



# Union Christian Academy

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## SEPTEMBER 2006

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
11	12	13	14	15 Volleyball tournament at Home school 4:30 and 5:00 – Columbia Christian 7:30 and 8:00 – Mt. Olive Christian	16 5:00 – Mount Olive at UCA
18	19 Progress Reports	20	21	22 Money for Discount Cards Due	23 5:00 – Abiding Faith (homecoming)

### ATTENTION PARENTS!!!

Please look for the newsletter EVERY MONDAY in your child's backpack; it will be printed on gold paper. This will take the place of the numerous notes that have been going out during the week. However, notes specific to a particular grade or group will continue.

If anyone has something to submit for the newsletter, please let me know. If you have a prayer request or a praise report or trying to sell something, this is a way of communicating that information. This is our means of communication between the school and home.

In addition to printing the newsletters, I would like to create an email distribution to send the newsletter electronically. Please complete the form at the bottom of this page and give it to Mrs. Faye.

I have had several requests to do the newsletter, so I hope you all find it enjoyable and informative. Thanks!

Kristy Scharf

#### Please submit information as follows:

- Email: [Kristy.scharf@centurytel.com](mailto:Kristy.scharf@centurytel.com)
- Mailbox in school office
- Home: 368-8700      Fax: 368-8369
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- Cellular: 614-0434

### SUPER SAVINGS CARDS

Please continue to sell the Discount Cards. If you need more cards, please contact Marcy. All money should be turned in by Friday, September 22. Remember the top two sellers will receive a month of tuition free.

Marcy Kavanaugh, PTO President  
243-1500

### PLEASE COLLECT THE FOLLOWING ITEMS AND SEND THEM TO SCHOOL.

- Box tops
- Campbell soup labels
- Black coke tops

Linda Green will collect these items and submit them for cash. Every little bit helps!

*Please complete and return to Mrs. Faye so you can receive the newsletter and other notices electronically!*

Students names and grades: \_\_\_\_\_

Mom's name and email: \_\_\_\_\_

Dad's name and email: \_\_\_\_\_



Thanks to Matt and Nikki Albritton for donating an electronic golf cart to be used to transport students between the elementary building and the PAC!

## PTO NEWS

Marcy Kavanaugh conducted her first PTO meeting Tuesday, September 5. Plans for the coming year including fundraisers and other opportunities were discussed. The fundraisers to be held this year are as follows:

- Discount cards (September)
- Family Portraits (tentatively planned Sept 30)
- Cookie Dough (November 13 – 27)
- Golf Tournament (Spring)
- Spring Portraits (February)

Other activities planned are:

- Homecoming on September 23
- Fall Festival on October 27 – 50's theme
- Teacher Recognition
- Watermelon Festival float (July)
- Family Day (formally called Grandparents Day; will also invite pastors)

Help is needed on other committees:

- Yearbook – parents are needed to take pictures at school events and to sell ads. Please contact Janet Sanson if you can help.
- Playground equipment – If you can help with this, please contact Dianne Anders.
- Room parent – ALL classes need a room parent to coordinate events during the year.



**REMEMBER  
THOSE FAMILIES  
AFFECTED BY  
SEPTEMBER 11,  
2001, IN YOUR  
PRAYERS  
TODAY.**



## Meet our new President – Paul Murray

Paul recently accepted the job of our school's first President. He previously was an Associate Professor at LA Tech where he taught master level and undergraduate level classes for ten years. He will receive his PhD in Information Systems in about a year and a half. He holds a bachelor's degree in health information administration and a master's of business administration from LA Tech.

Paul and his wife, Tina, have been married for 15 years and have a son named Payton in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade who started at UCA last year. They are members of Antioch Baptist Church where Paul is chairman of the deacons, involved with the video ministry and has taught young adults.

Paul and Tina are in the process of adopting a baby girl from China. Friends of theirs adopted a child from China about two years ago. Tina found an international adoption agency and they have attended a seminar in New Orleans. He said that God led them to make this decision.

With his busy schedule, Paul hasn't had much time for hobbies in the last few years, but he enjoys hunting, fishing and golf.

Please welcome Paul and support him in his leadership roll.

## YEARBOOK PICTURES

**STUDENT PICTURES WILL BE TAKEN ON SEPTEMBER 28 AND 29. STUDENTS DO NOT HAVE TO WEAR THEIR UNIFORM, BUT PLEASE WEAR APPROPRIATE ATTIRE FOR THE PICTURE.**

- SEPT 28 – K2 THRU 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE
- SEPT 29 – 5<sup>TH</sup> THRU 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

There are a few 2005 – 2006 yearbooks left. If you would like to purchase one, they are \$25.