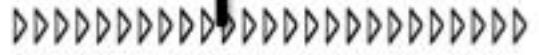




April



DACS DISPATCH / Spring Edition 2024

Spend Time in Nature

Important Dates

You've probably had this experience: The kids have been cooped up all morning and now you're heading out to the park, just to get them outside. In the car, they squabble and sulk — the oldest doesn't want to go, the second complains about the third's singing, the third begins to cry — and you're on the verge of losing it. No one, you're convinced, will make it back from this outing alive. But when the kids pile out of the car, everything changes. They begin running around, exploring, getting dirty, discovering rocks, and making up games. When it's time to pack up, everyone is cold, muddy, and hungry but miraculously transformed.

What happened, exactly? Call it the restorative power of nature. Scientists at the University of Illinois' found that time out of doors reduces symptoms in children with ADHD. They also demonstrated a link between exposure to nature and increased self-discipline in girls, and a third study found that vegetation reduces crime in urban communities. There is even evidence that nature makes people more caring. Kids that spend most of their free time sitting around playing video games or scrolling social media tend to suffer with obesity and related health problems, including prediabetes symptoms and sleep apnea. Many also have asthma, a condition that scientist believes is exacerbated by lack of exercise and lack of exposure to allergens they would routinely encounter if they spent more times outside.

Ellen White says, "God has surrounded us with nature's beautiful scenery to attract and interest the mind. It is His design that we should associate the glories of nature with His character. If we faithfully study the book of nature, we shall find it a fruitful source for contemplating the infinite love and power of God..." Psalm 19:1 says, "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork."

APRIL

- 4/8 Solar Eclipse
- 4/20 Education Day
- 4/22 Earth Day
- 4/28 Spring Fling Family Fun Day
- 4/29 8th Grade class trip

MAY

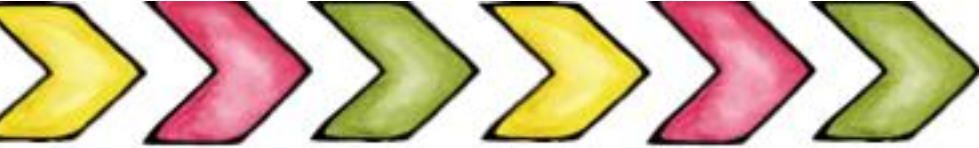
- 5/4 Pathfinder Lock In
- 5/6-10 Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5/10 NHS Spring Induction
- 5/15 Field Day
- 5/16 Red Carpet Awards
- 5/19 8th Grade Graduation
- 5/23 Kindergarten Graduation
- 5/24 Last Day of school
(NOON Dismissal)

The Hope of Easter



*Thanks be to God,
Jesus rose to life.
He conquered death,
all sin and strife.
To those who believe,
From death set free.
With hope, with joy,
their Savior to see.*





APRIL / Spring 2024



Pre-Registration has Begun!

Congratulations

It's that time again! Pre-registration began on March 1, 2024. For a deposit of \$200 for each child and an updated Jupiter, you can secure your seat for next year*. We have also added a couple of sweet promotion you may just be interested in.

This year our **DACS Electrolytes** participated in the FIRST Lego Robotics Qualifiers in Raleigh, NC. Many countless hours were spent brainstorming, building, and programming robots to follow through on coded commands. Many Adventist schools were represented by awesome teams, but the **DACS Electrolytes** showed up and showed out. From team sportsmanship, to project presentations to construction and actuation. Though they didn't make it to the finals, we are so SUPER proud of their accomplishments. Watch the competition [HERE](#) on YouTube.

The DACS Match program is a way for you to involve your church in partnering with you in Christian education. As they give towards your tuition, DACS will match their contribution up to \$100. If you are interested in partnering

One way to grow our school is by word of mouth...yours! If you bring in a new family to see our school, and they enroll their child, you could earn a \$300 credit toward your tuition. In fact, you will earn \$300 for each child in that family that enrolls at DACS! Half will be credited at the end of first semester, and the other half will be credited at the end of the second semester. It's an offer you can't refuse! **pending a current account*



WELCOME-IN

We have launched "**Welcome-In Wednesdays**" to encourage new parents to come visit our school and learn more about DACS for next school year! Please share our information with anyone you know who may be interested in Christian education. You could earn a referral discount!

