October 2026

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ALETHEIA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY NEWSLETTER



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CHARLOTTE'S WEB DAY

Students in Mrs. Davis's 2nd grade class finished their first class novel: Charlotte's Web! They celebrated with a special day of journal writing, painting, and watching the classic film. Terrific!





THIRD GRADE ARTIFACTS

Mrs. Frame's 3rd grade class had a fun opportunity to get extra credit! They had to build an artifact from Asian culture and write a paragraph explaining what it is, where it originated, what its purpose is, and why it's culturally important. They created some amazing work! Go Lions!

EARLY ELEMENTARY CHAPEL

This year, VPK-3rd grade will gather in the gym for quarterly Chapel. Last month, they enjoyed their first Chapel together, filled with energetic music, an engaging lesson, and the joyful energy that makes Chapel such a special part of our school community.





ALPHABET FUN

Our littlest VPK Lions are working through the alphabet with Mrs. Lori and Mrs. Karyn, participating in fun activities for each letter. Here they are "fork painting" for letter F!

READERS' THEATER

Students in Ms. Gunter's 4th grade class had a great time performing fables in their classroom. In readers' theater, students read scripts from grade-level books or stories, practicing fluency and reading comprehension. Students work in groups to bring the story to life, making reading a more engaging experience.





ORDER IN THE COURT

Students in Mrs. Childers' class have been learning all about the three branches of government and recently had the opportunity to hear from someone who knows the judicial branch firsthand—a federal judge! He shared about his role and responsibilities as a judge. To top it off, every student had the chance to step into the role of judge by declaring, "Order in the Court!" and bringing down the gavel.

JOHNNY APPLESEED DAY

First graders in Mrs. Beck's class welcomed the beginning of fall with Johnny Appleseed Day. Students ate apple snacks, made apple art and played apple games like apple toss. It was a GREAT day!





CELL ANALOGY PROJECTS

Mr. Tripp's Biology class was assigned a cell analogy project in which they a had to relate the functions of the cell's organelles to those of another complex system, such as a school, city, factory, or farm, and then present their projects to the class. They did a great job!

SPANISH II CUISINE DAY

Students in Sra. Lanning's Spanish II class were tasked with translating a classic Latin recipe from Spanish to English, shopping for ingredients, and preparing the dish to share with the class. They then voted on which dish was their favorite, the most interesting, and most different.



SENIOR BUDDIES



The class of 2027 is our largest yet! They met with their Kindergarten buddies for the first time last month and are so excited to begin building community together and pass on their legacies to these young Lions.

RENAISSANCE FAIRE

After wrapping up their unit of medieval history, Mrs. Webb's 7th grade class enjoyed a Renaissance Faire, complete with costumes, a feast, and medieval games like jousting, sword fighting, and blind horse racing. They even imitated Michelangelo by drawing while lying on their backs. So fun!







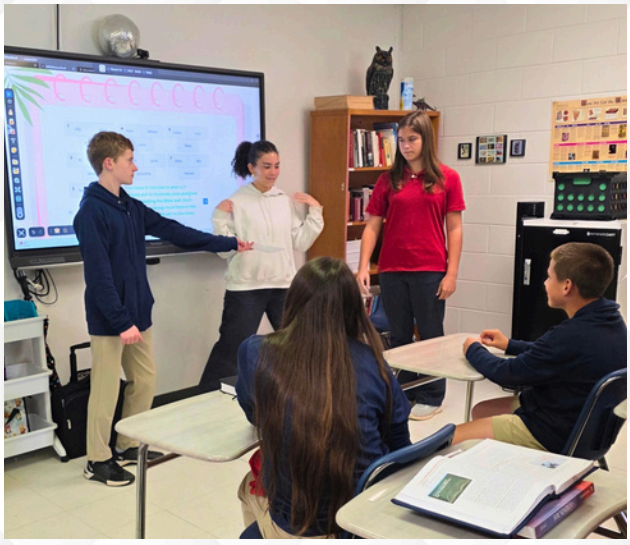


LIFE SKILLS CLASS

Middle school students participate in Music, Art, Coding, and Life Skills each week. In Life Skills class with Coach Nance, 8th graders learned how to properly perform CPR and administer first aid to someone in need.

