

THE PATROLLER



THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE AAA SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL

Welcome back, Advisors! We hope your school year is off to a great start!

FALL 2025

Below are helpful direct links to new resources for this year including our calendar of events and equipment order form.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to us throughout the school year with any questions, we are always happy to assist.

Here's to another great year ahead!

Sincerely, AAA School Safety Patrol



2025-26 Calendar



Equipment Order Form











- Connecticut
- Delaware
- District of Columbia
- Indiana
- Kansas
- Kentucky
- Maryland
- New Jersey
- Ohio
- Oklahoma
- Pennsylvania
- · South Dakota
- Virginia
- West Virginia

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2024-2025 **Lifesaving Medal Award Winners**

This is the most prestigious award presented to a AAA School Safety Patroller for saving the life of another while on duty.

AAA Club Alliance had the only winners in the entire country.



Vedanth (Ved), Brianna, and Reagan were on patrol at Hanover Hills Elementary (Hanover, MD) when a fellow Patroller suffered a seizure. While one of them guided her safely to the ground, the other two sought help from staff. Together the Patrollers secured the area and redirected nearby students, preserving the young girl's privacy and maintaining calm until help arrived.



Jefferson Reyes, a Patroller at Rolling Terrace Elementary (Takoma Park, MD) was on duty during dismissal when he saw a young child break away from their parent and run toward an active bus lane. Reyes sprinted to the child and pulled them out of harm's way. His quick action prevented potentially tragic consequences.



2024-2025 **Outstanding School** Safety Patrol **Award Winners**

Delaware:

Maya Emich, North Star Elementary School - Hockessin

District of Columbia:

Saanvi Vangapalli, McNair Upper Elementary School - Herndon, VA Kristen E. King, Canterbury Woods Elementary School - Annandale, VA

Kentucky:

Isabella Cornett, Conkwright Elementary School - Winchester

Maryland: Tori Tate, Longfields Elementary School - Forestville Yahya Koroma, Waters Landing Elementary School - Germantown Jack Morgan, Waugh Chapel Elementary School - Odenton Morgan Welch, St. John's School - Hollywood

New Jersey: Camryn Van Nostrand, Van Derveer Elementary School - Somerville Luke S., Phillipsburg Elementary School - Phillipsburg

Ohio:

Gavin Burgess, Fairborn Intermediate School - Fairborn

Oklahoma:

Loran Miles, Legacy Christian School - Claremore Derrin Richardson, Hoover Elementary School - Tulsa

Pennsylvania:

Andi Hardin, Bradford Heights Elementary School - Downingtown Troy Miller, Good Shepherd Academy - Kingston

Virginia:

Kelsey Sowers, Battlefield Elementary School – Fredericksburg Eleanor McAngus, Bedford Hills Elementary School - Lynchburg Sadie Holloway, Beaverdam Elementary School - Beaverdam Kiara Calderon-Yanes, Marguerite Christian School – Colonial Heights



2024-2025 Charles M. Hayes Advancement Grant Winners

Bunker Hill Elementary School (Middletown, DE) and Dr. J.P. Cleary Elementary School (Minotola, NJ) were awarded \$500 to expand and enhance their AAA School Safety Patrol programs.









Be on the lookout for email communications in early January 2026 for annual award nomination information.

Are you planning a Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day?



November 14th is Ruby Bridges
Walk to School Day, a movement
started by a class of AAA School
Safety Patrollers after learning
about Ruby's brave, history-making
walk to school in 1960. This studentled initiative empowers children to
make positive changes by
encouraging them to come
together-to listen, learn, and
ultimately, champion one another.

Send us your event photos!



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CLICK HERE

to learn more



Equipment Orders

- Please plan to place <u>only one order per school year</u>.
 Include belts, badges, pins and merit certificates
- Belts and badges must last three years before a <u>full</u> replenishment is allowed.



This helps us to reduce costs while we support over 96,800 active Patrollers!



You asked, we listened! To continue efficiently supporting you, your Patrols and our environment we are going paperless. Beginning now, all merit certificate requests will be provided as a digital file, reducing waste and making the certificates readily available with a single click especially when the end of the year gets hectic.

If you have any questions, please email us at safetypatrol@aca.aaa.com.



ORDERS DUE
October 21st



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to request yours today!









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