

Abundant Life Academy Principal's Newsletter



ALA Students Encouraged to Use Their Talents at Art Festival

May, 5, 2017

Abundant Life Academy hosted the ACSI Art Festival last week. Students were treated to workshops by Lynn Early, an artist working in NYC. Mrs. Fry and Mrs. Claudio teamed up to teach students practical things for students in art such as book-marks and book jackets.

Students enjoyed Ms. Lynn

Early as she spoke about unique and inexpensive ways to create artwork. ALA high school students Philip Esquite and Elizabeth Garay are both planning on attending the School of Visual Arts for cartooning one day. They were both inspired by Ms. Early's workshop also where they did Dictionary Art. The next day we



Tucker Rodkey of Painting Freedom Ministry spoke to our students on Thursday.

continued in the art theme with a painter who spoke during the National Day of Prayer.

And all thy children shall be taught of the Lord and great shall be the peace of thy children.
Isaiah 54:13

Special points of interest:

- *ALA students are collecting new & gently used shoes or sneakers to send to children in Dominican Republic who only have sandals.*
- *ALA's Book Fair begins on Tuesday night with a guest author, Dr. Janet Shuler from 6-7.*

Track and Field Team Wins MACSA Championship!

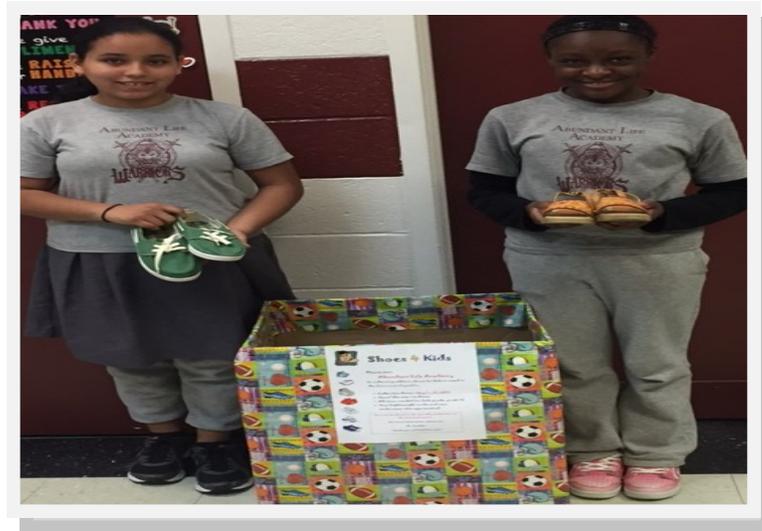
The Middle school Boys Track and Field Team won the MACSA Championship. The boys scored early and often winning the relay and scoring in

almost every event.

At the Ringwood Invitational last Saturday both the Middle School girls and boys took 1st place.

Our HS team won the meet on Saturday with 3 other schools. The season culminates this week at the ACSI Invitational where schools from Rhode Island to West Virginia come for a great day of competition.

Students donating sneakers and shoes for children in D.R.

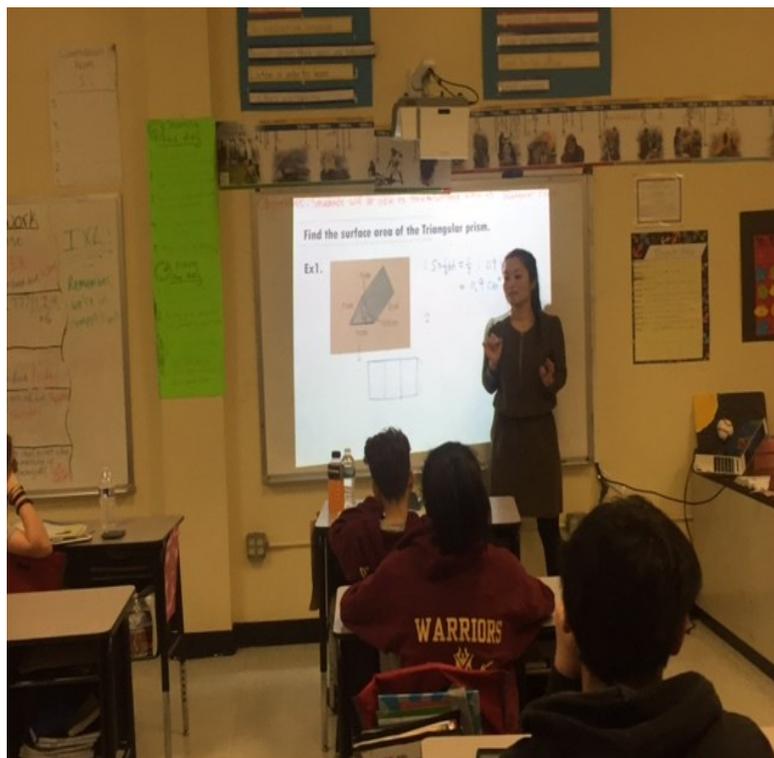


Mrs. Burgess teaching the 1st grade.



Kindergarten students enjoying the library.

Students Praying for the Nation.



Check us out on Facebook



Book Fair begins on
Tuesday Night at 6 PM
with guest author Dr.
Janet Shuler. The Book
Fair will be open
Wednesday to Friday
until 4PM.

“13 Reasons” show causes concern

Recently on Netflix a show has become quite popular around the nation. It focuses on the issue of teen suicide, however many psychologists and counselors are expressing concern that this show contains many graphic scenes and could lead to a glorification of suicide and possibly spur on imitation.

For Christian believers it reminds us to be vigilant concerning the media our children are consuming. The world is constantly attempting to get young people fixated on things but scripture reminds us that he whose mind is stayed on the Lord will be kept in perfect peace. Hebrews 12:1 and 2 also exhort us to keep our eyes on Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith.

If you are in need of a counselor ALA can provide a list of Christian counselors in the area. Please talk to Mrs. Chapman, Ms. Tokes, or if you need more information.



The Warriors Varsity Volleyball Team recorded a win at BCCA on Friday night.