



## School News

*October 17, 2018*

**SCHOOL LUNCH ORDERS** – November lunches are open and will close **TOMORROW, October 18<sup>th</sup>** at midnight. December lunches are also open and will close on November 15<sup>th</sup>.

**BOX TOPS** – Please send in all the Box Tops you've been saving for the first Box Tops cut off date by **Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>**. There will be small prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place at the end of each quarter and a big prize at the end of the year for the winning classroom.

**SPIRIT JEAN DAY** – Our next monthly Spirit Jean Day will be Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**AUCTION VOLUNTEER MEETING** – Will be in the AOA conference room at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>.

**NOVEMBER RESTAURANT DAY** – Will be ALL DAY at McKenzie's Barbeque & Burgers in Huntsville on Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>.

**VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION AND TAKE A VETERAN TO SCHOOL DAY** – Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. If you can help with the Veterans Day activities please contact Dana Brenton ASAP at [aoa\\_library@yahoo.com](mailto:aoa_library@yahoo.com) or (936)689-3548. See attached flyer for details.

**STUFF THE BUS** – The *final collection day will be Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup>*. There will be boxes in the classrooms or your children may drop off items in Mrs. Stroud's classroom, #107. We are collecting any canned/dry foods such as soups, beans, rice, mac & cheese, canned meats and vegetables... There will be 3 competitions for 1<sup>st</sup> period/homeroom with an ice cream party for the winner of each division: Grammar, Junior High, and Senior High.

**TO PURCHASE YEARBOOK AD SPACE** – Please see the attached document for specific instructions. Senior dedications may be done this way as well. Other student dedications will be sold at a later date.

**LIBRARY VOLUNTEERS** – Parent and/or grandparent volunteers are urgently needed in the library to help with shelving books, preparing books for circulation, and many

other tasks. If you have some time to donate to our school, please contact Dana Brenton at [dbrenton@alphaomegaacademy.org](mailto:dbrenton@alphaomegaacademy.org) or (936)689-3548.

**LUNCH VOLUNTEERS** – Please remember that we need parent and/or grandparent volunteers each day to help serve lunch. If you, your spouse, or your parents serve a minimum of twice per semester, your child(ren) will receive a free dress day at the end of the semester. To sign up, please go to <http://signup.com/go/ckOVuig>.

**ATHLETIC WEBSITE** – All of AOA’s athletic information and sports schedules can be found on our website homepage on the school calendar or under the “Student Life” drop down menu. Select “Athletics.”

**SPORTS TICKET PRICES** – Our AOA families and students can purchase game tickets in the front office up to 3 p.m. of game day. Prices are \$3 for adults and FREE for students. After 3 p.m. tickets must be purchased at the gate. The gate/event prices are \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

October 18 – November lunch orders close / Smokey the Bear visits Pre-K

October 19 – SCHOOL HOLIDAY

October 22 – Box tops due

October 23 – Kindergarten field trip to Huntsville Brookshire Brothers / 1<sup>st</sup> grade and Interact field trip to Safety Town at Kate Barr Ross Park

October 24 – 7<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to Mission Tejas / 9<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to SHSU

October 25 – Secondary Awards

October 26 – Grammar Awards

October 30 – 7<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to TSU

November 2 – Spirit jean day

November 6 – Pre-K & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade field trip to P6 Farms

November 7 – Auction volunteer meeting

November 8 – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade field trip to Barrington Farm / Restaurant day at McKenzie’s

November 9 - Veterans Day Celebration and Take a Veteran to School Day

November 16 – Final collection day for Stuff the Bus / 8<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to Liendo Plantation

November 16 – Jr. High spelling bee

November 19 – 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade spelling bee

November 20 – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade spelling bee / 4<sup>th</sup> grade field trip to Washington-on-the-Brazos