

# THE MESSENGER

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## September Highlights

- The Student Council elections were held Sept. 9. The following students were elected: Christian Lee for President, Jayden Barnes for Vice President, Kaitlyn Rentz for Treasurer, and Laurel Chandler for Secretary.
- The Beta Club elections were held on Sept. 16. The following students were elected: Santanna Templeton for President, Makenna Templeton for Vice President, Jordan Barnes for Treasurer, Carey Herndon for Secretary, and Courtney Zorn for Reporter.
- Together, the Student Council and Beta Clubs presented Mr. Barnes with a "Mountain of Mountain Dew" for his birthday. They purchased a refrigerator for the school canteen, and collected a love offering for a family who lost their home to fire.
- Our athletic teams are turning heads this season. We congratulate our football and volleyball teams for their continued success and wish you the best of luck for the remainder of the season.

## Making Connections

Andrew Jackson Academy is excited to announce the launch of our new website and newsletter. The website and newsletter will include school closings, announcements, upcoming events, and other important information. You may visit our website at [www.andrewjacksonacademy.org](http://www.andrewjacksonacademy.org). From the website, you will be able to navigate to our new [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and [Facebook](#) pages by clicking on the connect tab in the top right corner of our website. You may sign up to receive a copy of our monthly newsletter on our website by clicking on the announcements tab and scrolling to the bottom of the page. If you would like to contribute information, please email your stories and photos to [news@andrewjacksonacademy.org](mailto:news@andrewjacksonacademy.org).

The screenshot shows the Andrew Jackson Academy website homepage. At the top is a navigation bar with the school name and links for Home, About, Announcements, Calendar, and Connect. Below the navigation is a large photo of three students in red and white athletic gear standing on a field at night. To the right of the photo is a 'Hello & Welcome' section with a paragraph about the school's mission. Below this are three columns: Admissions, Academics, and Athletics, each with a brief description and a 'Learn More' button. At the bottom is an 'Accreditation & Memberships' section with text about the school's accreditation by SACS and SCISA. The footer contains a 'Directory | Search' link and a copyright notice for 2015.

## Upcoming Events

**October 12, 2015**  
PTO Meeting @ 6PM

**October 22, 2015**  
Report Cards

**October 27, 2015**  
Harvest Carnival @ 5PM

## Volleyball Schedule

**October 01, 2015**  
AJA vs. Colleton Prep (Home)  
JV @ 4:00 | V @ 6:00

**October 05, 2015**  
AJA vs. South Aiken (Away)  
JV @ 5:00 | V @ 6:00

**October 13, 2015**  
AJA vs. — (Home)  
JV @ 4:00 | V @ 5:00

## Football Schedule

**October 02, 2015**  
AJA vs. Wardlaw (Away)  
Varsity @ 6:30

**October 09, 2015**  
AJA vs. Carolina (Home)  
Varsity @ 7:30

**October 15, 2015**  
AJA vs. JDA (Away)  
Junior Varsity @ 6:30

**October 16, 2015**  
AJA vs. JDA (Away)  
Varsity @ 7:30

**October 22, 2015**  
AJA vs. Holly Hill (Away)  
Junior Varsity @ 6:30

**October 23, 2015**  
AJA vs. Newberry (Home)  
Varsity @ 7:30

**October 29, 2015**  
AJA vs. JDA (Home)  
Junior Varsity @ 6:30

**October 30, 2015**  
AJA vs. Richard Winn (Away)  
Varsity @ 7:30

## Student Council visits the SC State House

The Student Council attended the SCISA Fall Conference at the SC State House on September 23, 2015. Jayden Barnes spoke on the right to bear arms which was the topic given to the schools at the SCISA conference. Pictured below left to right: Laurel Chandler (Secretary), Christian Lee (President), Jayden Barnes (Vice President), and Kaitlyn Rentz (Treasurer)



## A Trip to the Ehrhardt Pharmacy

The seventh grade class visited the Ehrhardt Pharmacy on September 24, 2015. In the picture below, Pharmacist, Donna Avant, talks with the students about their science class. She asked them questions about the Periodic Table of Elements, which they are currently studying in Mrs. Rogers' class.

