



Academy of Science and Technology

NEWCLIPPINGS

Dr. Susan Caffery, Headmaster

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Upcoming Events

From the Headmaster

October is a busy month for our students. Please read our news below.

Oct 15
AST 8th
grade
testing

Quote: ***Make the most of yourself by fanning the tiny, inner sparks of possibility into flames of achievement.***

Golda Meir

Oct 22
AST 8th
grade
testing ;
Practice
ACT

Susan M. Caffery, Ed.D. LPC

Senior Gala Volunteers Needed

The Gala Committee is requesting volunteers to assist with the Gala. The Committee has just announced Save the Date with posters seen in the Academy classrooms. The Senior Gala will be on May 7, 2023. This year the theme is Greek Mythology. There will be a planning meeting on October 22nd at 2pm at Nancy Temple's house (57 South Concord Forest Circle, The Woodlands, 77381). If you are interested in joining the committee, please join us.

Oct 25
DLS

ASU Pumpkin Decorating Event (Oct 27)

Join ASU and your peers for the **Second Annual ASU Pumpkin Decorating Event on Friday, October 28 from 2:45pm – 4pm in the LGI**. The cost is \$10 per student. Students must pay in advance. Deadline is October 27 at 3pm. You can pay on School Cash using this link:

<https://conroeisd.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/36932/195/False/True>



Nov 8
Chevron
Tour

Nov 14
PAST Board
Meeting

PAST Halloween Party (Oct 28)

Freshman Class representatives Olga Morozov, Carmela Popovici, and Jennifer Rice are inviting all Academy students to a **Halloween Party on Saturday, October 29 from 7pm – 10pm at the home of Jennifer Rice (2 Dovecote, The Woodlands, TX 77382)**. Students who want to attend need to Venmo Mrs. Rice with \$20 (@Jennifer-Rice-107) by **October 20th**.

Jennifer Rice
@Jennifer-Rice-107



Nov 21-25
Thanksgiving
Break

Dec 16
AST Donut
Day

Teacher Appreciation

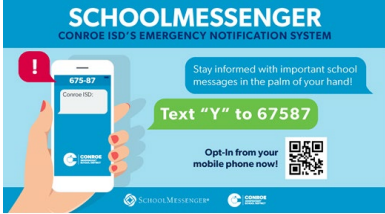
The PAST Teacher Appreciation committee works to show the AST teachers and staff how much we appreciate all that they do for our students. Along with presenting a birthday card and gift card to each staff member on their birthday, we also provide lunch for our ten AST teachers and staff once a month.

Winter
Break
Dec 19 –
Jan 2

Jan 3
Teacher
Work Day

If you are interested in supporting Teacher Appreciation, please go to the PAST website, choose Fundraising on the left-hand side, and select AST Teacher Appreciation. Once you

<p>Jan 7 FIRST Kick Off</p>	<p>are on that page, click on the PayPal button to donate. Also, if you might be interested in sponsoring an entire month's lunch (either by purchasing or making lunch), please contact Cathy Pittenger at cathyag93@aol.com for more details.</p>						
<p>Jan 9 PAST Board Meeting</p>	<p>Thank you for helping to show our appreciation to our AST teachers and staff!</p> <p>NASA High School Aerospace Scholars</p>						
<p>Jan 13 AST Donut Day Coffee with Headmaster</p>	<p>High School Juniors may apply to the NASA HAS program. Students must commit to complete the online modules to be considered for the week-long summer experience. The online work + summer experience qualifies for internship credit. The application opens Monday, August 29, 2022, and deadline to apply is Thursday, October 20, 2022, at 2p.m. CDT.</p> <p>Please visit https://www.nasa.gov/centers/johnson/stem/High_School_Aerospace_Scholars.html for more information.</p>						
<p>Jan 16 Holiday</p>	<p>Fall Distinguished Lecture Series</p>						
<p>Jan 19, 23, 25 AST Interviews</p>	<p>Please put the following lectures on your schedule. The webinar information can be found in Canvas.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="337 926 1547 1052"> <tr> <td>October 25</td> <td>Oscar Santollani</td> <td><i>Models, Simulation, Optimization: My Story of Entrepreneurship and Human Skills</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nov 15</td> <td>Dr. Bhagyashri Chander</td> <td><i>Let's Talk Artificial Intelligence</i></td> </tr> </table>	October 25	Oscar Santollani	<i>Models, Simulation, Optimization: My Story of Entrepreneurship and Human Skills</i>	Nov 15	Dr. Bhagyashri Chander	<i>Let's Talk Artificial Intelligence</i>
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<p>Jan 26 SCI://TECH Science Fair</p>	<p>Practice SAT and ACT tests</p>						
<p>Jan 27 TJSHS</p>	<p>The Academy has partnered with The Woodlands Prep to offer FREE practice SAT and ACT tests. Please use the links provided in the email to register your student for these tests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> October 22 Practice ACT 						
<p>Jan 31 AST Internship Presentation Night</p>	<p>Regeneron Science Talent Search 2023 (Seniors only)</p>						
<p>Feb 10 Set up projects SEFH</p>	<p>The Regeneron STS is the nation's oldest and most prestigious science competition for high school seniors. Alumni have made extraordinary contributions to science and have earned many of the world's most distinguished science and math honors, including thirteen Nobel Prizes. Students who are interested in applying must submit an original, independent research project centered in science, mathematics, or engineering. The application includes essays, Research Report, recommendations and transcripts, and test scores. The deadline is November 9, 2022, at 8pm EST. For more information go to societyforscience.org/regeneron-sts/ The top 300 scholars will be announced early January 2023; the top 40 Finalists announced mid-January 2023. This competition is only for individual projects – no team projects can enter.</p>						
<p>Feb 11 SEFH</p>	<p>College Testing</p>						
<p>Feb 13 PAST Board Meeting</p>	<p>Please check College Board and ACT for any updates to testing.</p> <p>SAT Test Dates (collegeboard.org)</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="337 1850 1338 1894"> <tr> <td>Test Date</td> <td>Normal Registration</td> <td>Late Registration</td> <td>Score Release</td> </tr> </table>	Test Date	Normal Registration	Late Registration	Score Release		
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	December 3, 2022	November 5, 2022	November 19, 2022	December 16, 2022
	March 11, 2023	February 11, 2023	February 25, 2023	March 24, 2023
	May 6, 2023	April 8, 2023	April 22, 2023	May 19, 2023
	June 3, 2023	May 6, 2023	May 20, 2023	June 16, 2023
Feb 20 Holiday	ACT Test Dates (ACT.org)			
Feb 22 Register Class of 2027	Test Date	Regular Registration	Late Registration	Photo Upload Deadline
	October 22, 2022	September 16, 2022	September 30, 2022	October 14
	December 10, 2022	November 4, 2022	November 11, 2022	December 2, 2022
	February 11, 2023	January 6, 2023	January 20, 2023	February 3, 2023
	April 15, 2023	March 10, 2023	March 24, 2023	April 7, 2023
Feb 25 BioTech competition	June 10, 2023	May 5, 2023	May 19, 2023	June 2, 2023
	July 15, 2023	June 16, 2023	June 23, 2023	July 7, 2023
	To receive SMS/text messages from Conroe ISD, or your child's campus about timely issues including rainy day dismissal or campus updates, text "Y" to 67587.			
Mar 7 DLS				
Mar 8 PTO Pres/ Principal Meeting				
Mar 13-17 Spring Break				