



DESERT HAPPENINGS

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October 19	October 21-25	October 23	October 25	October 28
Fall Fest Movie Night	Fall Week of Prayer	Minimum Day	1st Qtr Ends	2nd Qtr Begins

Fall Fest Movie Night Countdown

We are very excited for our Fall Fest Movie Night happening in one week! We are trying a different format this year and hope all goes well! We will have



a few select favorite games, food, and a free family movie to enjoy. Teachers will

be sending notices home, if not all ready, about volunteer opportunities. We need parents to help manage games and help with set-up & clean-up

Remember to invite family, friends, & neighbors to enjoy this special event! Proceeds benefit classrooms & school projects.

Fall Fundraiser Totals & Winners

We can't thank you enough for your wondrous support of our classrooms & school. With our fall fundraiser with Yankee Candle Fundraising we raised a total of **1,444.59!** We also received several cash donations equaling **\$977** for a grand total of **\$2421.59!** Amazing job, everyone!

The breakdowns for Yankee Candle for each classroom is as follows:

Tk/K-1st—\$522.34
2nd—4th—\$592
5th & 6th—\$152.25
7th & 8th—\$178

Our top selling student who sold \$504 worth of Yankee Candle products and giving his class a

profit of \$201.60 goes to **Brody Wade, 2nd Grade**. Congratulations Brody! He earned the \$25 gift card to *Get Air*.

Our 2nd-4th grade class earned the ice cream party raising the most of any class per student.

Money raised from this fundraiser will go towards classroom wish lists purchasing items such as new manipulatives for centers, science equipment, teacher resources or special trips.

While our catalog orders have come to an end....online orders can still be placed until January 2020! Allowing additional money to be raised for our school on those last minute orders and any regrets. Please use group #990103635. Thank you again!

Desert Adventist Academy's
Fall Fest Movie Night
Saturday, October 19, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.

Food:

- Veggieburgers
- Mexican Plate
- Popcorn
- Rootbeer Floats

Games:

- Penny Toss
- 'Pig' Races
- Darts
- Pumpkin Toss
- Bounce House
- Coloring Contest
- Photo Area

All Tickets \$1
All proceeds benefit classroom funds.

Please join us for good food, good fun, & good company.
It all starts with sundown worship at 6:00 p.m. in the gym followed by dinner, games, and a movie.

**Food • Games
Movie • Fun**

FREE FAMILY MOVIE!!!
Movie Starts at 7:00 p.m.
Come & enjoy **Toy Story 4** on the big screen in our school parking lot.
Bring chairs, blankets, & pillows!!!

Desert Adventist Academy
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Palm Desert
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Volunteers Needed for Fall Fest Set-Up

We need volunteers to help with set-up and decorating for our upcoming Fall Fest! We need parents & family members to please come to the gym on Friday, October 18 anytime from 12:00-3:00 p.m. to help set up tables, put out chairs, and decorate tables. Child care will be made available for children ages 4 and up at After School Care.

Hot Lunch:	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
	Pizza	Bean & Cheese Burrito	Grilled Cheese	Vegetarian Tacos





Sports:

Volleyball Scores:

10/7:

1st DAA 13— **25 Desert Chapel**

2nd DAA 18—**25 Desert Chapel**

10/9:

1st DAA 20— **25 OLPH**

2nd DAA 7—**25 OLPH**

Games:

Monday, Oct 14

Home Game @ 3:30 p.m.

DAA vs. Palm Valley

Wednesday, Oct 16

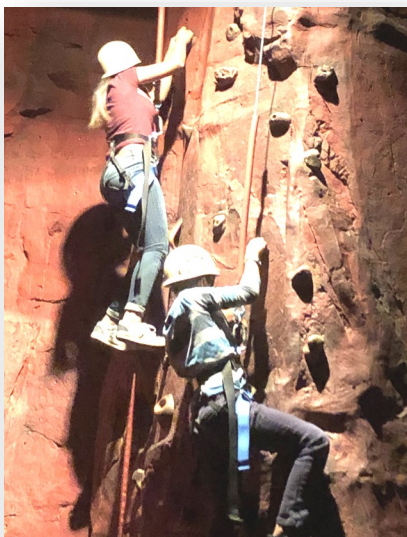
Away Game @ 3:30 p.m.

DAA vs. STS

Bible Text of the Week

*Truly my soul finds rest
in God; my salvation
comes from him.*

Psalm 62:1 NIV



Students rock climb among other activities.

CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHT: Grades 5th-8th Attend Science Camp

On October 2nd-4th, the 5th-8th grade classes drove up to Idyllwild to participate in science camp. This was a three day, two night trip.

On Wednesday students zip-lined, played team games, and got settled into their cabins.

That night students learned all about the stars and looked through telescopes. Students were able to see Saturn!

Thursday morning the students woke up bright and early and went to several classes. Some of those classes included lights and lasers, Micrometeorites, and we learned more about the solar system. We baked cookies in an oven that was solar powered by the sun.

During break time students played human Foosball and a new game called Gaga ball. In the evening students created their own windmills and tested to see how much power generated from them.

Friday morning students woke up excited to build rockets. Students then launched their rockets. Many students have great

memories from their time as describe below:

- Zachary Leiske: "I enjoyed building my own rocket."
- Rebeca Lopez: "I really liked the lights and lasers. I learned that the white light reflects all the other colors of the rainbow."
- Joridane Rada: "I liked the lights and lasers class. I learned about ultraviolet light. It was cool."
- Brayden Rich: "I learned in Micrometeorites that a hundred tons a day of space junk falls on the earth."
- Tony Reyes: "I learned how to make electricity by putting paper and sticks together in the windmill class."

It was such a great time! There was a lot of learning and a lot of first time experiences.

A big thank you to Mr. Emery, Mr. Perez, Mrs. Coffin and Dr. Leiske for accompany us and being our chaperones. This was such a good trip and we hope it may become a new tradition here at DAA.

- Mrs. Goen



Students in grades 5th-8th attend Science Camp in Idyllwild.