

AACMS *Announcer*

Upcoming Events

November

21 Purse Bingo 6pm
Last Day for Pickle & Dip Sale

24-25 Early Dismissal 11:30am
Parent-Teacher Conferences
**Please check your emails
to set up conferences with
each teacher.

26-Dec. 1 No School
Thanksgiving Break



December

2 PTO Meeting 6pm
4 Christkindlmarkt Music
Performances 10am
5 Author's Cafe 6pm
10 Music Department Winter
Concert 6:30pm

[View our complete calendar here.](#)

Designer Purse



Friday, November 21st at 6pm
Doors Open at 4:30pm

- Tricky Tray
- Lottery Tree
- 50/50 Raffle

Order
Online and
Skip the
Line!



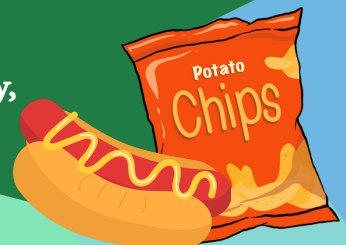
\$20 Adult Package (6 Face) • \$10 Kid Package (3 Face)

Arts Academy Charter Middle School
1610 E. Emmaus Ave. Allentown, PA 18103

Concessions will be sold!
Additional tickets will be sold
at the door!



Cash, Card, ApplePay,
& GooglePay will
be accepted.



THANKSGIVING WEEK

11.24 Early Dismissal 11:30am
(No Lunch)
Parent-Teacher Conferences
4:30pm–7pm

11.25 Early Dismissal 11:30am
(No Lunch)
Parent-Teacher Conferences
12pm–3pm

11.26–12.01 No School
Thanksgiving Break

ARTS ACADEMY CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Monday, November 24th
4:30pm–7pm

Tuesday, November 25th
12pm–3pm

Please check your emails for meeting information
and instructions from your student's teachers.



AACMS Literary Media Arts Author's Cafe

Friday, December 5, 2025
6:00pm–7:30pm

ARTS ACADEMY
CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL

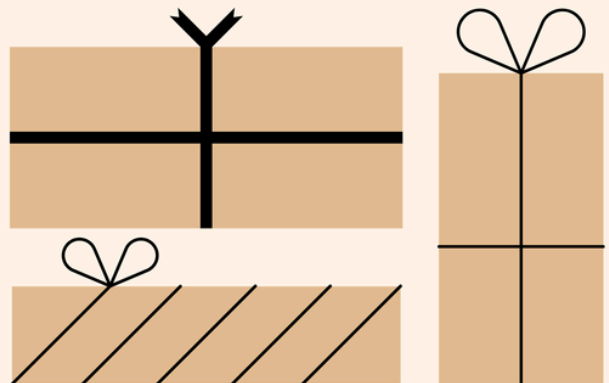
All are welcome!

Come out to share your
writing and ideas and
hear what our students
are creating.

Support the Literary
Media Department by
purchasing refreshments
from our Bake Sale.



HELP SUPPORT ARTS ACADEMY CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL'S
VISUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT!



PURCHASE HANDMADE GIFTS & PRINTS
FROM AACMS VISUAL ARTS STUDENTS
HOSTED BY JAYS LOCAL IN ALLENTOWN

AACMS Holiday Pop Up Market



2301 Liberty St, Allentown
Saturday December 13th • 12–2pm

Support the AACMS Theatre Department!

Purchase Candy for the Holidays
from one of our Theatre students.

For Free Delivery to school, order with a student by

November 14th

Online ordering can be shipped to your home through

December 7th

Contact Ms. Felletter with questions at
sfelletter@aacms.org



THE
LEHIGH VALLEY CHORALE
PRESENTS

December 12, 2025 7:30PM

December 13, 2025 2:00PM

First Presbyterian Church
3231 W. Tilghman St. Allentown, PA

a Crowded Table

Come out
to hear
Principal Hill
sing in this
concert!



WINTER CHORAL CONCERT SERIES
More Information & Advance Tickets
LVChorale.org • 484-548-0052
10 YEARS LEHIGH VALLEY Chorale
A Community of Voices

PICKLE & DIP SALE!

