



AA WEEKLY



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Announcements

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SATELLITE YOUTH RALLY

Theme: "Now Change the World"

Where: HPAC

When: Friday, May 10th at 7:30-9:30pm and Saturday, May 11th 10:30am-1:30pm.

Lunch and Breakfast will be provided Saturday. There is no cost, just bring yourself and your friends. Also, there will be Gym Night at AA at 8pm. We hope to see you there.



Dedication prayer will happen during the 10am & the 11:45 services, this Sabbath at One Place for graduating seniors. Invite family and friends to thank God for the success the seniors have had in making it through their last year of high school.

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During the past few weeks, much time has been spent processing the topic of academic wear. We examined where we are today and how we want to move forward. Many opinions from faculty and student leaders have been heard. In the end, the general consensus is that:

Academic wear consists of a Lands End logoed shirt for tops. Jeans or slacks are appropriate for pants.

Before we make any final decisions on academic attire, we'd like to hear from you as parents. If you'd like to share your thoughts and/or opinions, please email Mr. Overstreet at overstr@andrews.edu. Thank you so much!

As the first year of our Academic Attire comes to a close, PPI would like to offer you the opportunity to donate any of the new or 'gently used' tops that your children will not be wearing next year. PPI will then sell these tops at a cost of \$5 to any who are interested. More information will be available next week on where to drop off and purchase the tops. Any questions please contact Jan Pickett, PPI President, at (269) 471-6140

~Mother's Day Dinner~
~Cafe Italiano~

May 12, 2013
 4 pm to 7 pm
 at Andrews Academy

RELAX THIS MOTHER'S DAY
 AND LET US COOK DINNER
 FOR YOU - COME ENJOY:

pastas, salad, garlic bread, juice and an assortment of desserts, including various Italian desserts.

Sponsored by the Freshman Class
 single: \$8
 Family: \$30 (4-6 people)

Please purchase tickets from an Andrews Academy Freshmen by May 8, 2013

Up-coming Events

- 5/13-17 Moratorium Week
- 5/16 Spring Band and Bells Concert
- 5/18 SA Beach Church/Vespers/Yearbook
- 5/20-23 Half Day—Final Exams (NO LUNCH)
- 5/24-26 Graduation Weekend



2013-2014 Student Charges

Tuition Rate Grades 9 - 12 (annual charge)	\$8,150.00
Parents Positively Involved (PPI) allocation (included in tuition)	10.00
Monthly - 10 payments (August - May)	815.00
Overload Charge (per unit above 6.1 units for the year)	1,358.00
Part time Tuition (per unit – 2.9 or fewer units for the year)	1,630.00
Fees Grades 9-12	
Registration Fee (Early Registration – Before May 31 - \$100)	200.00
Late Registration Fee (in addition to Registration Fee) (submitted within 2 weeks of the first day of the semester or after)	20.00
Check-out Fee (for failure to use the required check-out procedure)	15.00
Diploma Change	25.00
Diploma Fee (Graduation)	100.00
Grade Change / Schedule Change (after beginning of semester)	5.00
Lunch (students–2012-13 subsidized rate per meal–20 meals \$75.00)	3.75
International Student Deposit	2,000.00
International Student Registration Fee	200.00
International Student Insurance (approximate annual charge–AU)	950.00
International Student Housing (monthly-estimated)	Arranged - host
Transcript Fee (varies from \$5.00-\$10.00 depending on date required)	10.00

Financial Aid Applications

are available for pick up from Suzanne Young our Student Accounts Manager, or in the front office. The one on our website is out of date. Please do not use it. Her office hours are Tuesday & Thursday all day. You can also contact her at suzanne@andrews.edu or 269-471-2860.

THERE IS NO TUITION INCREASE FOR THE 2013-14 SCHOOL YEAR.

