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- October 3rd Run Club begins 1:45-2:45 every Tuesday for those who signed up
- October 6th University of Florida Homecoming–no school
- October 9th SRA classroom reading training for parents 8:00 a.m. or 5:30 p.m.
- October 13^{th} Phonics review for parents 8:00 a.m.
- October 16th Phonics review for parents 5:30 p.m.
- October 17th HLA Board of Directors Meeting –4:30 p.m.
- October 25th Wear orange in support of Anti-Bullying Month
- October 26th Parent Involvement Night–all grades- math workshop–see reverse for invitation
- October 20th Teacher work day no school
- October 27th Farmers' Market at HLA!!! 1:45 p.m. More information to follow
- October 24th Picture day!
- October 31st Pumpkin Day! Sign up on Sign-Up Genius on school website

*Pumpkin Day will be held on October 31st. Please send a small pumpkin with your child's name on it on that day. **DO NOT cut the top off the pumpkin.** Volunteers may sign up on the Sign-Up Genius page on our HLA website for **one** two hour shift. Only one volunteer per household and be sure you can commit to being here before you sign up, please.

*Bring Your Dad to School day was a success! We will continue to host Bring Your Family to School days. Your participation means the world to your children and helps start your day off right, as well!

*Please be sure to consult the HLA handbook in regard to student birthday celebrations. All snacks must follow handbook guidelines and be approved by the teacher at least two days in advance. Thank you for supporting our mission to help the children learn to enjoy healthy lifestyle choices.

*We are having issues with tardiness. School begins promptly at 7:45 a.m. Please have your child here by 7:40 to ensure they have time to check in and unpack before Morning Meeting begins at 7:45. Doors open at 7:15 a.m. and Morning Mile starts as soon as we have two parent volunteers here to help.

*Your children's former and future artwork is displayed on Artsonia. You can purchase a variety of items with your children's artwork on them at this site. New families should have received an email from Artsonia. If your children attended HLA last year, you already have access. Visit the site at: <u>https://www.artsonia.com</u>. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Katje at <u>kjanisch@hlacharter.com</u>. or Kimberly Rousseau at <u>kimfm@cox.net</u>.

*Thank you to everyone who has already volunteered this year!!!! We have had an incredible start to the new year! There are so many things we could not do without you! I am including a list of "at home" and "at school" jobs that we need help with in the electronic version of the newsletter. Please take a look at the list and let me know if you can help.

HLA loves its children and their families!

Mission Statement: To provide excellence in education with a focus on lifelong health, nutrition, and fitness for the creative mind and healthy body.