

Head of the School Lines

Save the Date:

**December 3: Parent Group's Asbury Woods
Winter Family Event, 5:00-7:00pm**



WELLNESS REMINDER:

Parents are reminded of the season of cold, flu, strep, pneumonia, and the like. **BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR CHILD'S TEMPERATURE** before returning he/she to school following an illness. All children need to be fever free (without medicinal efforts) for 24 hours before returning to school.



Moment for Mission

Many current families recall our significant renovation and construction project completed in 2017. Our former gym became the present-day music center and dining room; and the antiquated kitchen miraculously transformed into prek and kindergarten classrooms. There were many opportunities taken to reimagine existing space and grow the landscape of Erie Day School on our five + acres. Among the advancements, was the development of the Griffith Lobby. Today, families are welcomed directly into Early Childhood's Spencer Building (our original two-room schoolhouse) and Fish Gymnasium (formerly the outdoor tennis courts) impacting not only our toddler-K arrivals and dismissals but also family involvement in athletics, performing arts and community events. Rick and Noreen Griffith generously dedicated a grand point of entry and gathering that is utilized well today. In that spirit, the Griffith Lobby will further progress to include an art gallery mid-December! The space will continue to serve its purpose with a vibrant twist in design to showcase our visual arts program. Artistic works from students, teachers, parents, alumni and community members will be on display. The Vicary Gallery, will honor alumnus Thomas Vicary, who much like the Griffith family, believed in the mission of Erie Day School and its capacity to grow young hearts, minds and creative genius.

Be sure to look for more information and photographs that mark the latest addition to the campus of Erie Day School in *The Spartan* publication arriving soon!

Yours in education,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kish".