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PEACHTREE ACADEMY PRIVATE SCHOOL
A COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL



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From the Headmaster...

Peachtree Academy opened its doors 10 years ago as a college-preparatory, private, Christian school with one Kindergarten class. In that brief time, we have grown to 300 students from Pre-K through 11th grade at three locations. We are excited to note that we will be adding our first graduating class in the upcoming 2012-2013 school year. We have grown and continue to do so, we believe, due to the grace of God and pray for his guidance each and every day in the operations of our school.

As a Christian school, Peachtree has a two part mission, 1) to assist students to achieve their full, God-given potential and, 2) to educate students for acceptance at the finest colleges and universities in the nation. Embracing both is a challenge to which our certified, degreed, and experienced teaching staff is well prepared. Peachtree Academy students score at least two to three years above grade level as measured by the Stanford Achievement Test. We believe that outstanding academic outcomes are due to excellent instruction paired with personal relationships built on a belief in the power of prayer and a shared love of Christ.

Take a role in helping to choose your child's classmates. Tell your friends about the great things we are doing here at Peachtree Academy and invite them to visit our school. Open houses are scheduled for Feb. 4, Feb. 25, Mar. 24, and Apr. 14, and are listed on our website.

Wendy Hughes, Headmaster

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Re-Enrollment for 2012-2013

GOING ON NOW!

You may pick up your re-enrollment packets in the front office at your campus, or download them from our website.

It's going to be a GREAT year at Peachtree Academy, so complete registration now!

**Secure your child's place at your preferred campus by Feb. 1st
and avoid a higher tuition rate increase!**



Peachtree Academy

**Re-Enrollment deadline is
Wednesday, February 1st.**

**If you do not register by February 1st
your registration fee will increase
to \$175 AND
you will lose your re-enrollment status.**

**This means that for the 2012-2013
school year a 10% tuition rate increase
will apply, instead of the re-enrollment
3% increase.**

You don't want to wait!

February Panther of the Month

Each month we recognize a student who has demonstrated outstanding behavior, both in the classroom and in on the playground.

Students selected for the month of December are as follows: Jaeden Brown, Jalen Fannin, Gavin Smith & Haylee Vazquez (Pre-K); Madeline Drummond & Hayden Hill (Kindergarten); Morgan Kennybrew & Meredith McBay (1st); Amelia Page (2nd); Deanna Azahar (3rd); Jayla Williams (4th)
Congratulations to all these students. Convers students will be recognized during our Tuesday Chapel program at 1:15 on February 7.

Take Note!



Important dates for February

- 1 Re-enrollment deadline**
- 7 Chapel, 1:15 – January Panther of the Month recognition**
- 7 Junior Honor Society Induction**
- PTO Meeting, Elementary**
- Drama/Spanish performance**
- 9 Early Release, 12 PM /Parent Conferences**
- 10 Valentine's Day Celebration, 1:15 PM**
- 13-17 Winter Break, Camp provided**
- 21 Advisory Board Meeting, Covington**

The following is an excerpt from Mrs. Howell's 4th grade class newspaper, Edition 1:

Writing Corner

“The Panthers in Mrs. Howell's Class...Rrrrrr!”

by Bryson Neal, 4th grade

The Panthers are doing well, so Mrs. Howell thinks we're swell!

She rang the bell, and we drove to Taco Bell.

We ate three tacos, and watched the Denver Broncos.

They played the Falcons like they've never played before,

so we came back and learned more!

Math, Science, and Language Arts, those are the most important parts!

CHOOSE YOUR CHILD'S CLASSMATES

Share our website with your friends and tell them how much you love being at Peachtree Academy; co-workers, soccer, neighborhood, church, Rotary friends. \$200 discount will be given to you for any new private school student that you have referred to Peachtree.

(2012-2013 promotion only)



Book Fair

Conyers Campus
Feb. 20-24

Tell your mom, your dad, your grandparents, uncle, aunt, brother, sister, your neighbors and anybody else that you think would bring you to the Conyers Campus Book Fair!!

The first week after Winter Break we will have our Book Fair in Conyers! There will be lots of great books for you to choose from for Christmas, Birthday, or just every day gifts.

“I find television very educating.

Every time someone turns it on, I go into the other room, grab a book and read, read, read!”

Groucho Marx

“A person who won't read has no advantage over a person who cannot read.”

Mark Twain

Have you heard?



“The team played a really great game yesterday; probably the best I've seen them play.”

Coach Ken

“We are working very hard to make sure that this next year is the best year yet. We have a great team of professionals who are very devoted to Peachtree Academy.”

Mrs. Hughes, Headmaster



What do you love most about Peachtree Academy?

The people; the Christian atmosphere; knowing that my teachers really do care about me; not having to worry about whether or not my child will be safe while at school; Peachtree is like one big happy family and I am so glad to be a part of it-there's always someone looking out for my child.

“My favorite thing at school is recess when I can play with my friends.”

K.C. Holland, Kindergarten B

“I love the teachers and staff here at Peachtree and I love the fact that my children love this school.”

Lynn Osborne, Teacher



Bella Page Memorial Fund

July 3, 2004 – December 20, 2011

Tom and Laurie Page have requested that all honorariums be made in the form of donations to Peachtree Academy.

Currently, the Page family and Peachtree Administrators are in discussion regarding how best to honor Bella in a way that she would be proud. If you have any ideas, would like to make a donation, or need more information, please call 770-860-8900 Ext. 11.

Basketball Schedule

Middle School Schedule

Monday Feb. 6 vs Gwinett Christian Academy 4pm Home JP Carr Gym ****JV has a game to follow****

Thursday Feb. 9 vs Covington Academy 4pm Home JP Carr Gym ****JV has a game to follow***

JV Schedule

Tuesday Jan 31 vs Grace Christian 3:30pm Away Turner Lake Gym

Thursday Feb. 2 vs Eastminster 4pm Home JP Carr Gym

Monday Feb 6 vs Gwinett Christian Academy 5pm Home JP Carr Gym

Thursday Feb 9 vs Covington Academy 5pm Home JP Carr Gym

Tuesday Feb 21 vs Covington Academy 4pm Away Conyers St Gym

Thursday Feb 23 vs Eastminster 4pm Away TBA

Tuesday Feb 28 vs Eastminster 4pm TBA

Thursday March 1 vs Covington Academy 4pm Home JP Carr Gym



Go Panthers!