

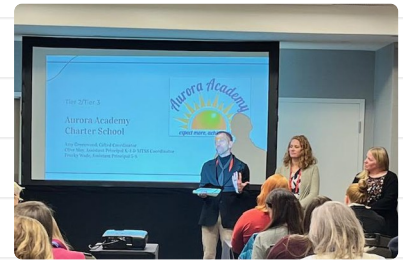
Aurora Academy Charter School

Falcon Flash

March 4, 2024

Leadership Team Represents AACCS at Charter School Conference

Last week our Assistant Principals, Mr. Wade and Mrs. May, and our Gifted and Talented Coordinator, Mrs. Greenwood, co-presented with Aurora Public Schools at the state wide conference hosted by the Colorado League of Charter Schools. This conference is hosted annually by the league welcoming all charter schools across the state. Thousands of administrators and school board members attend looking for sessions which offer new insights to elevate their own practices within the school setting. We were proud to present our practices to other schools across the state on the multi-tiered systems of support. This session was specific to our advanced learners and gifted students (Assessing Your MTSS System to Meet the Needs of Gifted & Advanced Learners). It is wonderful to be recognized by our district as a leader in the charter school network.



Board of Directors Meeting is Tonight!

Monday, March 4th, 2024

6:00 pm

AACS Library



You can find the Board Agenda and Minutes on our website:

[AACCS Board Agenda & Minutes](#)

AACS PRESENTS: A TASTE OF CULTURE

Discover a Global Fusion of Flavors and Perspectives. Join us for an evening of cultural exploration, community connection, and insightful discussions at "A Taste of Culture," presented by

Aurora Academy Charter School. We have exciting updates and additions to make this event a memorable experience for everyone.

Event Highlights:

1. Cultures Around the Globe: Immerse yourself in a diverse showcase of cultures, both international and within our community.
2. Live Wax Museum: Experience the magic of a LIVE wax museum, where cultures come to life through captivating presentations and displays.
3. Town Hall Discussion: Engage in an informative presentation about the direction of our school starting at 6:30 pm
4. Connect with School Leadership: Connect with our Board of Directors, Administrators, and PTO members, to strengthen the bond within our school community.

We look forward to your presence at "A Taste of Culture" to celebrate diversity, foster connections, and shape the future of our school together. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to Tonoa Manuel, PTO President via email at tmanuel@auroraacademycharter.com

If you would like to be a part of this enriching experience by hosting a booth, please take a moment to fill out this form: <https://forms.gle/rAbCksu5hfVqKRXr5>

Aurora Academy PTO

Aurora Academy Taste of Culture Fair and Town Hall - Parent interest Survey - Feria y Ayuntamiento de Aurora Academy Taste of Culture - Encuesta de interés de los padres

AACS Families,

Thank you for your interest in participating in the Aurora Academy Taste of Culture Fair and Town Hall! This event offers a fantastic opportunity for our school community to celebrate diversity and showcase various cultures through food, dance, music clothing, and more. We are excited to have you join us!

Familias AACS,

Sibling Priority

AACS Families,

Our enrollment process is open for the 2024-2025 school year. If you have a sibling of an AACS student that you would like to attend our school next year please fill out this form:

SIBLING PRIORITY

<https://forms.gle/vzzMxwm43zs8yB7EA>

2024-2025 Enrollment is Open!

AACS Families!

Do you have friends or family that are interested in our school? Please have them visit our Enrollment Page on our website for the Enrollment Application and Open House dates!

Our next school tour date is **Wednesday, March 6th at 8:15am.**

Click on the Falcon to go to our Enrollment Page.



Intent to Withdraw

In order to ensure we have an accurate count for the 2024-2025 school year we ask that you fill out the attached form only if you do NOT plan on your child returning to Aurora Academy next year. Available slots will then be filled from our lottery.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Fill out this form **ONLY IF YOUR STUDENT WILL NOT** be returning to Aurora Academy for the 2024-2025 school year.

Para garantizar que tengamos un recuento preciso para el año escolar 2023-2024, le pedimos que complete el formulario adjunto solo si **NO** planea que su hijo regrese a Aurora Academy el próximo año. Los espacios disponibles se llenarán con nuestra lotería. Gracias por su pronta atención, a este asunto. Complete este formulario **SOLO SI SU ESTUDIANTE NO VOLVERÁ** a Aurora Academy para el año escolar 2024-2025.

Form: <https://forms.gle/CVmrtT5m63t5ubom9>

Sports Corner

Soccer Game: Tuesday, March 5th vs. AXL at Aurora Hills High School - 11700 E. 11th Ave. Aurora, CO. (JV Soccer Fields near Nome Park)

Girls: 4:30pm

Boys: 5:30pm



Boys Volleyball Practice

Upcoming Events

Dress of Choice Day is Tomorrow!

Tuesday, March 5th is Dress of Choice Day!

Students must adhere to Dress of Choice guidelines.



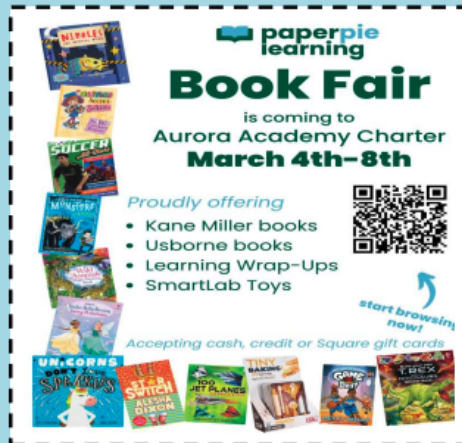
AACS
PJ's and Books!
March 7, 2024
6:00 - 7:00 PM

- Come check out the Book Fair!
- Read your favorite book with your parents
- Enjoy tasty treats



AACS SPRING BOOK FAIR

MARCH 4TH-8TH



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March 4th-8th

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The graphic features a QR code, a stack of colorful children's books, and the Paper Pie Learning logo.

