



## What's coming up this week?

Monday 10/28	Tuesday 10/29	Wednesday 10/30	Thursday 10/31	Friday 11/1	Saturday 11/2
<ul> <li>FALL FESTIVAL</li> <li>Basketball @York West -5pm AWAY</li> </ul>		Happy Birthday Mrs. Fletcher! PHI Cares Visit Early Dismissal Volleyball State	<ul> <li>HALLOWEEN</li> <li>Volleyball State</li> <li>Cross Country Sectionals</li> <li>Girls Basketball vs Choctaw Co - 5pm AWAY</li> </ul>	• Volleyball State	• MS GIRLS Basketball @ Livingston JR HS - 12pm AWAY

### Stay up to date <u>Click here to see the online calendar</u>



Monday 10/28	Tuesday 10/29	Wednesday 10/30	Thursday 10/31	Friday 11/01
Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
Waffles	Cinn. Rolls	Muffins	Biscuit & Gravy	Cereal
Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk
Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
Mozz. Breadsticks	Chicken Sandwich	Pizza	Burrito	BBQ Sandwich
Green Beans	Baked Beans	Carrots/Celery	Corn	Cole Slaw
Or	Fruit	Or	Fruit	Or
To Go Salad	Milk	To Go Salad	Milk	To Go Salad
Fruit		Fruit		Fruit
Milk		Milk		Milk



Parents - please see the important email regarding our Title 1 programs. All parents & students need to complete the parent contact form and survey linked here:

UCS School-Parent Compact 2024-2025 Title I Parent Survey 2024-2025

### CHOOSING TO DO WHAT'S BEST EVEN WHEN YOU DON'T WANT TO



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### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

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### University Charter School <u>MAY</u> be closed on Thursday, October 31, 2024

In the event that our Varsity Volleyball team qualifies for the state championship match on Thursday, October 31st, we will close school for the day to allow all staff and UCS family the opportunity to attend and support the team!

This determination will be based on the outcome of volleyball matches on Wednesday, October 30th. As soon as we have the results we will communicate it out.

\*There will be no AFTER-SCHOOL care on Thursday, **if** UCS is closed\*



#### VARSITY GIRLS | JV GIRLS | JV BOYS

#### Tennis Tryouts Will Be Held November 11-14 At Jaycee Park

\*times will be announced at a later date

Players must email coach Katie by October 31 to sign-up for tryouts

kburrall@universitycharterschool.org



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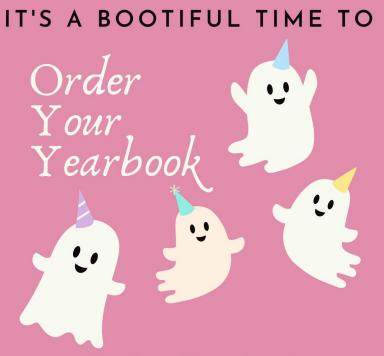
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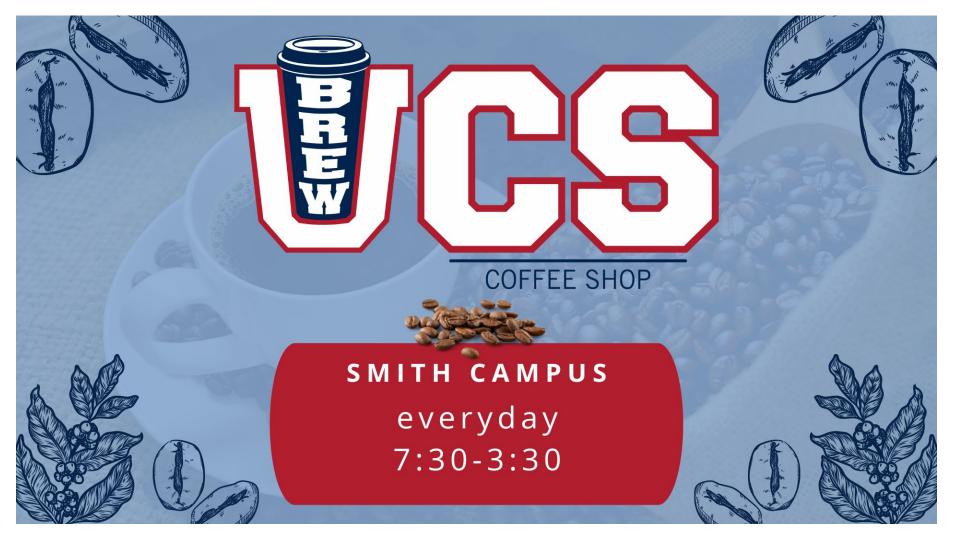
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Sale Dates october 14th-30th! QUESTONSP Email - kgibbs@university charterschool.org



