

Friday, February 24, 2017



KEEPING OUR FAMILIES
"IN-THE-LOOP"

Hello ACA Families,

We are so excited about our Atlantic Christian Academy Workday this **Saturday morning, February 25, beginning @ 8:00am!** Join your ACA family for a time of prayer, light breakfast, and a great team building opportunity. We'll work together on continued improvements to our campus. Let's meet by the picnic tables under the canopy at 8:00am. Come for an hour or two, or stay until noon.

Our New Family Open House welcomed over thirty families to our campus Thursday night. We are excited to see the Lord continue to bring those who are interested in a quality Christian education for their children! **The next Open House is scheduled for Tuesday, March 28 at 7:00pm.**

DISCIPLESHIP

Spiritual Challenge Week for **elementary students** will take place Wednesday, March 1 - Friday, March 3. Pastor Manny Rosario from Journey Church will be sharing with the students about what it means to live a selfless life. Parents are invited to attend these very special chapels taking place each morning at 8:20am.

Middle school students will hear from Pastor Manny Monday, February 27 - Wednesday, March 1. They will also travel off campus at scheduled times for a field gleaning experience with CROS Ministries. Harvested crops will be donated to local soup kitchens who will utilize the fresh fruits and vegetables to feed those in need.

High school students will be experiencing the *Honor Retreat* on Monday, March 6 and Tuesday, March 7. Please pray for our students as they learn how to honor God in their relationships.

This week in elementary chapel we recognized students who show the fruit of kindness. We are so proud of our Wisdom Kids! We also had a special speaker from Christ Fellowship, Stephania Auguste. Stephania spoke to us about encouraging others. She shared that encouragement is "helping others get what God has for them". She showed us the example of Joseph in the Bible. Joseph encouraged his brothers, and did everything that he could do to help them, even after all that they did to harm him. Stephania challenged us to write a note to encourage someone this week!

Senior Gigi Jimenez shared how God has impacted her life at both middle school and high school chapels. She is an inspiring young lady that God is using on our campus in a mighty way.

ACADEMICS

Rising Senior Night will take place **Tuesday, March 7 at 7:00pm.**

This is a special night planned for our Class of 2018 students and their parents. A letter is being mailed home today with details!

ACT Registration Date

Friday, March 3, 2017

Test Date

Saturday, April 8, 2017

SAT Registration Date

Friday, April 7, 2017

Test Date

Saturday, May 6, 2017

Class of 2017: The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is available online.

Please visit studentaid.ed.gov to apply. Please contact Samantha Davis at 561-686-8081 with any questions.

IN THE ARTS

Rehearsals for **Peter Pan** are underway! Mark your calendars for May 5 and 6 for this wonderful ACA production of a classic Disney story.

Elementary choir rehearsals take place on Mondays and Fridays from 3-4pm. **Elementary praise team students** rehearse Tuesdays and Fridays from 3-3:45pm. **Middle school praise team students** rehearse Mondays and Wednesdays from 3-3:45pm. **High school praise team students** rehearse in the chapel room every Thursday from 3-3:30pm.

ATHLETICS

Elementary volleyball is in full swing, and the little sharks took a tough loss on Tuesday against Trinity Christian School. The girls made a great comeback in the second set and won; taking the game to a third set. They played a tough game and held their heads high after losing the third set. The girls will play at home next week on Tuesday, 2/28 and Thursday, 3/2. Go Sharks!

Elementary basketball will start on Monday, March 27. *Details to follow...*

The middle school co-ed flag football season is approaching soon, with tryouts starting on March 6. There will be optional preseason workouts held on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 3:15-5:00pm on the north field. All students must have their physical forms turned in to participate.

The **varsity baseball team** had their home opener on February 23. The coach is looking forward to a great season with the talent that we have. The boys have a big week ahead and will play away against Boca Christian, Sheridan Hills, and Lake Worth Christian. Go Sharks!

Please visit our athletics page on the website for our athletics calendar, game changes, and directions to away games. Check out the TWIS (*This Week In Sports*) for a weekly overview of athletic events at ACA.

Are you a student in need of community service hours? Are you a parent interested in volunteering at games? Or are you looking for employment opportunities in athletics? If interested, contact Athletic Director Jarid Fagin at 561-686-8081x3455. We are accepting coaching applications at this time.

REMINDERS



Please remember to “like” us on [Facebook](#) to stay connected with instant updates on campus life at ACA. You may also refer to our [website](#) to obtain the most current information and all upcoming events at your school. As always, please contact us with any questions or concerns @ 561-686-8081.

Café Menu February 27 – March 3

- M** BBQ meatloaf
- Tu** Sweet ‘n sour chicken with lo mien noodles
- W** Cornbread chicken pot pie bake
- Th** Grill Day! Chicken, hot dogs, or burgers with tater-tot casserole and corn on the cob
- F** Fresh fruit or chips with pizza: your choice of pepperoni, bacon, cheese, or the pizza special-of-the-week

This Week	
Sat, Feb 25	ACA Community Workday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
M-F, Feb 27-Mar 3	Spiritual Challenge Week Elementary and Middle School
On The Horizon	
M-Tu, Mar 6-7	Spiritual Challenge Week High School
Tu, Mar 7	Rising Senior Night 7:00 pm
Th-F, Mar 9-10	FACCS High School Fine Arts Competition Jacksonville

F, Mar 10	Family Movie Night Under the Stars 6:30 pm
M, Mar 13	Moving to Middle School Night 6:00 pm
F, Mar 17	Elementary Track & Field Day Noon Dismissal Grades K5-5
	End of Third Quarter
M-F, Mar 20-24	No School for VPK-12 Spring Break Preschool In Session



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3 John 4 *"I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth."*