BOOK FAIR HOURS

(Students Only) Monday
-Friday during scheduled
library visits.

FAMILY NIGHTS

March 5th 5:00 -7:00 PM

March 7th ("PJ's and Books"
Night) 6:00 - 7:00 PM

We LOVE books at Aurora Academy Charter School so what better way to spread the wealth of literature than with a Book Fair!

- **Teacher Wish Lists** - If you are looking for a way to build your child's classroom library, please stop by the book fair and pick up a book from your child's Teacher Wish List!!
- **Student Wish Lists** - If you cannot stop by the book fair, you may scan the QR Code above to access the Online Book Fair!
- **Forms of Payment** – We accept cash, checks (made out to Aurora Academy Charter School, and cards.
- **Volunteers** - As always, if you would like to volunteer please stop by the library to sign up!

Thank you for all your support!
All profits go back directly to the AACS Library!

PJ Day!

Friday, March 8th is PJ Day! Students must adhere to Dress of Choice Day guidelines in the Parent/Student Handbook.



Spring Break!

AACS will be closed from Monday, March 11th - Friday, March 15th for Spring Break.

We wish everyone a fun and healthy spring break. We will see all students back on Monday, March 18th so we can finish the 2023-2024 school year strong!



Volunteers We Need You!

AACS Spring Book Fair Volunteer: Please email Ms. Johnson to volunteer djohnson@auroraacademycharter.com



Lost & Found Clean Up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C4FA8AF2DABF85-44646194-lost>

Lunch/Recess Help: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C4FA8AF2DABF85-47187289-lunch>

Quarter 2 SOAR Event!

On Thursday, February 22nd 4th-5th grade danced the afternoon away with Silent Disco!

On Friday, February 23rd Kindergarten - 3rd grade enjoyed a puppet/magic show!



5th Grade Black History Month Bottle Projects

Students spent time in class researching different historical black people in American history. They compiled their information into posters sharing the aspects of that person's life. Along with that, students had an at-home project to create a model of their person using an old plastic bottle

They decorated the bottles to look like their person using items around the house and from craft stores. We are super impressed with their hard work and the amazing projects that were created.



Congratulations to the cast of Annie!



CAST LIST

Annie	Arsema
Miss Hannigan	Jane
Grace Farrell	Julia
Rooster Hannigan	Mathew
Lily St. Regis	Briellea
Oliver Warbucks	Rameesh (RJ)
Orphans	
Molly	Azul
Kate	Mackenzie
Tessie	Harper
Pepper	Liseth
July	Ariyana
Duffy	Hirisha
Molly Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Calli
Kate Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Brooklyn
Tessie Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Edom
Pepper Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Betiel
July Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Parker
Duffy Understudy/Orphan Chorus	Rachel

New Yorkers - The following actors will also be part of the New Yorker Chorus:

Sandy - Taveyah

Drake - Montonzo (MJ)

Apple Seller - Edelawite

Bert Healy/President Franklin D. Roosevelt - Nehemiah

Bundles - Tsion

Luis Howe - Abel

Star To Be - Eldana

Usherette - Harmony

Servants - Semhal, Tasnim, Mervy, Amen, Elliemarie, Noelle, Kaleal, Ezana, Siham, Zulema & Olivia

Neighborhood Forest!

AACS is excited to host their second annual Neighborhood Forest!



We love trees! We want to give every child the priceless joy of planting and watching trees grow. By doing so, we will beautify our neighborhoods, put a significant dent in our carbon footprint, and help instill in the hearts of our little ones a sense of magic, wonder, and love for our planet.

Since 2010, Neighborhood Forest has reached over 1,500 schools, libraries, and youth groups – engaged over 500,000 families – and planted over 130,000 (mostly urban and residential) trees

through the hands of children and parents across North America.

How does it work?

Schools, libraries, and youth groups enroll in the program. Parents sign-up to get a free tree for their child ahead of Earth Day. Trees for kids are distributed, via the school, library, or youth group to plant with their family during Earth Week (April 22-30).

Please click on the image above to register for your tree that will be available for pick up on Monday, April 22nd. The deadline to register is Friday, March 15th.



YOUR school's students & parents get **FREE membership to the Skate City Family Freebies Club!**



We appreciate all of your help and efforts coordinating & promoting Skate City events throughout the year, & wanted to offer your students & parents a GREAT perk of **FREE membership** into the Family Freebies Club!

- FREE admission on every Friday from 4-6pm, 6-8pm, or 7-9pm
- \$10 in FREE game play every Saturday from 4-6pm, 6-8pm, or 7-9pm
- FREE pizza every Sunday from 6-8pm

- Parents **MUST** be present with children to receive discounts
- Traditionally \$5 per family member annually, but **YOUR** students and families can join for **FREE** for a year!
- Full snack bar and arcade available for an evening of Skate City fun



Join **TODAY** at www.skatecitycolorado.com/family-freebies



Enter promo the code below at checkout to redeem your **FREE** Freebies Club Membership!

- Family of 2--SCFFC2
- Family of 3--SCFFC3
- Family of 4--SCFFC4
- Family of 5--SCFFC5
- Family of 6--SCFFC6



FAMILY FREEBIES CLUB!

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