



Fall Social

Back to School Back Yard BBQ!

Join us September 25th for our annual Fall Social. Enjoy hamburgers, hotdogs, chicken nuggets, macaroni & cheese, and all the sides for a fabulous meal. Let's not forget the unforgettable dessert bar! Ice tea and lemonade are included and additional beverages will be available for purchase. Enjoy the sounds of your favorite DJ and be entertained by our face painters, balloon twister, hula hoops, limbo contest and so much more!



Adults are \$8, children are \$6. LOOK for more information about ticket sales next week.

Volunteers Needed for Fall Social

Many volunteers are needed to make this an event to remember. Areas with help needed include: Bartenders, food servers, set up, and dessert organizers. If you are interested in helping out while hanging out with friends, please contact Kathy Hlinka at acavolunteers@gmail.com, with the Subject Line: FALL SOCIAL.

Please remember you **DO NOT** have to be fingerprinted for this event since children are under direct supervision of their parents.

SCRIP Now Open Two Days Per Week!

That's right! The SCRIP office is now open 2 mornings per week. Visit us in the upstairs workroom on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Now more retailers than ever... new retailers include Nike (12%, outlet store included) and Aeropostale (7%). Check out the growing retail list at www.glscrip.com. Did you hear? SCRIP families saved over \$10,000 on August tuition payments. Have questions regarding the SCRIP program? Please contact Jill Drafts at (407) 464-0163 or jdrafts@earthlink.net. Buy SCRIP now, pay less tuition later!

Advertise in the School Directory

Don't forget to advertise your business in the school directory! You can put a business card size ad in the directory for only \$30! The ad must be in by Wednesday, September 2nd, with checks made payable to ACA. If you have any questions please contact Dawn Perrone at 407-884-8171.

ACA Beginning Band Looking For New Recruits

Learn to play Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone, Baritone Horn, or percussion. Any student in grades 4 through 7 is eligible to join the Beginning Band. Learning to make music builds thinking skills that will help improve grades! ACA also has one of the finest band programs in the Diocese of Orlando! We will be having our Band Orientation Night on Thursday, August 27th, at 7pm in the Cafetorium. Allegro Music Centre will be there to take care of instrument rentals/purchases. If anybody is interested, but cannot attend Band Orientation Night, you may call Mr. Hudson at (407) 810-0669, or you may email him at slide69@earthlink.net. You can also check out our website at www.musicedservices.net (click on the ACA Band link).

Stage Band Performs at Band Orientation Night

The ACA Stage Band kicked off the Band Orientation Night with a new arrangement of "Mustang Sally" featuring this year's members. Gold Stars to Mr. Hudson and the students who learned the song over the summer: John Becher, Ines Botto, Morgan Davis, Larissa Farley, John Mackin, Corey Marcous, Alex Martini, Aleena Parpia, Catherine Ridgeway, Abby Sprinkle, and Wil Vega. If you missed the meeting and have a student in grades 4-8, please contact Brad Hudson for details on our impressive band program at slide69@earthlink.net or call him at (407) 810-0669.

K – 5th: Get Ready to Play CYL Soccer

Your kids will have a blast with CYL. What a great way to have fun with classmates and make new friends! Register now for the 2009 Soccer season – registration MUST be received by 9/11. The season begins on September 27th and runs through November 15th. No prior experience necessary. Registration forms are located on the ACA website at www.annunciationacademy.org (look under the Recently Updated section) or you can pick one up the next time you are in the school office. Return your completed forms including payment to the school office by September 11th. Email your questions to Layne at missigman@earthlink.net.



Edline Activation Codes

Edline.net is an easy way for parents to keep up-to-date with school information including newsletters, announcements, calendars, and, grades for students in grades 2 through 8. Parent account activation codes and instructions were sent home last week for parents of new students and for accounts that have not yet been activated. If you did not receive your activation code, please contact Janet Shearer in the front office.

Emergency Cards

Parents, if you have not turned in your emergency clinic information cards to the office, please do so. These cards are essential in caring for your child in the event of an illness or injury. If you do not have enough cards, please stop by the office and get more. We need to have one card per child on file.

Gold Stars:

★ Gold Stars to the following students who distributed nearly 400 School Supply Kits the Monday before school began: **Frankie Rapprich, Kristine Rapprich, Mark Voitik, Christine Anez, Tara Vandendriessche, Sammy Conner, Dani Noonan, Ines Botto, Marianna Wharry, Claire Ferry, Allison Bahng, Ryan Bahng, Thomas Montoya, Laura Montoya, Rebecca Ashley, Katie Macpherson, Ellen Baker, Amanda Cooksey** and **Catherine Ridgeway**. Also helping were alumni **Jamie Jacoby** and parents **Connie Conner, Theresa Newcomer, Alex MacPherson** and **Barb Bahng**. Thank you to everyone for your help and hard work. This huge task could not have been done without all of you.

★ They have done it again! The 4th grade boys' (now 5th graders) CYL basketball team went undefeated and won the championship for the 2nd summer in a row!! Competition was fierce as some of the other teams really wanted to beat us, but our team worked hard and earned that trophy! Congratulations to **Parker Blystone, Michael Cooksey, Sean Chmielarski, Evan Hernandez, Nick Horn, Christian LaBrecht, Grant Ogier, Shaun Stafstrom, Noah Thornburgh** and **Max White**. Well done guys!



Calendar

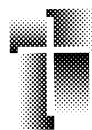
- August 25:** Magazine Drive Began
August 28: Magazine Drive Turn-in Day
September 1: School Pictures
Mass Day 8:30 am Parents Welcome
September 3: Middle School Back to School Night 7pm
September 4: Magazine Drive Turn-in Day
September 7: Labor Day – **No School**
September 10: K-5 Back to School Night 7pm
September 11: Magazine Drive Turn-in Day
September 15: Mass Day 8:30 am Parents Welcome
September 17: Diocesan Inservice – **No School**
September 18: Diocesan Inservice – **No School**
September 22: Magazine Drive Ends, Last Turn-in Day
Principal's Coffee K-2nd 8:05am
September 25: Fall Social 6-9pm, Family Life Center
September 20: Principal's Coffee K-2
October 5-16: Iowa Test of Basic Skills (Grades 3-8)
October 6: Mass Day 8:30 am Parents Welcome
October 9-11: Fall Festival
October 16: End of 1st Quarter
No School for K-5, Parent Conferences
Middle School attends school

2009-2010 Handbook Online

The student handbook is available online. Go to our home page at annunciationacademy.org, click on the tab on the left side of the screen called About ACA, and then click on the link to the handbook. After you have read the handbook, please sign the acceptance forms (two). The link for the forms is at the top of the Handbook screen. Print, sign and return these forms to the teacher no later than August 31st.

Tuition Payments

Tuition payments are due on the 1st of the month and are considered late after the 5th. **Please** put your child's name on the actual check so that fees can be attributed to the correct account as efficiently as possible.



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