Our Merit based scholarship program has been discontinued. The current merit scholarships will conclude at the end of the 2012-13 school year. Due to this, we are reinstating our Family Discount Program. Here is the voted action regarding the family discount:

Voted: **FAMILY DISCOUNT**– A family tuition discount program is offered to parents who support two or more of their children enrolled at Andrews Academy. In instances when a family supports a combination of two or more of their children enrolled at Andrews Academy and a Southwest Michigan SDA elementary school, a tuition discount is available when two conditions are met. These conditions are that the operating subsidies from the sponsoring Adventist church must equal \$15 per member per year and that the church must also offer a similar discount. At the present time Ruth Murdoch as sponsored by Pioneer Memorial Church qualifies for this discount. In instances when the conditions are met, the discount rate is figured at 5% for two supported children, and 10% for three or more supported children. Both students must be enrolled full time to qualify.

Back Packing Tour



Awards Assembly

Each spring Andrews Academy recognizes the outstanding accomplishments of the students. This recognition includes awards for outstanding work in all classes such as English, math, business, social studies, sciences, languages, etc. Awards were also given for the religious contributions students have made, for involvement in the many music and physical education opportunities available at Andrews Academy. Recognition and awards were also given to the many students who take leadership responsibilities in such groups as Yearbook, Student Association, Expo, Sanjo etc.

Many students received awards for Honor Roll (maintaining a GPA of 3.0 or higher) and for maintaining all their attendance points. There was also a number of students who received awards for perfect attendance, meaning they were there on time for every school appointment and had NO excused absences (such as for illnesses, appointments, etc.) a number of years in a row.

Andrews Academy “top scholars” were also announced. Ten seniors of this year’s graduating class were recognized for their outstanding academic success.

As you can see we strive to recognize the many talents students have. It is at times like these that we as teachers stop and contemplate the high caliber of students we have. Students continue to work hard at developing your God given talents.



Spring Concert

Andrews Academy Spring Orchestra & Chorale Concert was held Tuesday evening May 7, 2013. This concert included the orchestra, chorale and silhouettes. The students did a wonderful presentation. The entire concert sounded great.

Thank you to Mr. Baker for giving a background for the music groups and musical selections. He was the MC for the evening. Also a big thank you to Mr. Flores for all the time and effort he puts into developing the skills of the students and presenting the concert.

It was a wonderful evening of great music.



Silhouette

and



Orchestra

Spring Picnic

The spring picnic began with students getting to chose, which sports event they wanted to participate in: volleyball, tennis, badminton, and baseball. There were also some games of basketball . It was good to see almost everyone participating in the games. It was also great to see the good sportsmanship on several separate occasions.

As part of any good spring picnic a picnic lunch was provided for each student. This was also the time that yearbooks were handed out to the students . Numerous groups of students sat together finishing lunch and looking through the yearbook.

The final event after lunch was the one mile eight person relay race . Each class had a team with the Juniors winning it in 3 min 59 sec, Freshmen in second with 4 min 00 sec, Sophomores third at 4:02, and Seniors fourth at 4:15.



Morning Devotions

Pastor Dwight Nelson presented chapel Tuesday morning. Challenging students to spiritual leaders not only at AA but as they graduate and come to AU that they be spiritual leaders for Jesus.



Micky begins a series of seniors who presents what they have learned about Jesus while here at AA. He shared of his move from china to here and his conversion story. He finally ended with encouraging his peers to keep their devotional relationship with God.



Teacher Appreciation Week

For teacher appreciation week students and PPI presented each teacher with a pin. As a student gave a teacher the pin Mrs. Pickett read what the student had written as they were thanking that particular teacher.



AA Yearbook



Congratulations are in order to Andrews Academy's yearbook staff. Andrews Academy has qualified as winner of Jostens National Yearbook Program of Excellence. There are very few schools that achieve this recognition.

Three Criteria:

1. ...Meaningful book for all students (More than 50 % of students appear 3 or more times in the book).
2. A book in every student's hands.
3. Effective project management (meeting all scheduled page deadlines. etc.).

Congratulations yearbook staff!!!

