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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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ACS Mission Statement:

**“To serve the Lord by providing a Christ-centered,
quality academic educational program.”**

WORD OF THE WEEK: SERVANT

Being a servant is important. If we are servants for God, people will see God shining through us. John 12:26 says, “Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, my servant also will be. My Father will honor the one who serves me.” This says whoever serves Jesus, God will reward them with eternal life in heaven with Him. So serve Jesus in all you do, and you will be rewarded with eternal life with God and Jesus. By: **Cullen Matillano**

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL

The 1st through 3rd grade Christmas musical, "Camel Lot," is this Thursday, December 3rd, at 6:30pm. Please plan to attend and bring your family and friends for this glorious event! Students must be at school at 6:00 PM. 1st graders will meet in their classrooms. 2nd graders will meet in the Montgomery Church Fellowship hall. The 3rd graders will meet upstairs in the Seminar Room. Please do not drop off the students before 6:00 PM, as the Seminar Room is used by the ACS Daycare until then.

DRESS REHEARSAL

This Wednesday, December 2nd, is the dress rehearsal for the 1st through 3rd grade Christmas musical, "Camel Lot." Students are to wear regular uniform clothing to school, and bring their costumes to school to change into after lunch for the rehearsal. There will be another rehearsal after lunch on Thursday, as well, but it is NOT a dress rehearsal.

BOOKFAIR

The book fair is in Mr. Adams's office this week! They will be open from 7:30 AM until about 4:30 each afternoon. They will also be open the night of the musical, from 6:00 until a half an hour after the musical. The book fair will leave us on Friday shortly after the assembly. Please stop by and see all of the wonderful books on display, and pick up a stocking stuffer or two!

HALF-DAY FRIDAY (\$2.00 DAY)

This Friday is a half-day for a teacher's in-service. It is also a non-uniform for \$2.00 day. The Student Council uses the money raised from this event to help out a less fortunate family at Christmas. They go shopping and buy them whatever they can to help their dreams come true this holiday season. Feel free to donate more money to the cause if you would like to help!

CAR WASH TICKETS

The 8th graders are selling car wash tickets to Octopus Car Wash. They will be \$15.00, and are for "The Works" package. They will be selling the tickets for another week. The eighth graders will receive 50% to go toward their mission trip. The tickets are valid for five months.

BAKE SALE

This week, the eighth graders are holding a bake sale. All items will be sold for 50¢ and will help support their mission trip. The bake sale will be held after school for the entire week. You may also get your car wash tickets at the bake sale.

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Congratulations to the boys' basketball A & C team. **Both teams are still undefeated!** Their next game is this Thursday, December 3rd, at the Southwest Secondary Learning Center. The A team plays at 4:30, followed by the C team at 5:30. Please make plans to be there and cheer them to victory!

MILITARY BOARD

We have some volunteers who have put up a beautiful bulletin board in the front lobby to honor our family members who are serving overseas. If you have a family member that you would like to honor, please bring a picture and their dates of deployment. Thank you for your help in honoring those who are serving.

SCIENCE FAIR JUDGES NEEDED

The 15th annual ACS science fair is scheduled for Thursday, December 17th, and we are in need of judges. If you have a background in science, this can be a very rewarding and fun day. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Haley at the front desk or Miss Thomas, our science teacher here at ACS.

FOOD PANTRY

This year, we will continue to collect food for the needy families of Albuquerque. Thank you for your willingness to help with this cause. We have been collecting pasta and sauce and have filled the pasta section in their pantry! Thank you for being so generous with this cause! We will now be collecting **cereal** and **powdered milk**. You can drop your donation off in the blue tub located in the lobby.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT ACS

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| • November 30 th -December 4 th | ACS Bookfair |
| • December 3 rd | 1st – 3rd Christmas Production |
| • December 4 th | ½ Day (Non-Uniform for \$2 Day) |
| • December 14 th | Staff Christmas luncheon |
| • December 15 th | Pre-School – Kindergarten Christmas Program |
| • December 17 th | Mid-school Science Fair |
| • December 18 th | ½ Day (Last day before Christmas Break) |

Wednesdays – Faith Lift

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SCHOOL, STAFF, AND CHILDREN IN YOUR DAILY PRAYERS.

“Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, ‘Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests,’” (Luke 2: 13-14).