



Collegedale Academy Newsletter
December/January 2008/09

CHRISTMAS VACATION

Begins Dec. 18 at 11:15 AM
2nd Semester begins on Jan. 5 at 8 AM.

SENIOR PARENTS

Please begin selecting pictures of your senior now for the Senior Tributes. Pictures should include one baby photo, informal & formal senior photos with up to two other photos—only five total, please. Due: January 9, 2009.

Senior class trip: \$150.00 is due by Jan. 30.

2ND SEMESTER SCHEDULES

A second semester schedule has been included in this mailing. Students may change schedules only during the first three weeks of the semester.

RE-APPLICATION FOR 2009-2010

Grades 9-11 have re-applications included in the 1st semester grade packets. Here is the schedule for re-applications/fees:

- Jan--\$25—current students may re-apply
- Feb.--\$25—open application
- March-May--\$75 open application
- June-August--\$100 open application

FINANCIAL AGREEMENTS FOR 2009-2010

Those with students at both CA and AWS may fill out one financial agreement for all students. This may be turned in at AWS.

LADIES CHORUS TRIP

Jan. 16-19 to Kettering, OH & Mt. Vernon Academy. Cost: \$125.00.

NO SCHOOL

Jan. 19—no school due to the MLK holiday

CLASS BASKETBALL GAMES

These games are scheduled for Jan. 31.
Time: TBA

CA CITRUS ORDERS

Enjoy Citrus fruit, fresh from Indian River FL, while supporting Missions at Collegedale Academy.

Available in January:

- Navels: Full box- \$28, ½ box- \$15
- Grapefruit: Full box- \$25, ½ box- \$14
- Tangelos (Honeybells): Full box- \$39, ½ box- \$22

Orders are due by Jan. 12. Pick up on Jan. 25

To order: call 396-2124 ext. 555 and record your order or send an email to citrus@collegedaleacademy.com . Pay when you pick up your fruit.

DUAL ENROLLMENT GRANT

Students (TN resident) who are enrolled in a dual enrollment class can complete the dual enrollment application for funding. The forms can be picked up at the front office, in Mr. Djernes' office or downloaded on the following web site: http://www.tn.gov/CollegePays/mon_college/apps_forms.htm. The form must be completed after Christmas break.

SA BANQUET

If you are interested and willing to help out with the SA banquet on February 15 contact the following:

Lynne Macias 423-396-2124 x 121

Barb Keizer 865-250-0215

Any questions contact Mr. Djernes 423-396-2124 x417

PARENTS OF SENIORS

If you have questions pertaining to the FASFA, College information, scholarships

for college, and careers contact Mr. Djernes
423-396-2124 x417

TUTORING

CA has several SAU students who are employed as tutors. Many students are getting poor grades (on the D, F, & I list and are in AIP for many grading periods) and tutoring can be of assistance in raising grades. However, many students with poor grades are resistant to tutoring and have all kinds of excuses why they don't need tutoring. If you want your son or daughter to get tutoring help contact Mr. Djernes 423-396-2124 x417 and tutoring can become part of the your son/daughters' schedule.

ACT--JUNIORS

The deadline for signing up for the April ACT test date is Feb. 27th. However, CA students are **STRONGLY** encouraged to sign up sooner since non-CA students may sign up for our test site & space is limited.

Go to www.actstudent.org

High school code: 430-400

Test center code: 184-726

Need/want to practice for the ACT? See Mr. Djernes for web access/passwords for practice tests online.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS

If your student has a medical condition that the school should be aware of, please let us know so that a notation may be made in the student database. This will be especially helpful in the event of field trips or other programs.

2008-2009 CALENDAR

The full calendar is available

at <http://www.collegedaleacademy.com/staff/registrar/>

HOT LUNCH

See the schedule under NEWS

at www.collegedaleacademy.com

STAFF DIRECTORY

The staff directory is available at

<http://www.collegedaleacademy.com/staff/registrar/>

PARENT PRAYER GROUP

Join us for Prayer any morning @ 8a- stay a short or long a time. It is in the conference room right next to the Library. Questions: call Litch 693-8807.

PLANNED ABSENCES:

Students who need pre-arranged absences for family trips, etc. **MUST COMPLETE A PREARRANGED ABSENCE FORM**, available in the school office. Failure to do so will result in unexcused absences. This form must be filled out and signed by a parent/guardian before obtaining faculty signatures. This form is then submitted to Ad Council. Ad Council meets each Monday afternoon. The form is also available at <http://www.collegedaleacademy.com/staff/registrar/index.html>

Students/Parents have 48 hours to correct their attendance.

TRANSPORTATION

If your student drives, you need to have filled out a transportation policy release form this year. These papers were vivid lime green and many have been sent home and returned. If you still need to read this policy and complete the form, please go to this link <http://www.collegedaleacademy.com/staff/registrar/index.html>

Are you getting the emailed *Weekly Update* each Thursday? If not, email Miss Conerly at kconerly@collegedaleacademy.com to be added to the parent email list.