



VOTED CENLA'S BEST
PRIVATE SCHOOL

2023-2024

ANNUAL REPORT

A large group of diverse children, likely students of Alexandria Country Day School, are posed on a rocky hillside. They are wearing winter clothing like jackets, sweaters, and hats. The children are of various ages and ethnicities, all smiling and looking towards the camera. The background shows a cloudy sky and some trees.

ALEXANDRIA
COUNTRY DAY
SCHOOL

VISION AND MISSION

ALEXANDRIA COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

Founded in 1969, Country Day is an independent, coeducational school. We are non-sectarian and serve grades Pre-K3 through 12.

Country Day offers a challenging curriculum as well as many opportunities to excel in athletics and the arts.

VISION

Educational Excellence to Inspire Lifelong Success

MISSION

The mission of Alexandria Country Day School is to provide a challenging learning culture where all students can become Creative, Innovative, Future Leaders.

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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

As I reflect on the 2023-2024 school year, I am filled with a unique sense of pride and nostalgia. Country Day has been my home for the last five years, and through the unwavering support of our community, I've witnessed remarkable strides and enhancements within the school. Like most independent schools, our tuition falls short of covering the complete cost of educating a student. We rely on the benevolence of donors to the Country Day Fund, grants, and targeted contributions to bridge the financial gap and elevate our educational standards.

Each year, we craft an Annual Report to express gratitude to the individuals and organizations supporting Country Day and to provide transparency and accountability. It serves as evidence that your contributions were faithfully allocated to uphold the school's mission. In the pages that follow, you'll see how your generosity has enabled us to achieve remarkable progress and transformation.

We've revamped all the lighting throughout the Bayou Rapides campus, installing energy-efficient LED bulbs that provide better lighting and reduce our annual energy expenses. Additionally, we've equipped the Upper School with new ActivePanels and established a cutting-edge Esports room featuring top-of-the-line gaming computers. Investing in professional development, we've engaged an educational consultant to work with our Board and faculty. Enhancements to our athletics fields, including the addition of drainage systems, are underway, with plans to relocate the baseball field and implement a soccer field. These are just a few examples of the tangible impact of your generosity.

Although this marks my final year at Country Day, I am profoundly grateful for the opportunities and memories bestowed upon me and my family. With your ongoing support, I am confident that Country Day will continue to flourish, nurturing future generations of leaders and innovators. Thank you for being an essential part of our journey and for your enduring commitment to our shared success.



MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD PRESIDENT

Growth. It is the word that comes to mind when I think about Alexandria Country Day School: growth in our children, our faculty and staff, our board of trustees and in our campus. In the last several years we have improved facilities, added a high school, opened a Maker Space and are working to improve on-site athletic facilities. None of that growth is possible without the generous support from our families and community partners.

While our tuition dollars pay our staff and keep the lights on, it is the donations through our fundraisers such as Casino Night, Monster Bash and, our main source of support, the Annual Fund, that help ACDS to be a leader in education in Central Louisiana.

Fundraising provides updated school technology for our Bayou Rapides and high school campus at LSUA, allows major projects, and lets us send our faculty to professional development activities that translate to best practices in the classroom where we are making creative, innovative future leaders.

As you review this annual report, I hope you are excited about what we as a school community have done and all the growth to come. Thank you again for your support and for growing bright futures with us.

2023-2024 EVENTS



MAKER SPACE OPENING



2023-2024 EVENTS



1ST PLACE STEAM FAIR WINNERS!



GEOGRAPHY BEE WINNERS



MATH COUNTS CHAMPIONS



BETA ENGINEERING CHAMPIONS

2023-2024 EVENTS



INAUGURAL ESPORTS TEAM!



2ND PLACE BOYS CROSS COUNTRY WINNERS



SOCCKER CHAMPIONS



5TH GRADE BASEBALL CHAMPS

2023-2024 EVENTS



MANNA HOUSE FOOD DRIVE. A TOTAL OF 139,000 OZ. OF FOOD WERE COLLECTED WITH OUR FIRST PLACE 5TH GRADERS COLLECTING 56,600.



SOCKS FOR THE FOSTER CARE CLOSET DURING THE MONTH OF SOCK-TOBER!

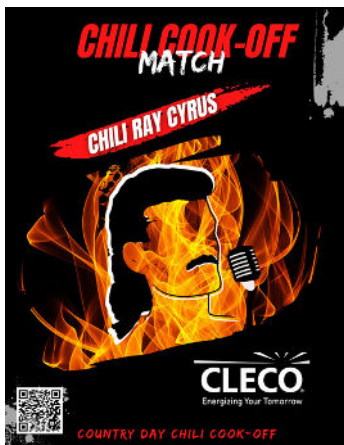


ELIZABETH DRELL, ASSOCIATES OF ART GRADUATING SUMMA CUM LAUDE & ROBERT LANDEN ROLLINS, ASSOCIATES OF SCIENCE, GRADUATING CUM LAUDE.