May Menu

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
		1. <i>Grilled cheese Tatar Totes Tomato Soup Bananas</i>	2. <i>Seasoned Pinto Beans Rice Corn Applesauce</i>	3. <i>Grillers on Bun Cheese/Tom/Let Tater Tots/Green Beans Apples</i>
6. <i>Bowtie Pasta w/Creamy Sauce Bread sticks Broccoli Pears</i>	7. <i>Cheese Pizza Mixed Green Salad Green Beans Fruit</i>	8. <i>Hot Dogs / on Bun Onion Rings Corn Applesauce</i>	9.	10. <i>Dinner Steaks Rice/Gravy Corn Fruit</i>
13. <i>Biscuit Pot-Pie Mix Green Salad Apples</i>	14. <i>Mac and cheese Corn Bread Spinach Mixed salad Fruit Salad</i>	15. <i>Chicken / Egg Salad on Wheat Bun Potato Rounds Pineapples</i>	16. <i>Orange Chicken Jasmine Rice Green Salad Bananas</i>	17. <i>Slice Turkey on Bun Let/Tom/Cheese Steak Fries Pears</i>
20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
 No Lunch 				

AA Front Office hours:

Monday-Thursday 8am-4pm

Friday 8am-2pm

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May Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Apr 28	29	30	May 1	2	3	4
			BACKPACKING TOUR 5:00pm NEW ENGLAND ED TOUR 3:30pm 4:30pm Spiritual Life Commi 5:30pm 8:00pm AA Board ACT Registration Dead			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
NEW ENGLAND ED TOUR! 8:00am 12:00pm SAT TESTING (AU)	Schedules Due to Grad 3:30pm 4:30pm NHS Elections (AA Chapel) 6:00pm 7:00pm Rehearsal Orch/Voc	8:30am 8:50am Sr Class Picture (AA) 8:55am 9:35am 9:20 Class 9:40am 11:05am Award 6:00pm 8:00pm Spring	Student Worker Evalu 3:30pm 5:00pm FACULTY MTG	If it's Bad Weather/Cla 8:00am 8:45am Devotions/Dedicatio n for 2014 8:50am 3:05pm SPRING PICNIC (AA)	8:00am 12:00pm AP Testing (Religion Rooms)	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		MORATORIUM WEEK 10:15am 11:05am NO ASSEMBLY 3:30pm 4:30pm Student Affairs Committee 6:00pm 8:00pm Rehearsal Band/Bells				9:30am 12:30pm SA Beach Church (Gran 5:00pm 6:30pm Baptism (??) 8:45pm 10:45pm SA Vespers/Yrbk Signin
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	FINAL EXAMS; 1/2 DAYS NO LUNCH No Early Departure Policy Applies				8:45am 9:55am Practice Marching-Jr 10:00am 11:30am Jr Class Meeting (AA C 8:00pm 9:30pm Consecration (Villag	9:30am 10:45am Parent Sabbath School (AA 11:45am 1:45pm Baccalaureate (PMC) 8:00pm 12:00am Faculty/Sr Party (??)
	9:25am 9:45am Devotions 9:55am 11:10am 9:20 Fi 11:20am 12:35pm 10:1	9:25am 9:45am Devoti 9:55am 11:10am 11:10 11:20am 12:35pm 2:25 1:15pm 2:00pm Practic	8:00am 9:15am 8:00 Fin 9:25am 9:45am Devoti 9:55am 11:10am 1:30 Fi 11:20am 12:35pm Kalei	9:25am 10:40am Noon Final 10:45am 12:00pm Mizp 7:30pm 10:00pm Senio		
26	27	28	29	30	31	Jun 1
10:30am 11:00am Sr Graduation Picture (PMC) 11:00am 12:00pm Commencement (PMC)		8:30am 1:30pm 3:30pm Academic Affairs Committee	1:30pm 3:30pm Student Affairs	Faculty Post-Session Week (AA) 1:30pm 2:30pm Recruitment/Retenti on Committee 4:00pm Grades Due		

