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## ACES Book Fair Brings Crowds

November 2007

During the month of October, ACES celebrated a book fair event. ACES students and families purchased books and other items in our media center, and attended the PJ and Pizza night and Grandparents Breakfast. Hundreds of parents and students came to support these events that are growing increasingly popular each year.

Thank you to all our events leaders and parents who dedicated time and effort to help make this year, our most successful year to date.



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- 11/2- Dress Down
- 11/2 Report Cards Go Home
- 11/3 NY Field Trip (6th Grade)
- 11/3 SAB Meeting 7 PM
- 11/7 School Spirit Day
- 11/8 Parent Evening Workshop 7 PM
- 11/9 Dress Down
- 11/12 Veterans Day | NO SCHOOL
- 11/15 MS Leadership Speaker Series 7 PM
- 11/21 Early Release
- 11/22 and 11/23 NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving)
- 11/26 School Spirit
- 11/28 Student of the Month Awards

## Panthers CEO Motivates Middle Schoolers

Mr. Michael Yormark, President of Sunrise Sports and Entertainment visited ACES on Monday, October 22, and spoke to ACES Middle Schoolers and their families on the importance of goal-setting and following dreams.

Mr. Yormark's visit marked the first installment of the Middle School Leadership Speaker series. The next evening event is scheduled for November 15, 2007 where

Students and parents will have another opportunity to attend an evening event together.



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## Checks Payable to City of Aventura

This is a reminder to all of our families that all checks should be made payable to the **City of Aventura**.

In the memo section of the check please indicate your child's name and what the check is for.

We receive checks for various events that are happening around the school and this practice

will help eliminate checks from being applied to the wrong student or event.

Thank you in advance for taking the extra minute to earmark your checks.



## Recreation Center Parking



Please be aware that we share our street with the Aventura Community Recreation Center. Recreation Center members visit the Recreation Center throughout the day and evening hours and need to park in the parking spaces available to them. that

There are members that are pulling in and out of parking spaces at the recreation center during drop off and dismissal. We appreciate parent cooperation as we are sharing the space and would like for everyone to be able to access the recreation center

and the school.



## First Quarter Report Cards Sent Home

The first quarter report cards of the 2007-2008 school year have gone home this past Friday.

Parents please be sure to go over your with him or her and return the signed report card envelope to your

homeroom teacher. Remember that our teachers and staff are here to hold parent conferences before and after school. Please feel free to email your

child's teacher to set up a conference.

We are very proud of all

the hard work that ACES students put forth during 1st quarter, and we are looking forward to an even more productive 2nd quarter.



## ACES Parents Prepare Feast for Teachers

On Friday, October 26, ACES teachers were welcomed in the elementary cafeteria by parents who cooked a gourmet pot luck luncheon to show how much they care. A team of parents led by Phyllis Borenstein, a third grade parent decorated and trans-

formed the cafeteria into a beautiful fall scene complete with inspirational signs and fall leaves.

On behalf of the teachers and staff at ACES, Thank you!



## ACES Accepts Award for Character Education

On November 1st and 2nd ACES was honored at the National Character Education Program conference for our contributions made through our "Community Reach Program".

raised over \$42,000 that went to support various organizations worldwide. Our students are learning at a very young age the importance of being socially responsible citizens. ACES has a Great Job!