DACS Electrolytes: Coach Thomas, Nathan, Darren, Noah, Davian, Jade, Samuel, Matthew, Adaiah, Coach Dowdie (Not pictured Andrew S., Nolan, Art)



Pam Cleveland / 205-612-0961
 pamcleveland2@gmail.com
Lunch Cost \$5.00



LUNCH PAYMENT OPTIONS

1. Cash
2. Cash App: [\\$picleveland](#)
3. Zelle: [pamcleveland2@gmail.com](#)
4. Check Payable to Pam Cleveland



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



8 Spaghetti
Salad
Garlic Bread

9 Soft Tacos
Corn
Cookies

10 Pizza
Salad
Fruit

11 Vege Steak
Mash Potatoes
Vegetables
Roll

12 Hot Dogs
Bake Beans
Chips

15 Mac & Cheese
Vegetables
Apple Crisp

16 Haystack
Fruit

17 Vege Meat Sub
Chips
GoGurt

18 Teriyaki Chicken
Rice
Broccoli
Spring Roll

19 Vege Burger
Carrots
Chips

22 Chicken Nuggets
Fries
Fruit

23 DACS Burrito Bowl
Chips / Salsa
GoGurt

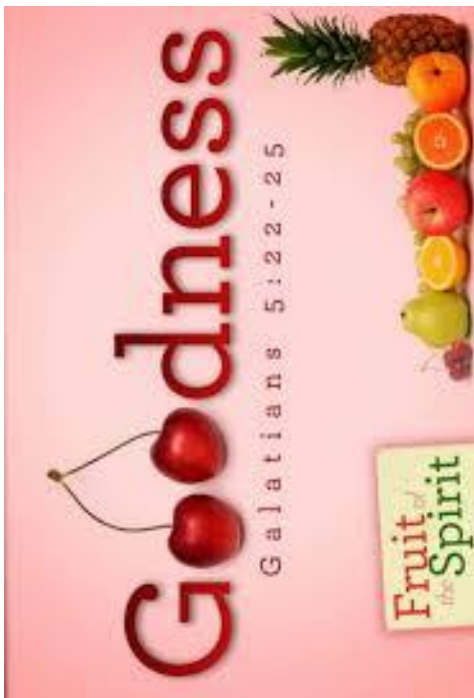
24 Pizza
Salad
Fruit

25 Chicken Fettuccine
Vegetables
Salad

26 DacChicken Sandwich
Chips
Fruit

29 Cheese Ravioli
Salad
Garlic Bread

30 Nachos
Fruit



We are called as Christians to live in a way that reflects the character of Christ. Matthew 5:16 says, "In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

Goodness is not about doing elaborate things to gain recognition. Oftentimes, it is the small acts of goodness we do throughout our day that mean the most to those around us.

Is your friend having a bad day? Write them a note to let them know how much you care about them. Is someone putting you down? Pray for them.

It is in these acts of goodness that we reflect Christ's character and possess the fruit of the Spirit. While it may seem like no one notices, God does. Ultimately, when we show goodness, we bring glory to God's name.

2024

MARCH 1

PRE-REGISTRATION

\$200 deposit/per child

**RE-
ENROLL
NOW!**

SAVE YOUR SEAT TODAY!

Returning Parents, log into Jupiter to review and update as necessary. Submit your deposit in cash, check, or Zelle

www.dacsisgreat.com



Log into your parent Jupiter account, or click here to start the registration process:

<https://login.jupitered.com/register/?DACS=&school=86540&k=e08ea11f>



Jupiter Grades



Encourage your church to participate in the DACs Match program to help defray your tuition costs.

How does it work?

DACS will match your church's monthly contribution up to \$100. For example, if your church gives \$100 toward your tuition, so will we! That's \$200 off per month.

For more information, call us 770-497-8607 or email us at dacsisgreat@gmail.com

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Special Offer

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SCHOOL, YOU CAN EARN \$200 OFF YOUR
YEARLY TUITION...FOR EACH NEW STUDENT!

SPECIAL CONDITIONS APPLY



JOIN US!!!

DULUTH WARRIORS PATHFINDERS CLUB
FOR A NIGHT OF FUN AND SURVIVAL SKILLS



SATURDAY 4TH OF MAY
7:00 PM
DULUTH SDA CHURCH GYM
2959 DULUTH HWY #120
DULUTH, GA 30096

LOCK IN

20\$ PER PERSON
GRADES 5TH - 12TH

SLEEPOVER
ONLY FOR GRADES: 7TH - 12TH

5TH AND 6TH GRADES NEED TO BE
PICKED UP BY MIDNIGHT

7TH - 12TH GRADES
PICKED UP BY 10:00 AM (MAY 5TH)

BRING A FRIEND!

BRING SLEEPING BAGS

NIGHT VISION QUEST

PRAISE & WORSHIP KARAOKE!

Please join us for an exciting night of fun, fellowship, and challenges at our Survivor Youth Lock-in event! Prepare for an unforgettable experience as we embark on a journey of team-building, games, and activities inspired by the popular TV show, Survivor. 5th and 6th graders are welcome however the lock in and sleepover is only for 7th to 12 grades: **The registration fee is \$20.00.**

Activities:

Team Challenges: Engage in a series of thrilling challenges that test your physical, mental, and strategic abilities.

Tribal Council: Experience the intensity of Tribal Council as teams strategize, form alliances, and vote to eliminate competitors.

Food and Refreshments: Enjoy delicious food and drinks and so much more.....