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Upcoming Events

November 15
Sophomore College Tour

November 18-22
Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

November 22-23
Disney Parade

November 22
Handel's Messiah

November 25-29
Thanksgiving Break
NO SCHOOL

December 10
JK-1st Christmas Program

December 14
ACT Test Day at TKA

December 16-19
HS/MS School Semester Exams

December 17
Christmas at the Kravis (2nd-12th Grade)

December 19
End of Second Term
HALF DAY

**December 20–
January 6**
Christmas Break
NO SCHOOL



Tickets are on sale for *Handel's Messiah*, featuring our His People Honors Choir. There will be one performance on **Friday, November 22nd at 7:00pm.**

Tickets at TKAFineArts.net

Grandparents' Day Program now on YouTube

[Click here](#) to watch the live recording of TKA's 2019 Grandparents' and Veteran's Day program.



Fall Open House Brings Large Numbers

The King's Academy Admissions Office hosted a record 108 families, representing a total of 134 potential students at yesterday's Fall Open House. Student ambassadors served throughout the day welcoming families and providing campus tours. God continues to bless TKA in so many ways, but perhaps the most important is bringing new students with whom we can share the Gospel of Jesus Christ!



Students Explore a Career in Medicine

The Pre-Medical Program of Distinction students visited JFK Medical Center this week for "A Career in Medicine," a program designed especially for them. The program included lunch and an open discussion with Dr. Marcos Nores, board certified thoracic surgeon and Medical Director of Cardiovascular Services, and TKA alumnus Dr. Andrew Fischer '96, Associate Program Director of the JFK Internal Medicine Residency Program. In addition students met with the Program Director of the JFK Internal Medicine Residency Program, Pharmacy Clinical Manager, and Manager of Radiology/Diagnostic Imaging, as each professional shared with students about their education and specialties. They also enjoyed a tour which included hearing from specialists in the Orthopedic Institute, the Critical Care Unit and the Emergency Department, providing exposure to valuable career conversations and field experiences.



Seniors Bond at Retreat

The Class of 2020 enjoyed a 3-day retreat in Lake Placid earlier this week. Activities like zip-lining, climbing, bowling, laser tag, and mini golf, mixed with powerful Chapels, a bonfire and faculty panels, brought the class closer to God and to one another. Students were challenged to trust God with their future goals, plans, and fears.



Christian Legal Society Breakfast

O'Keeffe Pre-Law Scholarship recipients hosted the November lunch meeting of the Palm Beach County chapter of the Christian Legal Society on Wednesday. Students prepared a brief presentation on the O'Keeffe Pre-Law Program for the fifteen attorneys and judges present. After the presentation, students conversed with the legal professionals about the legal field and what it means to be a Christian attorney.



Lions Swim Closes Record-Breaking Season

Boys swimming closed out a record-breaking season with a strong finish. The Lions returned from Sailfish Swim Park with three individual state championships. The 200 medley relay of Will Coady '22, Christian Proscia '22, Noah Sipowski '21, and Josh Zuchowski '22 dominated the field. Josh Zuchowski defended his 2018 100 back state championship and claimed the 200 IM. Congratulations to the girls 200 free relay and 400 free relay who finished with program record high medals for 4th and 7th places respectively.



Cross Country Claims Historic Finish

Lions boys and girls cross country continued their historic rise at the FHSAA State Championships in Tallahassee last weekend. Both teams were moved up a classification and were ready to meet the challenge as they claimed the highest finishes in school history with both teams claiming top four spots (girls 3rd and boys 4th). Along the way, Avery Fronrath '24, Mia Rodriguez '22, and Cameron Dunn '20 earned a spot on the medal podium as top 15 finishers.



Athletes Commit to Play Collegiately

Four TKA athletes committed to play their sport at the collegiate level on Wednesday. Congratulations to Nathan Todd (Baseball) Hood College, Hunter Furtado (Baseball) Wake Forest, Cameron Dunn (Cross Country) Elon University, and Justin Lovell (Baseball) Palm Beach Atlantic University. Go Lions!



Impact Cheer Team Wins First Championship

Congratulations to TKA's new elementary Impact Competitive Cheer Team for winning its inaugural Fellowship of Christian Cheerleading (FCC) Regional Championship at Southeastern University last weekend. The team is composed of 15 hard working 1st-6th graders that practice 2 days per week. Their next competition is in Daytona on December 7th and their final competition is alongside the Varsity Competition Cheerleaders in Orlando for the FCC Nationals on Jan 2nd-4th. Great job Lady Lions!



Homecoming Recap Video

Did you miss our 50th Anniversary Homecoming celebration or want to relive that memorable night? Check out this new #TKAtv video highlighting the return of former Athletic Director Jon Roncace, many of King's best athletes, and hundreds of alumni as Lions Football defeated Lasalle 44-8! [Click here](#) to watch.



Charlotte's Web Day in Third Grade

The endearing characters from Zuckerman's *Farm* were brought to life today as 3rd graders dressed as their favorite characters from Charlotte's Web. Students captured the characters' colorful personalities and traits with their creative costume designs. It was a memorable way to show their appreciation of literature and their grasp of the material as they concluded the reading unit on this classic story.



Food Drive Final Totals

Kudos to TKA's Key Club for collecting over 7,600 items of food from MS/HS families to feed the hungry in Palm Beach County with CROS Ministries. They will be collecting from elementary families the week after Thanksgiving. Thank you to all the families who participated.



"We will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and His might, and the wonders that He has done." Psalm 78:4