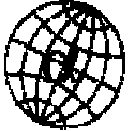


PLEASE RETURN THIS **TOP PORTION** OF NEWSLETTER TO HAVE YOUR STUDENT'S NAME ENTERED IN **FEBRUARY'S** MONTHLY DRAWING!

Parent's Signature: _____ Phone: _____

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

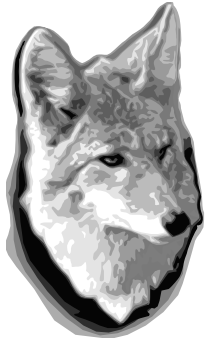


**ALPHA
ACADEMY**

ELEMENTARY
1906 Morganton Road
910-323-2265

MIDDLE SCHOOL
907 Hay Street
910-223-7711

Fayetteville, NC
28305



P.T.F. TALKS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Copy of School Calendar Available in Office

Mon., Feb. 18th:

NO SCHOOL – Pupil Holiday
President's Day Observed

Thurs., Feb. 21st:

"Jump Rope for Heart"
Myers Recreation Center - 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
Support our students & the American Heart Association

Tues., Feb. 26th:

"READ IN DAY" - 1:00 – 2:00 pm
Read with a Student

Thurs., Feb. 28th:

PTF sponsored
Black History & Multicultural Night
Myers Recreation Center - 6:00 pm

Thurs., March 13th

Spring Pictures
Class & Individual Pictures

Black History & Multicultural Night

G. B. Myers Recreation Center
1018 Rochester Street, Fayetteville, NC 28305

Student Presentations-Door Prizes- Refreshments



Wells-Barnett



Carver



HURRY Order Your Full Color Yearbook NOW!

\$25

Order Deadline....March 14th

Make Payments to Alpha Academy PTF

Ask your child for the payment envelope or send payment marked "Yearbook Order".

Teacher Feature:
WHO AM I?

READ-IT CHALLENGE!

Your Alpha student is now receiving points and tokens for reading material recommended by their teachers. Students who meet his or her reading and writing goal will have the chance to visit the Treasure Store.

We need many volunteers to help set-up, operate and supply the store with items to purchase by the student. The items should include "dollar store" gifts, school supplies, toys, games, sports equipment, electronic items, edible treats, etc.

Last Month's Answer:
Mr. Navarez - 5th Grade Teacher

INVOLVEMENT MATTERS!

Email: PTF@ALPHAACADEMY.NET

Call: 910-223-7711 ext. 106

Fax: 910-678-9011

Be the change you want to see!

Resource Center Coordinator / Community Outreach	C. Murrell	910-286-3533
Wellness Program	C. Emsley	910-670-5432
Reading Room / Library	R. Plummer	910-213-4020
Monthly Workshops	K. Nile	
Box Top Education	R. Plummer	910-213-4020
Educational Symposium	T. Spriggs	910-728-5561
Yearbook	T. Carter	910-536-9289
	M. Hearn	910-848-1560
"PTF Talks" Newsletter	C. Murrell	910-286-3533
School Beautification	needed	
Suggestion Boxes	T. Holeman	910-922-9717
Adopt-A-School	needed	
Cookie Dough (Fundraiser)	H. Ward	
Monthly Water Sales	C. Duncan	910-964-1368 910-717-2485
March of Dimes Walk	T. Holeman	910-922-9717

Please call 910-227-7711 ext. 106 or email PTF@ALPHAACADEMY.NET if you would like information about filling needed volunteer positions.

To all the Parents, Guardians, Faculty, Staff, Students and Community Leaders that support Alpha Academy . . .

Thank You

Parents Going Above & Beyond

Mrs. Plummer	Mrs. Sigouin
Ms. C. Hugh	Mrs. E. Brooks
Mr. Edmundson	Mrs. T. Carter-Gibbs
Mrs. Emsley	Mrs. C. Duncan



Every Child Can Achieve!

VOLUNTEER! IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

As A Reminder

If you are planning for your child to attend Alpha Academy for the 2008-2009 school year, please sign & return a **LETTER OF INTENT.**

Alpha Academy
Physical Education

Time: 12:30 – 2:00 pm

Location: Myers Recreation Center

Days: 2nd & 3rd graders - Tuesdays

4th & 5th graders - Wednesdays

6th, 7th, & 8th graders - Thursdays

Uniform: Navy blue T-shirt & Navy blue shorts or sweatpants.

EARN FAMILY INVOLVEMENT HOURS!

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ALPHA ACADEMY STAFF

- To provide a safe, positive and challenging learning environment.
- To communicate honestly and frequently regarding student progress
- To inform parents of student disciplinary actions in a timely manner
- To encourage parent involvement that is supportive of a positive school environment
- To make a good faith effort to resolve parent and student concerns
- To prepare lesson material that is interesting, challenging and appropriate for the student
- To treat parents and students with respect and kindness.
- To reward appropriate behavior and academic excellence.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF OUR PARENTS

- To model attitudes and behaviors that support Alpha Academy.
 1. Speak positively with student about the school and staff
 2. To address concerns in an appropriate manner
 3. Read and discuss with student the Student Behavior Guidelines as outlined in the Charter document
- To show respect for the school by assuring that students.
 1. Arrive on time and remain the full length of the school day.
 2. Comply with the school calendar for vacations
 3. Attend to every day health needs by assuring proper rest, nutrition, and recreation to promote well-being and readiness to learn
 4. Maintain a balance between activities outside of school and school responsibilities
 5. Adhere to the dress code
- To enhance learning by:
 1. Reading with your child
 2. Keeping abreast of your child's progress
 3. Monitoring completion of homework, projects, and class, work
 4. Giving positive reinforcement for appropriate attitudes and behaviors.
 5. Attending parent conferences
- To support Alpha Academy through volunteer support and open communication.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF OUR STUDENTS

- To come to school on time and prepared to learn with materials and assignments
- To communicate honestly and respectfully with adults and other students.
- To adhere to the dress code.
- To listen and follow directions in and out of the classroom.
- To keep the school facilities clean and safe.
- To exhibit attitudes and behaviors which encourage learning for themselves and others
- To treat fellow students, staff and volunteers with kindness and respect .
- To read and understand the Classroom Expectations and the Student Behavior Guidelines as outlined in the Student/Parent Handbook.