) or email (admin@eacmsi.org) to confirm your conference time.

<u>Liz and Sarah Spring Conference Schedule 2014</u>

Meridith and Leah Spring Conference Schedule 2014

Donyan and Virginia Spring Conference Schedule 2014

Scott, Deb and Laura Spring Conference Schedule 2014

Melani and Becky Spring Conference Schedule 2014

Dawn and Katri Spring Conference Schedule 2014

<u>UL Conference Schedule Spring 2014</u> Middle School Spring Conference Schedule 2014

To make the most of your conference time we ask that you take a moment to answer the questions in the Parent feedback Spring 2014 form. Please return it to the office by March 3rd.

Come to the Book Fair!

Our fabulous Andrea B. Riddle Center for Music, Movement and Art will soon be hosting the second annual EAC Book Fair. Our school earns credit with Scholastic for all books sold during this event. Purchase great books to take home and benefit our libraries at the same time! Find a time to visit the Book Fair with your child:

Tuesday March 11th 3:00-9:00 pm Wednesday March 12th 3:00-9:00 pm Thursday March 13th 11:00-2:00pm Friday March 14th 11:00 -2:00pm Monday March 17th 8:00-9:30 am (Bagels, Books & More!)

Our Book Fair can also be accessed online with even more items for sale. http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/eacmontessorischoolithaca

Upper Level Demonstration Night March 11th

Parents of Upper Level students are invited to Demonstration Night on Tuesday, March 11th from 6:30-7:30 p.m. and 7:30-8:30 p.m. Students will demonstrate work from all areas of the Montessori curriculum during this event. Come see our students shine!

The evening will be split into two shifts with each student assigned to a specific shift. We will balance the materials presented at each time so families can experience the widest variety of lessons.

We ask that children arrive 10 minutes early for their <u>assigned session</u>, nicely dressed and well fed.

As classroom space is at a premium, please do not bring Primary, Extended Day, or Junior Level children. Junior Level students will have had these works presented to them in a practice session during the school day. Upper Level students and their families should remain for their assigned time only.

Junior Level Demonstration Night March 12th

Parents of Junior Level students are invited to Demonstration Night on Wednesday, March 12th from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Students will demonstrate work from all areas of the Montessori curriculum during this event. Come see our students shine! We ask that children arrive 10 minutes early, nicely dressed and well fed.

Please do not bring Primary/Extended Day children to Demonstration Night. Extended Day students will have had these lessons presented to them in practice sessions during the school day.

Middle School Genealogy Night March 12th

Parents of Middle School students are invited to Genealogy Night on Wednesday, March 12th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. During the evening, students will share the culmination of this monthslong family history project--family artifacts, personal timelines, family stories and a favorite family food! Middle School parents please keep an eye out for an email from Jim with further details.

Family Fun Fest, Willy Wonka at the Hangar Theatre – March 22nd

Bring your whole family to a world of pure imagination – a scrumdiddlyumptious afternoon of crafts, games, music, and showing of the original *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory*! Audience participation during the movie is encouraged! Gates to the Wonka factory open at 2:00 p.m. for pre-show activities; movie starts 3:30 p.m. Taste of Thai Express will once again be offering delicious take – out options for ticket holders. Menu information will be available soon. Get your WONKA tickets at the office, Dolce Delight, or Parakeet Feet!

School Bus Transportation Requests due April 1st

All requests for school bus transportation for the coming school year are due to your school district's Transportation Department by April 1, 2014. You must submit a new request each year! Forms are available from your school district department of transportation, in the EAC Main Office and on our Welcome page.

If the district receives the request after April 1st, they reserve the right to deny transportation.

April School Break Program Registration

Our EAC April school break program will run Monday through Friday from 8:30 until 3:30, April 14-18, 2014. If you missed out on the February program, now's your chance to join the fun! The program is open to our Primary, Extended Day and Junior Level students. The rate for this week long program is \$250 and enrollment is limited.

You can sign up for the program at

https://docs.google.com/a/eacmsi.org/forms/d/12Nk2UZ8adHVkyPPVjb0YE54yuN65lIMO4vXWWglY_1g/viewform

Summer Camps at EAC!

Exciting News! Day camp, computer programming, stop-motion animation and band camp will be available in July for current and graduating EAC students. Visit http://eacmsi.org/my-eac/summer-camp-2014/ for details and online registration!

Greek Peak 2014-15 Season Ski Passes On Sale Now

Greek Peak season ski passes for 2014-2015 will be available on March 1st! The first price increase is on March 16th. Visit Greek Peak's <u>Season Pass page</u> for instructions on how to buy your season pass for next year. If you have questions, call Greek Peak at 800-955-2754.