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PTA [	Dates to Remember		UNIVERSITY CHARTER SCHOOL
Aug 12	Back to School		
Sept 03-18	Charleston Wrap Fundraiser		JOIN PTA TODAY! SCAN HERE TO JOIN!
Sept 12	PTA Meeting   Time and Location - TBA	F	
Oct 21 - Nov 06	Coca-Cola Fundraiser (Delivery on 11/20)		
Oct 28	fall festival		
Dec 10	Cookies and Milk with Santa		
May 5-9	Teacher Appreciation Week		
	UNIVERSITY CHARTER SCHOOL	Clic	k here for the google form!





October 21 - November 6



All UCS Students (PK-12th Grade)



Cases of 24-20 oz. drinks (\$27.50) or 12-10 oz. TUM E Yummies (\$13.00)



Week of November 18th Tentatively scheduled for November 20th



Cash or Check (Payable to UCS PTA)



Questions? Contact ucspta@universitycharterschool.org

### **UCS BLAZER BOOSTER CLUB**

### MEMBERSHIP DRIVE it's not too late to join

BASIC MEMBERSHIP : \$20

Annual membership

#### INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP : \$100

Annual membership All-sports pass for 1 individual

#### FAMILY MEMBERSHIP : \$200

Annual membership All-sports pass for family (includes individuals living in the household).





https://gofan.co/app/school/AL72789

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Spirit Wear Sale at HOCO Football Game Sept. 27th, 7-8 pm

Spirit Wear Sale at Home Volleyball Game Oct. 10th, 4 pm

Sweatshirt Pre-order Nov 1-15th

Fall Members Meeting Nov. 7th, 6 pm Smith Cafeteria

Questions: UCSboosters@universitycharterschool.org



OCTOBER 28 | 5 P.M. - 7 P.M. MCCONNELL FIELD

COSTUME CONTEST, PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST, CAKE WALK, PONY RIDES, INFLATABLES, GAMES, FACE PAINTING, BINGO, FOOD AND DRINKS, AND MORE FAMILY FUN!

Armbands - \$20, Individual Game Tickets - \$1 each Bingo, Food, and Haunted House are not included with arm band.



### PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

- Entries must be turned in at the Pumpkin Contest Table on the Lyon Hall front porch by 5:15 p.m. on Monday, October 28th.
- · All pumpkins must be decorated prior to arrival.
- . The main part of each entry must be a real pumpkin.
- Allowed decorations include: Carving, paint, glitter, drawings, paper, or materials of any kind.
- No plug-required electrical devices allowed. Battery operated lights are allowed.
- Any pumpkins not picked up after the Fall Festival will be discarded.
- · Do not write names on pumpkins. Entries will be assigned a number.
- Class entries are encouraged. If the winner is a class, the prize money should be used to benefit the classroom.

#### 1st Place - \$50 🍅 2nd Place - \$30 🍅 1st Place - \$20

### **COSTUME CONTEST**

5:30 p.m. at the Front Stairs of Lyon Hall <u>Categories Include:</u> Best Pair or Group Ages 0-1 (Infant) Ages 2-3 (Toddler) Ages 4-6 (Little Kids) Ages 7-12 (Big Kids)

Chilly Fest Pageant 2024

NAME:		_EMAIL:	
PHONE#:			40.5
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:	
		GRADE:	
SCHOOL:			

DIVISIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS: PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR DIVISION

Monday, December 9th 2024 at 6:00 pm: Jr. Miss (grades 6 - 8) Miss (grades 9 - 12)

Tuesday, December  $10^{th}$  2024 at 6:00 pm: Little Miss (K - 2) Young Miss (grades 3 - 5)

- Entry fee is \$ 40.00 made payable in advance to Chilly Fest and mailed or dropped off to the address below.
- Payment forms are due no later than Friday December 6<sup>th</sup> 2024.
- Please wear long, age-appropriate dresses. Make up should be age appropriate.

Chilly Fest Pageant 2024

 Contestants will receive communication via email about practice, and instructions for the day of the pageant.

If you have any questions, please contact Pam Stenz at ( 334 ) 654 - 0539 )

313 Marlowe Lane Linden, Alabama 36748

#### SUMTER COUNTY COMMUNITY IN ACTION COALITION

PRESENTS

#### STRENGTHENING FAMILIES PROGRAM

Livingston Community Center Livingston, AL



The Strengthening Families Program (SFP) is a family skills training intervention that provides Children's Life Skills, Parenting Life Skills, and Family Life Skills sessions to strengthen parenting and family functioning.