HIGH SCHOOL BIBLE

Ninth grade Bible students put their creativity to work by creating skits that demonstrated important steps for reading and understanding the Bible well. Topics included choosing a reliable translation, understanding the historical context of a passage, and using helpful Bible study tools such as commentaries.



PIE-A-SENIOR FUN

One of our favorite fundraisers, Pie-a-Senior, was a huge success this year! Students and staff lined up for the chance to pie their favorite seniors, all while helping raise more than $1,300 toward the seniors' Costa Rica trip this March.



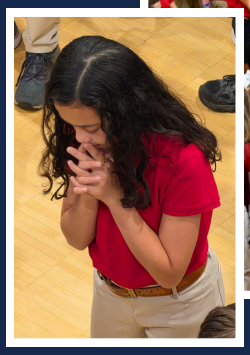
Thank you for making this fundraiser such a success and for supporting the Class of 2027!

SEE YOU AT THE POLE











"For where two or three are gathered together in My name, there I am in the midst of them." Matthew 18:20



FEED THE NEED

All Aletheia families are invited to our Feed the Need Family Fest on **Thursday**, **October 15th at 4 p.m.**

Families will enjoy games, snacks, an inflatable, and **FREE** Chick-Fil-A for dinner.

Students who attend will earn a plain clothes and families will have a chance to win some amazing door prizes, such as $1,000 off tuition, $250 sports fee waived, gift cards and more!

RSVP HERE





IXL VOCABULARY BOWL

Students in 5th–12th grades can put their vocabulary skills to the test in the IXL Vocabulary Bowl, competing against students nationwide! The competition runs October 1–November 30, with recognition and rewards for top participants and classes.

Elementary will compete against high school! Who will take the top prize?





A Resource for Parents: Axis

Keeping up with what your teens are seeing, hearing, and talking about can be a challenge. Axis offers Christian resources to help parents better understand today's culture and have meaningful conversations with their kids. Check out The Culture Translator, podcasts, videos, and parent guides for practical help along the way.

Explore more at axis.org.



The weather is changing. Stock up on all your warm Lion gear at our Spirit Store!

SPORTS NEWS

Our Cross Country team has shown tremendous growth this year. Come out and support them in their last local meet this season!

EscaRosa Championship Oct 22nd

Escambia County Equestrian Center
4:00 PM Girls Varsity
4:40 PM Boys Varsity
5:10 PM Girls and Boys JV

Volleyball Regionals

10/8-10/10 @
South Baldwin

Soccer Regionals

10/8-10/10 @
Lighthouse Baptist

FINAL FOUR

10/16-10/17
Soccer @ Aletheia
Volleyball @ East Hill

CYSL Winter Basketball

Who: Boys & Girls in 2nd - 8th grades

When: 11/15/26-2/7/27

How: Sign up HERE by 10/17



Our golf teams are competing well this season!
Follow Aletheia Athletics for all tournament results.

APA NEWS

- Our next meeting is Friday, October 2nd at 8am at Jesus Holy Tabernacle Church.
- Sign up here to bless our teachers with a soup/salad bar on October 15th: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4AABA82DA6FACE9-65424751-fall
- We will continue the tradition of a Moms' breakfast on October 27th. Doors will open at 8:15 a.m. at Jesus Holy Tabernacle Church. This will be a potluck style breakfast with food provided by the APA moms. All Aletheia moms will be invited to come share in a time of fellowship and hear a brief encouraging word. Be on the lookout for a sign up and form to RSVP.
- We will have a Dad's lunch in November- more info to come!

GUIDANCE NEWS



11th graders will take their PSAT/NMSQT Test on October 21.
PSAT/NMSQT Student Guide

2027-28 FAFSA opens on October 1
https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/fafsa-support

Scholarship Links: https://linktr.ee/acaguidance

Asbestos Management Plan

Federal law requires Aletheia to have an Asbestos Management Plan prepared by an EPA certified planner. This plan is required even though no asbestos containing material was used in the construction of the school, as certified by the construction company that built Aletheia. This law also mandates that we inform all parents and staff members that this plan is available for viewing in the school office.

