



WORLD'S FINEST CHOCOLATE

Candy is going home today! The sales competition will run through April 13. Prizes will be: 1^{st} – Dinner and movie for 4; 2^{nd} - \$50 gift card; 3^{rd} - \$25 gift card. There will be a pizza party for the highest selling class and a large candy bar will be given to the top seller in each classroom. Please be sure to turn in the money for one box before taking a second. This could help determine winners in the event of a tie.

VALENTINE CANDY GRAMS ~ THIS WEEK

High schoolers will be selling candy grams all week to raise money for their spring trip to Williamsburg, VA. Each gram costs \$1.00 and will consist of a piece of candy with a personalized message attached. They can be purchased in the morning near the double glass doors and will be delivered at the end of each school day. Students in grades 4-12 may purchase one for their fellow schoolmates and parents may purchase them for their child in any grade.

FEBRUARY ~ OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP GRANT MONTH

New and renewal applications must be completed in February in order to be on the priority list! If you know of any families who could benefit from this program, please pass the word along. For more information and the online application go to www.ncseaa.edu/OSG.htm. Disability Grant families must renew in April and new student Disability Grant applications open May 1. A detailed information sheet is attached. Please read it carefully for yourself so you can explain the program to friends and family. We have several students already benefiting from these scholarships.

SPIRIT WEEK COMING SOON

Get ready for Feb. 27- Mar. 3! Theme Days: Monday - School Spirit Day, Tuesday - Tacky Tuesday, Wednesday - Neon Day, Thursday - American Pride Day, and Friday - Team Choice.

SPIRIT WEEK PROJECTS

Our **Community Service Project** this year will be collecting food for CUOC (Christian United Outreach Center) that assists hundreds of families across Randolph County. Let's help them meet the needs of others! Every food item donated will also earn your class a point in the competition. Canned meats will earn 2 points! Our **Money Jar** competition this year will go toward classroom technology, such as a projector for the modular classroom building and if possible, adapters that turn projectors and white boards into smart boards. The format this year is called, "The Penny War". Read the attached information carefully and work hard to earn some fast money. Get ready. Spirit Week 2017 is coming soon!

ITEMS NEEDED

If anyone has a DVD or video player in good condition that they no longer need, please consider donating it to the academy.

YEARBOOK PICTURES NEEDED

Parents, if you have pictures from school functions (fieldtrips, Christmas program, etc.) that we could use for the yearbook, please email those to Martha Murray at mmurray2@triad.rr.com.