

MCS News

December 10, 2018

Pray without ceasing – 1Thessalonians 5:17

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS NO SCHOOL DECEMBER 19, 2018 – JANUARY 4, 2019

Lunch Menu December 10 – December 14

Monday – Zaxby's!

Tuesday – Asian Garden **or** Firehouse
Wednesday – Chick-fil-A **or** Firehouse
Thursday – San Miguel's (Quesadilla) **or** Firehouse
Friday – Pizza **or** Firehouse

Monday & Tuesday, December 17th & 18th – Half Days (no lunch served)

All lunches ordered online must be placed by **8:00 am** each morning. Thank you! ©

As of the month of November, Elementary students are <u>no longer allowed</u> to wear shorts to school until the month of April!

The Learning Tree

The Learning Tree is now open! It is designed for students in K5-5th grade that need a little **extra** help in Language Arts or getting prepared for tests. These sessions are taught **one-on-one** by Mrs. Oakes during the school day. If you are interested, please let your child's teacher know or contact Mrs. Oakes at 458-4973 (call or text).

LET'S GO LEOPARDS!

Track Parent Meeting

Thursday, Dec. 13, 2018 7:00 pm Auditorium

Basketball

12/10 – MCS vs Citronelle

JV Boys – 4:30 Varsity Girls – 6:00 Varsity Boys – 7:30

12/14 - @ UMSJV Boys - 4:30
Varsity Girls - 6:00
Varsity Boys - 7:30

Soccer Time

Elementary soccer sign-ups for grades 1 – 6 are now live @ tinyurl.com/MCsoccer19

Cost is \$105

CLICK HERE to view the entire calendar of events

Counselor's Corner

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

*Alabama Association of School Office Personnel will award up to \$1,000 scholarship to students pursuing a degree from a college of business or K-12 education. Please download and complete the AASOP Scholarship and submit by **February 1, 2018.**

*Smith Scholarship Foundation: Accountability Scholarship Program providing assistance to High School Seniors who have "given back" to their community through volunteer activities or by caring for family while overcoming financial and personal challenges. Up to \$15,000 a year in financial assistance. Applications with letters of recommendation must be submitted by **January 7, 2019**.

*New Scholarship at UA: UA Recognition - A student with a 21-24 ACT or 1060-1190 SAT score and a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 will be selected as a UA Recognition Scholar and will receive \$8,000 over 4 years (\$2,000 per year)

*FINANCE: BadCredit.org – just launched a scholarship offer that's available to students who are seeking a career in finance or a related industry. https://www.badcredit.org/scholarship/

*Prudential Spirit of Community Awards – access the application at https://spirit.prudential.com/awards/how-to-apply could win \$1,000 and a trip to Washington, D.C. in May.

*Alabama Home Builders Scholarship for more information go to https://ahbfoundation.org/index.php/scholarships (Due March 5th, 2019) Must be interested in pursuing one of these majors or something that will lead to residential building: Note: This list is not exclusive to other trades. Should an applicant demonstrate that their education will lead to a career in residential building, the AHB Foundation Scholarship Committee will consider the application for possible funding.

*Linly Heflin Scholarship - \$20,000 (Deadline Dec. 31, 2018) For more information or to apply go to

http://www.linlyheflin.org/scholarship-information/. The Linly Heflin scholarship awards Alabama women seeking help with their undergraduate degree at four-year accredited Alabama colleges and universities. Scholarships are awarded annually for four years or until graduation, whichever comes first. Applicants must be female, from Alabama, a U.S. citizen and must attend a four-year accredited Alabama college/university and full-time.

*Alabama State Grant Program is available only to students attending an eligible independent Alabama college or university. This is not a need based program. Grant amounts vary from year-to-year based on the availability of funds, but cannot exceed \$1,200 per academic year. Applications are available from the financial aid office at the institution you plan to attend. Application deadline dates are printed on the application form. The following institutions are the only participants of the Alabama State Grant Program: Amridge University, Birmingham Southern College, Faulkner University, Huntingdon College, Judson College, Miles College, Oakwood University, Samford University, South University – Montgomery, Springhill College, Stillman College, U.S. Sports Academy, University of Mobile. Please DO NOT submit this application to an institution not listed. Alabama Student Grant Program Application 2018-2019 (Please return completed application to the Financial Aid Office of the participating institution.)

Service Club Meetings

Tuesday mornings
7:30 am in the Cafeteria
*This is for all 9th-12th
grade students.

Gamma Phi Chi (Girls for Christ)

Monday mornings
7:30 am
Mrs. Patrice's PK3
classroom
*This is for all 6th-12th
grade girls.

Chick-fil-A Chicken Biscuits

Service Club sells chicken biscuits on Thursday mornings from

7:00 am-7:55 am.

Cost is \$3.00

Band Concert

Tuesday, December 11, 2018 7:00 pm

Gymnasium

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope."

-Romans 15:13