

## **Upcoming Events**

Nov 17<sup>th</sup> Spirit Wear Friday Nov 21<sup>st</sup> Pilgrim's Play

Nov 22-26 Thanksgiving Break / Builder of the Month and RU awards

Dec 8th RU log due

Dec 15th Show What You Know Program 8:15

Dec 18th RU store

Dec 19th End of Term 2 - Report cards go out

Dec 20-Jan 2 Winter Break

#### **NOVEMBER BUILDER'S THEME: "EXPRESSING GRATITUDE IN WORD AND DEED"**

Many Veterans and their families were able to attend the Veteran's Day Assembly at Draper 1 this week. There is a lot of preparation that goes into this special event! This celebration allows American Preparatory Academy to show our respect and gratitude to all those that have served or continue to serve our country. Thank you, Veterans, for serving our great country!

#### **VIRTUAL PARENT EMPOWERMENT: MENTAL HEALTH and WELLNESS**

Among the many lessons learned during the last few years has been just how important it is to pay attention to our mental health and wellness as well as our physical health. In reality, our physical and mental health are intertwined. Most symptoms of mental illness emerge in the teenage-young adult years. Join us in our Virtual Parent Empowerment on Tuesday, November 14th at 7 pm as we explore what is mental health, how to identify symptoms of mental illness and how to get help, and the protective factors to help avoid serious issues. This topic is

symptoms of mental illness and how to get help, and the protective factors to help avoid serious issues. This topic is appropriate for students and parents so invite your students to participate with you. See you on zoom! Join Zoom Meeting. <a href="https://uetn-org.zoom.us/j/83457687165">https://uetn-org.zoom.us/j/83457687165</a>

#### **SLIDE SHOW:**

Looking ahead to month of May, we have an "End of the Year Show What You Know" assembly. At that assembly we present a video slide show with a collection of pictures of our students, events, and activities that have been taken throughout the year. NOTE: If you DO NOT want your students to participate in any pictures for this slide show please contact me as directly.

#### **PILGRIM'S PROGRAM AND FEAST**

In history, our students are learning about the Pilgrims leaving England and starting a new life here in America. Each class has been practicing for their Pilgrim Play where they will be performing songs they have learned, share lines they have memorized, and participate in a Thanksgiving feast. We welcome all parents to come and see our students perform. Thank you to our amazing parents for being willing to help with volunteer opportunities for this event.



### PILGRIM'S PROGRAM AND FEAST

Ms. BUELL: Program starts promptly at 1:30 in the multi-purpose room
Ms. SAGUILAN: Program starts promptly at 2:00 in the multi-purpose room
Ms. LUCAS: Program starts promptly at 2:30 in the multi-purpose room

## HYGIENE HEROES: - COLLECTING DONATIONS NOV 30TH - DEC 15TH

Join us for our Holiday Multi-campus donation drive. This year we will be supporting Globus Relief by collecting hygiene items to be distributed to refugee camps, clinics, orphanages, shelters and areas effected by natural disasters. Thank you for helping D1/ELC reach our goal.

# Draper 1/ELC GOAL: COLLECT 2000 ITEMS

Travel size Items to be collected: (Donated items should be unused and unopened)

- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Toothpaste, standard sized toothbrushes, or dental floss
- Soap (either body wash or solid bar soap)
- Lotion
- Tissue packages
- Deodorant
- Packaged combs/brushes

If we reach our goal of 2000 items, students can participate in wearing a sweatshirt on DEC 18<sup>th</sup> If we double goal of 4000 items, students can participate in a pajama day on Dec 19<sup>th</sup>.

#### **KINDERGARTEN CORNER:**

Student: "It's my friend's birthday on Saturday. He lives in Daycare".

