

# Mount Airy Christian Academy



“cultivating strong minds and passionate faith”

## Newsletter

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### A Note from the Head of School,

Vicky Webster, Interim

Our campus has been busy ever since your children left for summer vacation. Many hours were spent by numerous staff to ensure that the education of your children would be on a premium level, and we believe that you can be encouraged that this goal will be reached. We can say with much confidence that MACA offers an education that is capable of making long term effects for the Kingdom.

Thank you so much for allowing us the privilege to serve your family. We covet your prayers as we look to an amazing year of Kingdom ministry.

### Dean of Student Affairs

Dr. Lori A. Sefton

#### Last Call!! - Driver's Education Class coming to MACA Campus

This is the last call for enrollment in the on-campus Driver's Education class for MACA students. The course will be taught by an instructor from Greg's Driving School and will cost \$350, the same cost incurred when a student takes the class at a commercial driver education facility. This price will include the in-class instruction and materials as well as the required six hours of drive time. Students who are 15 years old or older and enrolled at MACA or participating in an approved homeschool group may enroll.

The MACA driving class will be offered on Wednesday evenings from 3:15 to 6:30 PM. (three hours of instruction with a fifteen minute break). The course will run the required ten week period, from September 16 to December 2, 2015 with breaks for High School Retreat and Thanksgiving Break.

If you are interested in enrolling for this class, please contact Dr. Lori Sefton at [lori.sefton@macamd.org](mailto:lori.sefton@macamd.org).

#### Upcoming Events:

- **Sept 7** – Labor Day-No School
- **Sept 16** – Driver's Education Class Begins
- **Sept 23-25** - HS Retreat
- **Sept 25**– Progress Reports
- **Oct 1** – Student Pictures
- **Oct 3-4** – Mount Airy Fall Fest
- **Oct 8** – Race for Education
- **Oct 9** – Fall Break/No School

#### Envelope Inserts:

- Parent Newsletter

## Athletic Director, Matthew Brethauer

### MACA Lions Roar Report

#### MACA Fall Sports Teams Start Strong

MACA's Fall Sports season has gotten off to a strong start. The Lady Lions Varsity Volleyball team opened the season by reaching the finals of the Shenandoah Valley Christian Academy tournament for the third straight year. They went on to open their regular season going 2-0 with wins over the FCA Bravehearts and New Life Christian. MACA's JV volleyball team also has posted wins over FCA and New Life, while the Middle School girls notched a win over New Life in their home opener. Overall, MACA Volleyball is off to a 5-0 start to the season.



*Junior, Mackenzie Hunt goes for the kill in MACA's JV Volleyball win over New Life. Mackenzie.*

The Lions Varsity Soccer team also kick started their season with a win over Chapelgate in a preseason scrimmage and by taking the German Cup Championship at Shenandoah Valley's preseason tournament. The boys are currently 2-0 in the regular season with MIAC Conference victories over Rockbridge and New Life. The Middle School Soccer team is looking to bounce back from a loss to Covenant Life when they take on Rosedale Baptist next Tuesday at home.



*6th grader, Grayson Cook controls the ball in MACA's season opener against Covenant Life.*

Finally, MACA's Mighty Lions Soccer teams are practicing in preparation for their opening day at Mayeski Park in Winfield on September 12. We are excited to be fielding PK/K, 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade coed teams this season!

MACA's Varsity Cross Country teams will open their season this Saturday at the Interstate Classic at Clear Spring High School, while the Middle School Cross Country teams are working hard to prepare for their first MIAC Conference meet on September 21.



*Juniors, Abby Woolverton and Abigail Forsberg preparing for the opening Cross Country meet.*



*Freshman, Kyrstin Bowen ready to serve in MACA's JV win over New Life.*



*Lady Lions Volleyball takes 2<sup>nd</sup> at SVCA Tournament.*



*Senior, Brady Smith and Junior, Willis Gammell working hard to prepare for the Cross Country season.*



*SVCA German Cup Champs!*



*Mighty Lions Soccer - MACA's Future Stars!*

## CAFETERIA NEWS

Our Wholesome Tummies lunch program began this week, and there were lots of smiling faces in the cafeteria. Parents, please remember, if you order a lunch, the meal does not include a drink. Students may purchase milk or water from the cafeteria on a cash-only basis.

We are still in need of parent cafeteria helpers to cover lunch from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM. Please contact Mrs. Duvall at [kim.duvall@macamd.org](mailto:kim.duvall@macamd.org) if you can help.