

**FEBRUARY 2023**

**JOHN J. ALLISON JR. CREC POLARIS CENTER  
NEWS & NOTES**



**Come check out the beautiful mural in our front lobby!**

**Created by Ms. Bruzzi & her art students, various body outlines celebrate the many shades of humankind—well done Polaris!**



**HOW CAN WE HELP?**

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**POLARIS CENTER  
SCHOOL HOURS**

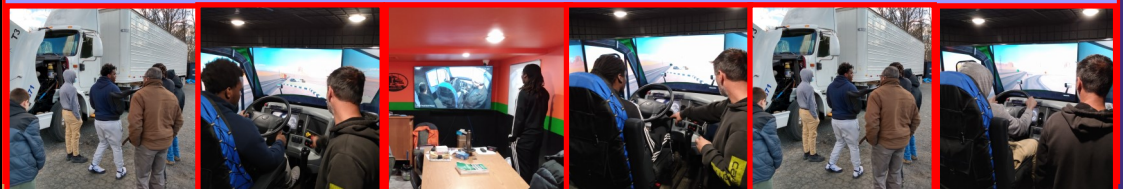
**Monday, Tuesday,  
Thursday & Friday  
8:00AM - 2:00PM**

**Wednesday  
8:00AM - 12:30PM**

**REMINDER  
NO SCHOOL  
February 20 & 21**

**AFFORDABLE CDL SCHOOL VISIT**

Mr. McGee's Career and Transitions students visited the Affordable CDL School in Colchester, CT. They met the owner and operated a Tractor Trailer using the Tractor Trailer Driving Simulator. Many of our students have expressed interest in truck driving as a career - what a great place to ask questions & have them answered by professionals in the field!



Polaris hosted Manchester Regional Academy in their first home basketball game of the season! Led by Neythan with 12 points & Christian with 7 points, the team fell short by a score of 45-32 ... but played with plenty of heart and hustle.

Their next game is on the road versus Aces Academy—good luck team!



**CONGRATULATIONS!**

**JANUARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH**

**BENTLY \* DENISSA \* JEREMIAH**

These students have excelled at upholding our three core values:

**BE SAFE BE RESPECTFUL BE RESPONSIBLE  
KEEP UP THE GREAT WORK!**