Our 8th Grade Dancers are selling
Pickles & Dips from
Peter Pipers Pickle Palace
in Kutztown, PA

NOVEMBER 7TH-21ST

They will be delivered to school on
December 10th.



Order with a
Dance Student
or Online

View menu & details here:

aacms.org/fundraisers



NOVEMBER STAR GOAL

PERSEVERANCE

Students can earn Perseverance Points
by continuing towards their goals, not
giving up on assignments and activities,
and moving forward in school each day.
Students will be working together to
earn points for Activity Day!

Arts Academy
Charter Middle School

SAP Spotlight:

Signs of Self-Harm

Self-harm may include actions other than cutting. Other signs to look for include:

- hair pulling
- excessive scratching (to the point of drawing blood)
- burns

Individuals who self-harm may also be experiencing symptoms of depression. Self-harm is not always an indicator of suicidal ideation, but should be taken seriously and treated by a professional. [Read More](#)

Make a report to SAP: Sap@arts-cs.org

The Student Assistance Program (SAP) helps students who are struggling with mental health, bullying, struggling academically, or struggling with major life changes. The SAP team connects these students with resources to help them overcome any barriers so they can be successful in all areas of their lives.

Questions? Contact our SAP Coordinator, Ms. Leinbach at cleinbach@aacms.org



AACMS Community Pantry

Every Friday!

Students can fill a bag with produce, milk, and other items to take home.

Thank you to all who have supported our AACMS Community Pantry these first few weeks! We have had just under 200 students participate at each distribution. It has been a learning curve for everyone involved, but we have developed a system that we hope is benefitting many of our families. We have decided to hold the ACP on Fridays only going forward. This ensures that we have enough food for everyone who comes through the line, and it makes the process simpler for our staff. Thank you for your understanding and continued support!

Questions? Contact our Food Services Director, Susan Ott, at sott@aacms.org



Musical Auditions

December 3 & 4 • 2pm–4pm (Come on ONE of those days)

- Pick up an audition form from Ms. Felletter in the Theatre Room.

Forms **MUST** be filled out and signed by a parent/guardian to audition.

Callbacks: December 8 & 9 • 2pm–4pm



SMS Text Opt-In



Parents and Guardians

You can take advantage of our Text Messaging Service

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.*

You can participate in this free service* just by sending a text message of "Y" or "Yes" to our school's short code number, 67587.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "Stop".

SchoolMessenger is compliant with the [Student Privacy Pledge™](#) so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.



Opt-In from
your mobile
now!



Just send "Y"
or "Yes" to
67587.

Opt-In for Text Alerts from AACMS!

Never miss an important announcement--such as schedule changes due to weather--by getting text alerts. More information is on the flyer sent home in your student's report card.

Just send "Y" or "Yes" to 67587

Clothing Needed in the Health Room!

We are in need of men's & women's

- **Sweatpants**
- **Leggings**
- **Athletic Shorts**
- **Sweatshirts**

Please also consider sending in a change of clothing for your student to be kept in their locker in case of an emergency.



AACMS YouTube Arts Channels

We have created separate YouTube channels for each art! Videos will be uploaded regularly so you can follow along with all of the fun here at AACMS. Just click on the links below to view & subscribe!

[Creative Writing](#)

[Dance](#)

[Instrumental](#)

[Theatre](#)

[Visual Art](#)

[Vocal Music](#)

AACMS CLASSROOMS ARE FRAGRANCE-FREE ZONES



FOR THE HEALTH & SAFETY OF OUR STUDENTS & STAFF, WE ASK THAT PERFUMES AND SCENTED LOTIONS NOT BE BROUGHT INTO THE CLASSROOM AND USED. ALL FRAGRANCE PRODUCTS MUST BE APPLIED AT HOME AND LEFT AT HOME. NOT FOLLOWING THIS POLICY WILL BE A CODE OF CONDUCT ISSUE RESULTING IN A DISCIPLINARY REFERRAL.



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