

Cougar News

October 1, 2008

Upcoming Events

10/01 NED Presentation
Grades K-8

10/3 Conferences
Elementary: 8-6
HS: 1-6

10/6 No School
Teacher Professional
Day

10/7 Conference
HS: 8-12

10/11 Fall Festival
AIE
12-3

10/20 Market Day

10/30 Volleyball/Soccer
Team Pictures

10/31 Fall Parties
Grades K-8

10/31 Senior Play
The Wizard of Oz
7:00 p.m.

The Academy for Individual
Excellence
3101 Bluebird Lane
Louisville, KY 40299

Fall Festival

This year's Fall Festival will be Saturday, October 11th from 12-3 p.m. Each year the festival provides an opportunity to see school friends and their families in a fun atmosphere including games, a petting zoo, wagon ride, bouncer and great food. We hope that you make plans to attend and join us.

Layers, Layers

Each year as the change of season approaches, we like to take a minute to remind everyone about climate control in the building. Fall brings large deviations in temperature. In a building our size, it is difficult to maintain a temperature that is satisfactory to all. To help your child be comfortable, we recommend dressing in layers. Layers will allow your child to be warm during the chilly mornings and not overdressed for the warmer afternoons. We will continue to monitor the weather and make every effort to keep the building as comfortable as possible. Please contact the school office or your child's teacher if there are any concerns.

Presentations

On Monday, September 29th, the Kentucky Shakespeare Festival presented "Boy Meets Girl Meets Shakespeare" to our high school. This is a one-hour interactive workshop introducing romantic scenes from Shakespeare, as well as drama terminology and period information.

Today, October 1st, NED visited our school with grades K-8. NED uses yo-yo tricks to present an academic and character building message.

In addition to the variety of presentations that are brought in each year, we plan field trips to enhance our students educational experience. Be on the look-out for information for an upcoming trip for your child's class. Remember that field trip costs (except for additional food) are covered in the tuition.

Senior Play

Each fall, our seniors come together to produce a play. This production not only allows them the opportunity to come together as a senior class, it gives us the opportunity to see our students in a whole new light. Each year is a treat and this year should be no different as the class of 2009 presents "Wizard of Oz.". Play dates are Friday, October 31st and Saturday, November 1st. Ticket information will be coming home soon.

Go Cougars

Good luck to our soccer and volleyball teams as they prepare for the KCAA State Championships. Congratulations to our elementary & middle school cross country team on their inaugural season. The bowling team has also kicked off their season as well.

Thought for the Day

Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later." **Og Mandino**