

# SALEM CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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## April 2010 NEWSLETTER

**“But God commendeth his love toward us, in that,  
while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.”** (Romans 5:8 KJV)

### SCHOOL NEWS

- *School Office Hours* are from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

- April 1<sup>st</sup> – Easter Chapel **DRESS UP**  
\* Girls have to wear a skirt or dress. **NO** pants, capris, skorts, or leggings. **NO** jeans, gym shoes, or jogging pants for ANY student\*
- April 2<sup>nd</sup> – Good Friday **NO SCHOOL**
- April 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> – Spring Break
- April 14<sup>th</sup> – Spring Pictures
- April 22<sup>nd</sup> – Report Card Pick-Up
- April 26<sup>th</sup> – 30 – Standardized Testing

Standardized tests help measure your child's progress. The results are compared with those of kids at the same grade level nationwide. Schools also use the scores to see what areas of the curriculum may need to be strengthened.

These tests cover many different subject areas and are often impossible to study for. Doing homework regularly is one of the best ways your child(ren) can prepare. Also, you can share these test-taking tips:

- Pay careful attention to directions.
- Spend about the same amount of time on each question.
- Check the answer sheet and make sure the answers match the right questions.

A good night's sleep the night before and a healthy breakfast on test day can help, too. Also, encourage your child(ren) to wear comfortable clothing-in layers in case the room is too hot or cold.

**REST AND SLEEP** – Elementary grade students need a minimum of 10 hours of sleep each day in order to be productive in school. A kindergartener requires 11 hours of sleep. Please monitor your child's rest and sleep habits.

### PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

By S.C.A. Administration



We ask that you continue to pray for Dr. Jackson and the S.C.A. family.

### FINANCE CORNER

Classes are filling up quickly for the 2010 – 2011 school year. Returning parents, please remember that **on Thursday, April 1, 2010, and thereafter, there will be a \$25 late fee in addition to the registration fee for returning students. All students must re-register.**

Acceptable forms of payment: cash, money order, checks (only electronic checks, and you must be present with the ID of the person whose name appears on the check in order to sign the receipt), credit cards (must be present to sign receipt). If you are sending a payment by a student, it must be by money order. Please do not send a check.

**You must be present to show your ID and sign the receipt.**

**Please remember that your child's report card will be held if you have any outstanding fees.**

### 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE GRADUATES

We have begun receiving acceptance information for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students:

- Tia Booker – Westinghouse College Prep
- Erin Mallett – Noble Street Charter School

This is not a complete list. We will continue to update the list as information becomes available.

### GOODBYE

*Thank you for sooo many wonderful memories.*

*I will miss you all!*

*Blessings,*

*Mrs. LaTonya Menzies*



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## APRIL 2010

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			<b>1</b>  <b>Easter Chapel</b> 1 p.m. Dress Up	<b>2</b> Good Friday NO SCHOOL
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>SPRING BREAK 4/5/10-4/9/10</b>				
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Spring Pictures	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Chapel 2:00 p.m.
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Report Card Pick-Up 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. 	<b>23</b> Chapel 2:00 p.m.
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>STANDARDIZED TESTING 4/26 – 4/30</b>				

MARKET DAY Pickup is on Saturday, May 1, 2010, at 9:00 a.m.

Thank you, to all who donated **items for the “Haiti” Service Project**