2023-2024 EVENTS



**CHILI COOK OFF 1ST PLACE
OVER-ALL WINNER**



**OVER 800 PEOPLE WERE IN
ATTENDANCE FOR OUR FREE
FAMILY EVENT!**



2023-2024 EVENTS



4TH CASINO NIGHT FUNDRAISER OF 2024! OUR FUNDRAISING GOAL WAS MET, AND A GREAT TIME WAS HAD BY ALL IN ATTENDANCE.



2023-2024 EVENTS



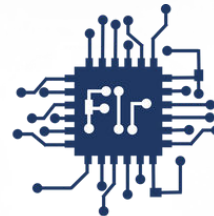
BEAU THE TIGER VISITED OUR TOP LEVEL SPONSORS FOR CASINO NIGHT 2024.



2023-2024 EVENT SPONSORS



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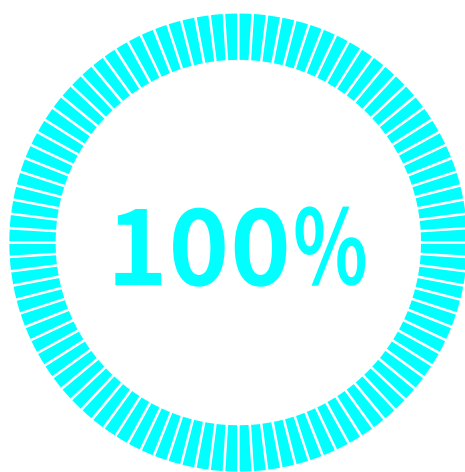
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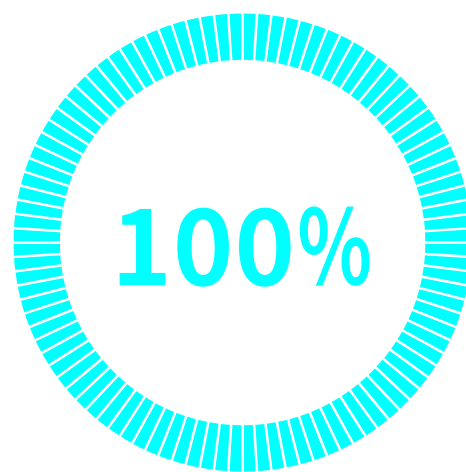
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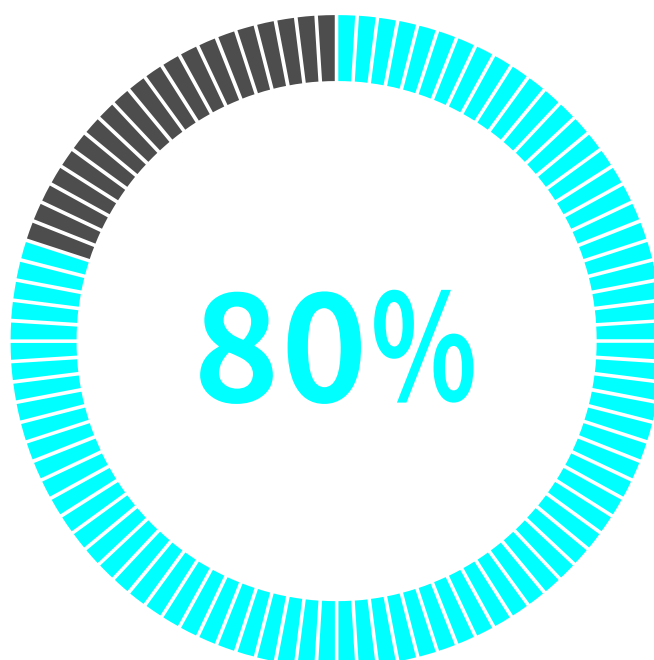
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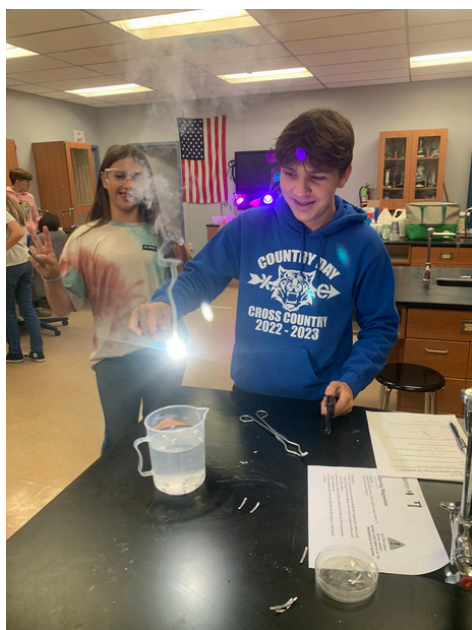
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HANDS ON PROJECTS FOR STUDENTS



Year in Review

FACULTY AND STAFF RECOGNITIONS

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