#### Families Served:

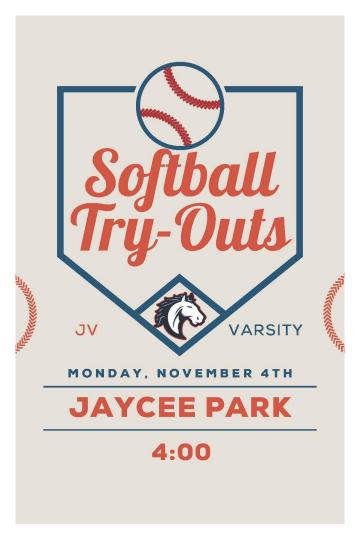
Sumter County will serve families with children 5-17 years old

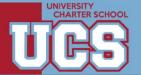
#### AGENDA:

- The program begins with a healthy home cooked meal where parents and children sit together, eat, talk and enjoy without the interruption of telephones and televisions and social media!
- Parents and children meet separately for 1-hour to participate in the parenting skills and children's life skills classes. Childcare for younger children and tutoring.
- 3. Participants complete a 14 session weekly program.

#### START AT 4:30-6:30 P.M. BEGINNING October 28, 2024

For additional information please contact Eleanor James, Coordinator/Facilitator Telephone:205-499-9566 E-mail: eleanorjames53@yhoo.com





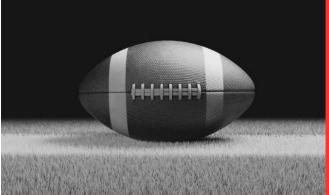
# PARENT CONNECT 2024-2025 Dates

Date	Topic(s)	Relevant Audience	Location	Time
9/12/24	State of the School Address PTA Meeting Title 1 Meeting	PreK-12th	Smith Gymnasium	5:30 PM
10/7/24	Post-Secondary Planning Overview	9th-12th	Smith Cafeteria	5:30 PM
10/28/24	UCS Fall Festival	PreK-6th	McConnell Field @ Lyon Hall	5:00-7:00 PM
11/4/24	Drug & Digital Safety Awareness	4th-8th	Smith Cafeteria	5:30 PM
12/10/24	Band Holiday Showcase PTA Meeting Milk & Cookies with Santa	PreK-12th	Lyon Auditorium	5:30PM
1/7/25	On-Site Uniform Sale CNP Showcase	PreK-12th	Smith Foyer & Cafeteria	2:00-6:00 PM
2/4/25	CTE Month Highlight	4th-12th	Smith Cafeteria	5:30 PM
3/10/25	ACAP Parent Meeting PTA Meeting	2nd-8th	Lyon Auditorium	5:30 PM
4/24/25	Secondary Programs Night	6th-12th	Smith Gymnasium	5:30 PM

### As of 2:19 pm October 11



# UPCOMING HOUSE CHALLENGES



### FRIDAY, OCT 25 -VARSITY FOOTBALL 7:00 PM UWA FOOTBALL STADIUM

CHECK IN WITH MRS. MEADOWS AT THE GAME. EACH PERSON ATTENDING GETS 1 HOUSE POINT. THE HOUSE WITH THE MOST PEOPLE ATTENDING GETS 100 ADDITIONAL POINTS!



Alabama State Department of Education Eric G. Mackey, Ed. D. State Superintendent of Education

### Help Child Find Locate Children with Disabilities

#### What Is Child Find?

Child Find is a statewide effort by the Alabama State Department of Education and the Department of Rehabilitation Services to locate, identify, and evaluate children with disabilities from birth to age 21.

#### How Does Child Find Work?

Early Intervention and Special Education Services work closely with community service agencies, parents, and local school systems to locate children with disabilities. A toll-free number is provided for parents or other persons interested in information about referring a child from birnk to age 21.

#### Why Is Child Find Important?

It helps the child, the family, and the provider to plan appropriate services and link families to services for students meeting eligibility requirements in the following disability areas:

n Hearing Impairment n Deaf-Blindness n Intellectual Disability n Multiple Disabilities n Orthopedic Impairment n Other Health Impairment n Emotional Disability

n Speech and Language Impairn n Visual Impairment n Specific Learning Disabilities n Autism n Traumatic Brain Injury n Developmental Delay

For more information about Child Find, contact your local school system, local coordinating council, or call

#### (205) 652-3848

Ages 3-21 1-800-543-3098 Birth through 2