



Thursday News

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DID YOU KNOW???.

Four of our students made it the State Geography Bee held at Western Kentucky University on Friday, April 9th! For the SECOND year in a row a Providence student won! Congratulations Nolan Phillips! He will be competing in Washington DC for the state of Kentucky! Last year Michael Kamer was the winner.

- ❖ Alston Croley - Current 6th grader at Providence
- ❖ Nolan Phillips - Graduate of Providence at MMSK
- ❖ Will Schein - Graduate of Providence at Woodford Co. Middle
- ❖ Michael Kamer - Graduate of Providence at The Lexington School

This is **AMAZING** for a school our size. Typically 100 students compete in the Geography Bee each year.

Reminder: Cell phones and electronic devices are inappropriate during the school day. Please help us in keeping these items at home so they are not distractions to the children during the school day and in the afterschool program. Thank you!

Potential Board of Director openings beginning this June

There will be potential openings on our Board of Directors beginning this June. The board is made up of current parents, past parents, and staff. We have had a few parents mention their interest in serving on the board. If you are interested please contact Carol Hiler or Susan Hammonds for additional information.

Great Math Opportunity for Girls!

What is MAC? Math Across Campus is a 3-day workshop that teaches young women about the areas of study and career opportunities that incorporate mathematics. Who can attend? This program is open to any girl in 6th-8th grade, who is interested in learning about those opportunities in mathematics. Where? The Math House (417 Columbia Ave) University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY When? June 28-30, 2010 from 9am-3pm each day Each day will focus on areas found in various colleges across campus, including nutrition, recreation, business, design, and agriculture. Registration: There is no cost but to register, please complete the registration form (available online March 15th—June 1st at www.ise.uky.edu.) If you have any questions, please contact Carol Hanley at chanley@uky.edu.

April 19 - 23 Monday - Friday - Scholastic Book Fair - Library

April 23, Earth Day Celebration - Early Dismissal, Family Picnic on school grounds following your child's dismissal time - Upper Elementary pick up 11:15/Lower Elementary will stay at their Earth Day displays until noon and are then dismissed after cleaning up/Primary Pick up 11:30/Toddler $\frac{1}{2}$ Day 11:15/Toddler All Day 11:30 - Family Picnic

*****There will be an Earth Day concert at 12:30 - This will be performed by the Lower and Upper Elementary students. Please listen for the bell and the violin sounds. This will be the sign for the children to gather for the concert.**

Please don't forget to bring a chairs, blanket, lunch, drink and utensils for your family. It would also be helpful if you could take your trash from your lunch home as we are limited garbage/recycling cans. If it rains the picnic will be cancelled.

April 24, Saturday -You will not want to miss this wonderful night of fun! April 24, Saturday - Our annual spring auction will be held at the Miller House, a modern historic house museum.

Please visit: <http://www.thefoundationforadvancedarchitecture.org>. Please take the time to read and help us if you can! We need each family to buy or sell four (4) tickets to the event @ \$50.00 each. Thank you.

April 28, Wednesday - Group Classroom Picture Day

Providence Summer Program - It's a Blast!

Providence will once again offer its popular summer camps for primary and lower elementary students. The dates for 2010 are June 7 - July 30. The Montessori philosophy is central to camp activities, which are designed by trained teachers and include many outdoor experiences, with time devoted to the creative arts and an exploration of themes compatible with the relaxed nature of the season. Camp hours span the full day, but drop-off and pick-up hours are flexible. Fees for the camps are \$155 per week for lower elementary and \$310 per two-week session for primary. Registration will begin soon. **For more information, contact Emily Balsam, summer camp coordinator, at emily.balsam@providencemontessoriky.org.**

Providence R.O.C.K.S. Points of Interest

- Kick off event to our Capital Campaign!
- 9 days away!!
- Buy or sell your four tickets!
- Please RSVP by Friday, April 16th !
- Many exciting auction items!
 - 2 airline tickets on Allegiant Air and (4) 1-day Park Hopper passes to Disney World

- SanDestin Condo www.vrbo.com/190425 (1 week in month of June or July 2010)
- (2) 2010 Derby grandstand tickets
- Signed John Wall Jersey
- UK basketball tickets
- Signed John Calapari basketball
- Handmade by the Martins and children of Providence weaving
- Girls Night Out
- Weekend in Cincinnati with Reds tickets
- Tickets to Keeneland with table in clubhouse
- 2 round trip tickets on Airtran Airlines
- Painted Pet Portrait
- Coach Bag
- 1 week at Providence summer camp
- Tour of Taylor Made Farm
- Unbridled Song's halter
- Luncheon with Poet Laureate, Gurney Norman and Jennifer Burchett
- Membership to Kentucky Historical Society and an engraved brick
- And many more exciting items.

• Put your bidding groups together now!

• There are still volunteer opportunities left!

Contact the office at 255-7330 if you would like to volunteer or have any questions.

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Volunteer Schedule for Providence R.O.C.K.S 2010

Set up:

Friday afternoon :

2pm (after Earth Day picnic) _____ (name) _____ (phone)

Saturday

10am _____ (name) _____ (phone)

6pm-7pm _____ (name) _____ (phone)

During Auction:

Host Door: Carol Hiler, Kim Taylor, Becky Breeze, Tara Welch

Live Auction: 8-8:45pm (4 volunteers) _____ (name) _____ (phone)

Silent Auction: 8:45-9:30pm (4 volunteers) _____ (name) _____ (phone)

Cashier: 9:15-10pm (3 volunteers) _____ (name) _____ (phone)

Clean Up: 10pm _____ (name) _____ (phone)