

School News

October 2, 2019

STUFF THE BUS - There will be boxes in each homeroom classroom so that your child(ren) may drop off items *through this Friday, October 4th*. We are collecting any canned/dry foods such as soups, beans, rice, mac & cheese, canned meats and vegetables... This opportunity is sponsored by Interact.

YEARBOOK INFO & DEADLINES – Your family or business can sponsor a yearbook page for \$25. Hurry in to the office to purchase the sponsor page of your choice. See the upper right corner of p.85 of the 2019 yearbook for an example. "Page Sponsored by...." <u>The deadline to purchase BUSINESS ads is October 7th</u>. Pre-K – 11th grade student dedications will be sold later. <u>kdavis@alphaomegaacademy.org</u>

OX CART SALE – Tuesday, October 8th, 8:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Proceeds from the sale of homemade jewelry, nativity sets, keychains, yarn dolls, cakes, honey, brownies, and a few surprises will benefit the Eastern European Missions that help supply Bibles to public schools in Russia and also our Operation Christmas Child project.

McTEACHER NIGHT – 11th Street location only, October 8th, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

PICTURE RETAKE DAY – Student picture retakes will be Monday, October 14th. Students are to wear their school uniforms.

BOX TOP COLLECTION DEADLINE – Printed box tops are being phased out so please send any you currently have to school by Thursday, October 17th.

AOA FUN DAY AT THE STATE PARK – Friday, October 18th, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. Admission is free for AOA families and lunch will be provided. (Boat rentals will be parents' responsibility.) There will be a gator presentation, fishing, and guided hike starting at 11 a.m. Come and enjoy the great outdoors and a great time of fellowship with your school family.

PTF TAILGATE – Will be held on Friday, October 25th at the JV and Varsity football games. Food and spirit items will be for sale beginning at 4:30 p.m. Please plan to come out and support our AOA Lions as they play St. Joseph's!

TURKEY TROT FUN RUN – PTF invites you to participate in this year's Turkey Trot on November 7th. You can enjoy a cup of hot cider, bounce houses, and a face paint station. All funds raised go to a new school van, which will be present on the day of the run. Any student who raises \$50 before October 21st will get a free long sleeve t-shirt. Any student who raises \$250 will be recognized on the day of the run, and they will be given a free dress day. The class that raises the most money will receive an ice cream party. Sign up at www.getmovinfundhub.com. See attached flyer for details.

AOA PRAYER NIGHT – Thursday, November 7th, 5:45 – 6:30 p.m.

RECYCLING FOR AOA - There is a new passive fundraising opportunity at AOA. TJ Burdett and Son's Recycling will now accept donations and give the proceeds to Alpha Omega Academy. See attached flyer for more information.

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 <u>https://signup.com/go/WWsCPuV.</u>

SPORTS TICKET PRICES – Our AOA families and students may 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. Football and volleyball passes (High School only) may be purchased in the front office for \$35.

PARTNERING WITH PARENTS – A parent resource section where Mr. Allen, Headmaster, will share website addresses to helpful articles or videos each week. Check them out! We hope parents find them as helpful as we have.

https://www.desiringgod.org/articles/you-dont-need-more-parenting-advice

https://www.crossway.org/articles/infographic-how-is-your-phone-changing-you/

UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 3 HS Volleyball Pink Out game / 3rd grade to public library
- October 4 Last collection day for Stuff the Bus
- October 7 Deadline to purchase yearbook business ads
- October 8 Ox Cart Sale / McTeacher Night
- October 11 HS Football Pink Out game
- October 14 Picture retakes
- October 17 Deadline to submit printed box tops

- October 18 AOA Holiday / AOA Huntsville State Park Fun Day
- October 23 4th grade field trip to TDCJ Pharmacy
- October 24 Secondary Awards
- October 25 Grammar Awards / PTF Tailgate
- October 30 Pre-K field trip to P-6 Farms / 7th grade field trip to Chamber Theatre Productions
- October 31 HS Quilting Class field trip to the International Quilt Festival
- November 5 Restaurant Night @ Chipotle
- November 7 Turkey Trot Fun Run / AOA Prayer Night
- November 11 Veteran's Day Celebration & Take a Veteran to School Day
- November 26 4th grade field trip to Washington on the Brazos

November 27-29 – Thanksgiving Holiday