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# Timber Tales

Tuesday, November 17th is Open House at Macon- Hall!



Open House will be from 5:30—7:00 pm. Come join us for dinner catered by The Germantown Commissary before you visit your child's classroom and tour the school. Order forms for dinner tickets will be coming home with your child soon. We hope everyone will join us - our children have been working hard to get ready for this special night!



## Angel Tree

Have you counted your blessings this year? We have several children right here at Macon-Hall that belong to families that are struggling. Where possible, we ask that each Macon-Hall family contribute a small donation to come to the aid of these families and make sure these children have a good holiday season. Please place any donation you are willing to make in an envelope, labeled "Angel Tree," and send it to school with your child. Donations will be accepted through Friday, December 11th. We will take these funds and purchase necessities for these families.

Your donation, no matter how small, will help us bless these families. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us.

Thank you,

Gene & Stephanie Nell

Macon-Hall PTA Family Life

901-624-9503 or [gsnell24@yahoo.com](mailto:gsnell24@yahoo.com)



The Membership form is available online at [www.maconhallpta.org](http://www.maconhallpta.org)!!! You can print it, fill it out and send it in with your student, or ask relatives to join and mail their forms to the school.

*Our current membership count is 974. When we reach our goal of 1,115 students, the PTA will raffle off an NBA Basketball signed by Grizzlies Guard, Mike Conley. Every student that brings in a membership will have a chance to win!*



i-SAFE Inc. is the worldwide leader in Internet safety education. Founded in 1998 and endorsed by the U.S. Congress, i-SAFE is a non-profit foundation dedicated to protecting the online experiences of youth everywhere. i-SAFE incorporates classroom curriculum with dynamic community outreach to empower students, teachers, parents, law enforcement and concerned adults to make the Internet a safer place. Visit <http://isafe.org> for more information.

Please visit our school's web site at [www.scsk12.org/SCS/elementary/Macon\\_Hall/Welcome.html](http://www.scsk12.org/SCS/elementary/Macon_Hall/Welcome.html).



## We're Paperless!

Hopefully you're reading an electronic version of Timber Tales. Please remember to check your inbox or visit us at [www.maconhallpta.org](http://www.maconhallpta.org) for all future issues!

If you didn't receive an electronic copy, please contact your Room Parent or email me at [renee\\_landry@bellsouth.net](mailto:renee_landry@bellsouth.net).

## ONLINE SHOPPING AT THE BOOKFAIR!!!



We are excited to introduce online shopping at this year's book fair! Students can create and email wish lists to family and friends, and teachers can create and publish classroom wish lists for book fair customers. Online shopping is available 3 business days before the school book fair begins and will be available 3 business days after the school book fair ends (November 11-24). Customers will be able to shop 24 hours a day and will have access to hundreds of titles. All orders will be delivered to school approximately 10 days after online ordering ends. Log on at [www.Scholastic.com/schoolbookfairs](http://www.Scholastic.com/schoolbookfairs).

*Check out the library page of our school's website for more information!!*

### SCHOOL BOOK FAIR HOURS:

Mon, Nov 16: 5pm - 7 pm Preview Night

Tue, Nov 17: 5 pm - 7:30 pm Open House Night

Wed, Nov 18: 7:45 am - 8:30 am Grandparent Shopping Day

Thurs, Nov 19: 5 pm - 7:30 pm Community Night

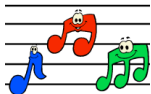
*Please come out and support Macon-Hall's Library!*

### Veterans Day



Next Wednesday, November 11th is Veterans Day - please remember the brave men & women who serve and have served our great country!

**NO SCHOOL WED, NOV 11TH**



### Immersion Volunteers Needed!

Parent volunteers are needed to help with the musical portion of Immersion. MUSICAL TALENT IS NOT REQUIRED! Ms. Bradley needs assistance painting skeletons and labeling planets. If you have the time to donate, please contact her as soon as possible at

[s1bradley@scsk12.org](mailto:s1bradley@scsk12.org).



Visit <http://www.scscfe.com> for monthly lunch menus! Scroll down the page and click on **Elementary Menu** for Macon-Hall's menu in a printable .PDF format.



### CLINIC SUPPLIES

Our clinic is in need of Band-Aids in assorted sizes (especially the larger sizes). Small-sized girl's clothing is also wanted - our younger students have the occasional accident and donations of used clothing would be greatly appreciated! If you are able, please send these items to school marked "Clinic". Thank you so much for your generosity!

### Clip them, Save them, Send them in!

A HUGE thanks to all the parents that have sent in Box Tops this year.

We have collected over \$1,000 worth of Box Tops so far! Keep Clipping!!!!

The Oct/Nov contest ends Nov 30!



## Our Mission at Macon-Hall Is . . .

**To create a safe, nurturing environment where the diversity of all students is valued equally in a community of high expectations.**

**We strive to ensure that our students meet or exceed all NCL benchmarks, become creative problem solvers, and demonstrate effective citizenship and social skills.**