



## From the Desk of the Headmaster, Mr. Jim Rozendal

"My son, keep your father's commands and do not forsake your mother's teaching. Bind them upon your heart forever; fasten them around your neck." (Proverbs 6:20)

I recently read a great devotional from Charles Swindoll entitled, "He Gives Us Boys". Let me share it with you:

"Throughout history, long before the marines, God has been looking for a few good men: *'For the eyes of the Lord range throughout the earth to strengthen those whose hearts are fully committed to Him (2 Chronicles 16:9a).*

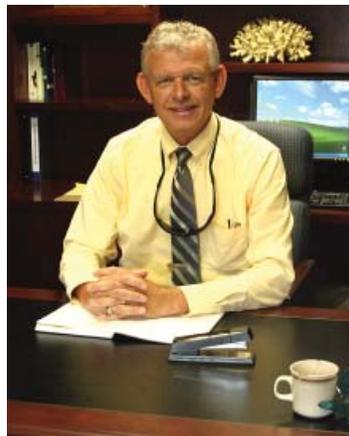
*'I looked for a man among them who would build up the wall and stand before me in the gap (Ezekeil 22:30a).'*

God, give us men. Give us Noahs, to whom you can trust your mighty plans; give us Abrahams, who are willing to leave home and homeland to follow your call;

give us Josephs, who would rather endure prison than violate one of your commands; give us Moseses, who are willing to stand as your mouthpiece against the most powerful leaders in the world; give us Daniels, who would rather face a lions' den than compromise their faith; God give us men." Charles Swindoll

However, the reality is that God does not give us men and women, he gives us boys and girls. To us, as parents, he gives us the task of forging these young people into men and women who will serve the Lord and honor Him with their gifts and talents. To help equip us for that task, God has provided us wisdom through the book of Proverbs. Our children are our legacy. As parents we are on an exciting journey, but God has equipped us for it!

A basic belief of Atlantic Christian Academy is that God has given parents the primary task of raising sons and daughters to be responsible and unique under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. ACA is here to come along side you



as trained educators with a Christian worldview to assist you in that important task. Working together, using the Bible as our guide and relying on the power of the Holy Spirit, we move forward in our children's training. Our hope and prayer is that they become men and women that are committed to Jesus Christ, who will be able to mightily serve their Lord wherever He places them! What an awesome task and challenge we've been given! May we continue to seek our Savior, Jesus Christ, daily for His help.

## SAVE THE DATES! Parent-Teacher Conferences Mon, Nov. 4 and Thur, Nov. 7

Following the end of our first quarter grading period, parents will have the opportunity to meet with their child's teacher to discuss growth and progress during this first quarter.



**September's  
Box Tops Winners:**  
Preschool:  
**Mrs. Torres' class**  
Elementary:  
**Mrs. George's class**  
Secondary:  
**Mrs. Arterburn's class**



## Smile and say Cheese!

PICTURE DAY IS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30! Picture orders go through homeroom teachers with checks made payable to Lifetouch. Students are to wear their school uniforms, please, as this is not a formal dress or casual dress day. Thank you!

## Bring In Those Empty Shoeboxes!

Mrs. King is collecting empty shoe boxes for the *Operation: Christmas Child* outreach. Please bring them to school Wednesday mornings and put them in the large collection bin in the north side of the gym.



## ACA This Week

### SEPTEMBER

- F, 27 Last Home Game: MSVolleyball vs Trinity - Home@4pm
- F, 27 Last Home Game: MSSoccer vs Trinity - Home@4pm
- M, 30 Picture Day

### OCTOBER

- W, 2 PLAN/ASVAB (Gr. 10-11)

## On the Horizon

- M-T, 7-8 Preschool Pics
  - W-F, 16-18 Senior Retreat
  - F, 18 End of First Quarter
  - M, 21 2nd Quarter starts
  - F, 25 Report Cards Home
- ### NOVEMBER
- F, 1 Picture Re-Takes
  - M, 4 & Th, 7 Parent / Teacher Conferences
  - Th, 7 Ring Ceremony

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## See You At The Pole 2013



It was a special time in God's presence as students, parents, and faculty members joined hands in prayer early Wednesday morning for "See you at the Pole". Senior worship team member Craig Fashaw led the group in worship, then several students prayed aloud. Campus Pastor Richie Vasquez closed in prayer and blessed us on our way. What a GREAT way to start the morning! May we daily continue to seek God's face in prayer.



Enjoy some coffee and prayer time  
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*"If my people who are called by my name  
will humble themselves and pray, and seek  
my face, and turn from their wicked ways;  
then will I hear from heaven, and will  
forgive their sin, and will heal their land."*

2 Chronicles 7:14

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## Secondary School Spiritual Emphasis Week: "Our Posture Precedes Our Portion"



Pastor Ryan McDermott from Christ Fellowship's Royal Palm Beach

campus was the featured speaker for our chapels this week. Each day he spoke from the book of Joshua. On the final day, he presented a challenge. "Your posture is the way you carry yourself. Our portion is what God wants to bless us with. What is your posture towards others? Towards God? How do we posture or position ourselves to hear the Word of the Lord? Are we kind, compassionate, and loving to others? Just like that Thanksgiving portion we all love to enjoy, our God has more than we can think or imagine waiting for us. People who love God and love others will be entrusted with more. Think of Joshua. Live your life in a way that is connected to and pleasing to God. That way, your life will be a memorial for generations to come."

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