

# FREEDOM NEWS YOU CAN USE

## Special points of interest:

- All fees must be paid in full by Dec. 31.
- Please call by 9:00 when your child is tardy but will be at school and needs a lunch. We cannot order any more lunches after 10:00 a.m.
- There will not be a Family Night for the second grading period. Awards will be presented during opening assembly at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, January 15, and report cards will be distributed at parent/teacher conferences on Monday, January 18.
- You may purchase homemade hot tamales in the academy office for \$15/dozen. 100% of the money raised on the sale of the tamales goes to FCA. They're yummy!
- In case of inclement weather, FCA makes its own announcement on all three television stations (WBIR, WATE, and WVLT) and on the radio at 107.7 FM.
- We still need small toys for the Accelerated Reader treasure box. They don't have to be new!
- January tuition will be due before we return to school after the holidays. You may send payment by mail or you may leave a check before the break and we will hold it until January 1.

## NEXT WEEK AT FREEDOM

◆ Freedom folders will be sent home on Wednesday, Dec. 16. Please return your child's folder on Thursday.

◆ If your child will need care during Christmas break, reservations and payment must be made by next Wednesday, Dec. 16.

◆ "A Christmas Offering" will be presented on Thursday, Dec. 17, at 6:30 p.m. Students will wear white Freedom shirts and navy pants. We look forward to celebrating Christ's birth all

together as a family!

◆ Students will be dismissed at 11:00 on Friday, Dec. 18. After school care will be provided; the cost is \$10 and includes lunch.

◆ The Freedom staff Christmas lunch is Friday, Dec. 18, from 11:30 until 1:00. If you volunteered to send food, please have it in the parlor by 11:15 that day. We still need at least four people to watch children (mostly infants and toddlers) during the lunch so all of the staff can come.

We also need volunteers to help set up, serve, and clean up from 11:00-1:00. If you can help, please respond using the form below. You will earn hours of Christian service.

◆ If you haven't bought/sold any cookbooks yet, please get yours in the office. Each family is asked to sell only 5 cookbooks. We only have a few hundred left. Proceeds are used to help keep your tuition affordable!

◆ Please turn in all cookbook money next week!

## LOOKING AHEAD

December 21-January 4: No school

January 2: Freedom Holiday Basketball Tournament

January 5: Students return to school

January 18: Parent/Teacher Conference Day/no school

February 15: Staff Development/no school

### Staff Christmas Lunch Volunteers

Yes, I can supervise children from 11:30-1:00.

Yes, I can help set up, serve and clean up from 11:00-1:00.

Name \_\_\_\_\_