



# EAGLE UPDATE

 MARCH 2014

## DATES OF IMPORTANCE!

**MON MAR 3rd**  
 All Star Practice \*\*TBD  
 RE-REGISTRATION FOR 2014-15 BEGINS!

**TUES MAR 4th**  
 DCAC All Star Game @ Horizon  
 5:30 Girls 6:30 Boys & Cheer

**WED MAR 5th**  
 Wednesday Launch! —3:30-4:45  
 Intramural BBall - 4:45-6:00p  
 4/5th Grade Boys & Girls

**THUR MAR 6th**  
 Track Practice - 4:30-5:45p

**SAT MAR 8th**  
 Saturday Launch! — 9am-12pm

**MON MAR 10th**  
 Intramural BBall - 4:30-5:30p  
 4/5th Grade Girls

**TUES MAR 11th**  
 Track Practice - 4:30-5:45p

**WED MAR 12th**  
 Wednesday Launch! —3:30-4:45  
 Intramural BBall - 4:45-6:00p  
 4/5th Grade Boys & Girls

**THUR MAR 13th**  
 Track Practice - 4:30-5:45p

**MON MAR 17th**  
 Intramural BBall -  
 4:30-5:30p 4/5th Grade Girls  
 5:45-7:00P 4/5th Grade Boys

**TUES MAR 18th**  
 Track Practice - 4:30-5:45p

**WED MAR 19th**  
 Wednesday Launch! —3:30-4:45  
 Intramural BBall - 4:45-6:00p  
 4/5th Grade Boys & Girls

**THUR MAR 20th**  
 Track Practice - 4:30-5:45p

**RE-REGISTRATION FOR 2014-15 ENDS!**

**MON MAR 24-FRI MAR 28TH**  
 SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL!



**MON MAR 31st**  
 Return to School!

Dayton Leadership Academies made their OWN history during Black History Month this year! 8th grader Jazzmyn Sumlin became the 1st DLA student to be accepted into the Montgomery County OH College Promise Scholarship Program! Her beautiful spirit, excellent grades and determination to succeed has earned her a mentor throughout her high school years and a 5 year college scholarship! Congratulations Jazzmyn!



### A Word from the Principal

Dear Parents,

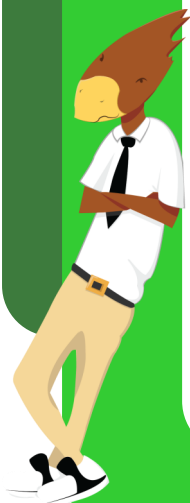
Thank you to families who send their students to DLA everyday in our required uniform. However, we need to remind all families of our requirements regarding dress code, specifically Junior Academy:

**Khaki pants| White collared shirt| Black Tie| Solid Black Shoes| Black Belt**

More serious consequences will be necessary for those who repeatedly come to school out of uniform.. We don't want anything to interfere with nor take away from your child's education. We thank you in advance for your continued support and understanding during about this matter.

Respectfully,

Dayton Leadership Academies Administration & Staff



\*Executive Director—Dr. TJ Wallace \*Principal—C.M. Goode  
 \*Director of Academics—Holly Cartwright \* Director of Special Education—Stacey Kirksey  
 \*Director of Family and Community Outreach—Billi Ewing \*Business Manager—Sarah Meadows



Let's Stay CONNECTED!

You're always just one click or call away from DLA!

You can now follow us on TWITTER

@DYTLLEADERSHIPAC

On FACEBOOK at

DaytonLeadershipAcademies

Also, make sure we have an

updated phone number

so you can receive messages delivered straight to your home or cell phone!

Important Announcements

## Eagle of The Month

Congratulations to the following students for displaying RESPECT in February!

Shannon Howard, James Paul, Jazmine Archie, Storm White-Atkins, Kiana Jones, Charles Broyles, Silas Ward, Carmello Ganey, Davi'L Knight, Damaris Stephens, Phillip Wynn, Khalid Mott, KeJuan Randle, Vernisha Finch, Marcus Brooks, Tyonna Fields, Quincy Woods, Kymmara Chambers, De'Joenay Fox, DaYasha Williams, DaZhane Rivers, De'Eric Perkins, Da'nija Morgan

Parents! We're gearing up for the Ohio Achievement Assessment (OAA) which takes place in April! Below are some important testing dates in March to help students prepare:

~ **March 18-20** Practice OAA Round 2 for Grades 3 - 8.

~ **Writing Diagnostic Assessments** for Grades 1-3. These assessments will be administered by the teacher during the school day. So students need to be present EVERY DAY to ensure they don't miss anything!

## Music to my Ears!



Auditions for DLA's newest musical ensemble took place on Feb. 24th and Feb. 26th. Over 25 students came out during both days! The auditions gave students the opportunity to experience what a real group goes through en route to performances. The group will be announced early in March. Tiffin University's all female A cappella group "Higher Ground" will also be coming to DLA on March 10th for a special performance for JA students & our new a cappella group! Doesn't that SOUND great?!

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

We would like to thank you for your participation in our Winter Olympics Attendance Contest. Each day grade levels were given a medal based upon their attendance for that day & these "award levels:" 100-95%-Gold 94-93%-Silver 92%-below-Bronze.



The grade with the highest attendance for that week received a treat from McDonalds. We accomplished our attendance goal for the month of February which was 94%! Our highest attendance day for the month was 97%! That lets us know that our attendance goal for the year is ACHIEVABLE! If we did it once, then we can do it EVERY DAY! The weather will be getting warmer, which means we're gonna have to HEAT THINGS UP on attendance! March Madness begins March 10, 2014! Stay tuned for more details. ~ Mr. Wright~

	KG	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DLA	89.69%	93.82%	95.81%	95.39%	95.41%	96.53%	92.86%	94.90%	94.44%
* Met the Monthly Attendance Goal of 94% for February									

## FOR YOUR WELL BEING



Spring is right around the corner! Along with the warmer weather and flowers blooming, seasonal allergies begin to bloom again as well! Runny nose, sneezing, itchy/watery eyes, and a scratchy throat are sure signs seasonal allergies have returned. Remember, you can easily treat your student's symptoms with over the counter antihistamines and decongestants! Also continue to make sure your student is dressed properly for our UNPREDICTABLE Ohio weather! \* Remember our upcoming spring break is the PERFECT time to schedule appointments for the EYE DOCTOR, DENTIST, or FAMILY PHYSICIAN to ensure your student has all that he or she needs to succeed in the classroom!

\* To ALL PARENTS OF CURRENT SIXTH GRADE STUDENTS---YOUR CHILD CANNOT BEGIN THEIR 7TH GRADE YEAR UNTIL THEY HAVE RECEIVED A Tdap BOOSTER SHOT! THIS IS REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF OHIO AND ONLY BENEFITS THE HEALTH AND WELFARE OF YOUR STUDENT. If you have any questions regarding this vaccine or any other issues please contact me and I will be happy to assist! ~Nurse Jodi~

## ATHLETICS

Congratulations to all the winter sports athletes and coaches for the successful completion in their respective sport! A special congratulations to our **Gold Team** as they were crowned the **2013-2014 DCAC Champions** and to our Lady Eagles as they finished as the runner-up! The month of March is a time for our 4th/5th grade students to begin building their basketball skills through our intramural basketball program. Stay tuned for details regarding dates and times for practices and continue to work hard in the classroom! **GO EAGLES!** ~Coach Goode~

