



## Sarasota Military Academy

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Good evening, parents and guardians of our exceptional SMA cadets!

I am SMA-COL Christina Bowman, and welcome to your weekly SMA Briefing.

I hope your spring break was filled with quality time with family and friends, fun, laughter and an adventure or two. It seems we just started the school year and here we are in the final stretch entering into the fourth quarter, which will be filled with state mandated testing and exciting events such as prom, awards recognitions, and Commencement for the High School. The Middle School will be busy with a Formal Dance, 8<sup>th</sup> grade trips and Promotion for the Middle School. Keep your eye out for EAGLE News on a weekly basis to stay informed of the numerous events planned for the end of the school year.

In terms of highlights, all Juniors on the High School campus will take the College Reportable ACT, free of charge, on Tuesday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. This is an excellent opportunity for all Juniors so please make sure they get a good night's rest and nutritious breakfast. Also, this week, SMA-MAJ Wasserman and SMA-CPT Holbrook taught a cross-curricular Renaissance lesson in US History and Art History. The cadets thoroughly enjoyed the collaboration of lessons!

The Middle School participated in a dress down day today for cadets and staff that participated in the Raiders Rise and Run 5k on March 12<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations and a big thank you to SMA-CPT Trecartin and her team for a job well done! And speaking of congratulations, the Lacrosse team was triumphant over St. Stephens this week. Way to go Eagles!

Thank you for allowing me into your home this evening, and I look forward to visiting with you every week. In the meantime, if you have any concerns, please feel free to reach out to me either by telephone or email.

I wish you and your family a wonderful weekend!

Stay safe, stay well and stay kind.

SMA-COL Christina Bowman  
Chief Executive Officer