



PANTHER PRIDE

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE MENAUL SCHOOL COMMUNITY

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Francine Stewart was nominated by Menaul School for the Albuquerque Community Foundation Change Award. The change award is given each year to a dedicated individual working behind the scenes at a local non-profit. Congratulations to Ms. Stewart for her nomination. Following is the letter of recommendation submitted on her behalf.

Francine Stewart has been with Menaul School for seven years, serving the greater Menaul community with grace and the brightest smile known to man.

Francine's official title is Assistant to Institutional Advancement. As such, Francine is responsible for handling the details for the myriad of events hosted by our office: Homecoming, Grandparent Day, Breakfast with the Board (monthly), Bugg Lights, Golden Graduates/Graduation and all fund raising events. In addition, Francine coordinates, and in many cases creates, the written communication from Institutional Advancement, i.e. our weekly e-newsletter – Panther Pride; our annual Christmas Card, our alumni/community newsletter – Good News (3 times a year), and all alumni communications.

Regardless of the event or gathering, we know that Francine “has it handled” – thinking of things like table cloth color, center pieces, lighting, food and drink, etc. . . . things that most of us never think of until it's too late. And she does so with a smile, always ready to share a laugh.

Francine's strongest suit, however, is her ability to relate to individuals. Behind her bright smile is a gift of empathetic listening that makes all who come in contact with her immediately feel valued. Francine is Menaul's equivalent of a Wal-Mart greeter. When we want to put our best foot (or face) forward, Francine is that smiling face. As such, her rapport with alumni, donors and friends is unparalleled. Francine IS the face of Menaul and as such represents us at a variety of conferences across the country each year, primarily by manning our information booth – not incredibly thrilling work!

Francine's relational skills are also evident on a daily basis with our students. On any given day, several students, usually Native American girls, will stop by our office to chat with Francine. Francine is also the sponsor for our Native American club – TRIBE.

In short, without Francine Stewart, Menaul would be in a world of hurt. Her institutional knowledge, relationships with our community members and attention to details – most of which happens behind the scenes - make her indispensable. There is no finer candidate for Albuquerque Community Foundation's Nonprofit Community Service Award.

- Written by Director of Institutional Advancement, Troy Williamson

IMPORTANT WEBSITE LINKS

MPA - <http://www.menaulschool.com/frmContent.aspx?PageName=MPA>

Panther Pride Archive - <http://www.menaulschool.com/frmPantherPride.aspx>

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BE A PART OF THE ADVENTURE!

Weekly adventures include: Space Odyssey, Wild West, Lumberjacks, Pirates, African Safari, and Trekkers!



Join us for a summer of fun at our 2011 Panther Camp! We will go on weekly adventures that take us to outer space, the African savannah, and on deck with the pirates, to name a few! Our camp is affordable and all inclusive, with lunch, two snacks per day, and field trips all part of the price! We will also explore God's creation through daily devotionals, educational activities, crafts, games, water play and community service projects. Don't miss out on this year's Panther Camp!



Grades 1st-6th
6 Weekly Sessions: June 13-July 1 and
July 11- July 29
Monday—Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Contact Panther Camp Coordinators Kim and Pat Cartwright at 505-345-7727 or KCartwright@MenaulSchool.com, or visit the Panther Camp page at <http://www.MenaulSchool.com> for more information!

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Menaul School's Summer Reading Announcement

Upper School: *Life of Pi*
By Yann Martel

Middle School: *The Giver*
By Lois Lowry

Find these excellent books at the
public library, books stores, or
Amazon.com

*Students, please have your book
finished by the first day of school,
Wednesday August 17th*

SUMMER SCHOOL!

DEADLINE FOR SIGNING UP: MAY 20TH, 2011!

CLASSES OFFERED: ENGLISH & ALGEBRA 1!

Cost for each class is as follows:

\$400 = one credit

June 6 – July 1 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

\$250 = half credit

June 6 – July 1 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Please contact Ms. Monahan if you are in need of further information.





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Menaul School is collecting recycled stuff for Panther Camp

- 2 liter bottles
- large cardboard boxes
- shoe boxes
- metal hangers
- foil
- newspaper
- magazines
- egg cartons
- vases
- scrap fabric and yarn
- old towels

Please bring donations to Laurie Gilbert or Tiffany Lo-Finch.
Thank You!

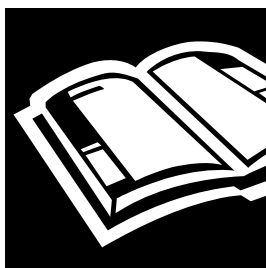


MENAUL MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETICS PIZZA GET TOGETHER

Tuesday, May 24th
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
in the cafeteria

This will be a time to hang out with one another and a time to thank all of the Middle school Athletes who participated this year. Hope to see you there!

- Athletic Director, Josh Sears



ATTENTION STUDENTS AND PARENTS—

LIBRARY BOOKS CANNOT BE CHECKED OUT

AFTER MAY 13TH

AND ALL BOOKS ARE DUE MAY 17TH



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THIS WEEK'S CAFETERIA MENU



MONDAY 5/16

Pasta w/ Tomato Sauce
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

TUESDAY 5/17

Turkey Chili
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

WEDNESDAY 5/18

Beef Burritos w/ Sour Cream
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

THURSDAY 5/19

Fish Tenders w/ French Fries
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

FRIDAY 5/20

Bratwurst on a Roll
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

MONDAY 5/23

Macaroni and Cheese
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day

TUESDAY 5/24

Beef Tacos
Mixed Vegetables
Salad Bar
Soup of the Day