

The Scholar's Chronicle

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Contact the Editor:

All articles for the May newsletter are due by the 15th of April. Send all articles to: tothe_editor@yahoo.com

Editor-

Lindsey Johnston

Spring Formal

The honor of your presence is requested at

"An Enchanted Evening at the Grand Ballroom"

Spring Formal

on Friday, the twentieth of April

from seven-thirty until eleven-thirty in the evening

The Pupola

6324 Leake Road

Formal Attire Required

All homeschoolers and their guests aged 14 and up are invited to attend. Tickets will be sold beginning March 5 with ticket prices as follows:

"Early Bird" ticket	March 5-31	\$20.00
Month of April ticket	April 1-19	\$25.00
Ticket at the door		\$30.00

Tickets may be ordered by calling Alexa Hunt at 994-0028 or 361-6678 or e-mailing to lexleighand6@aol.com.

ATTENTION SENIORS:

If you plan to participate in Senior Lead Out, please contact Alexa Hunt immediately.



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Chess Club

The chess club will meet the 1st Thursday of every month at Barnes and Noble on Tom Hill Sr. Blvd in Macon . The following dates are Chess Club meetings. Barnes and Noble will set up tables in the back left corner of the store for us.

The time is 1-3 p.m. We hope to see you there. Bring your own chess board!

April 5, 2007

May 3, 2007

June 7, 2007

Questions? Contact Kim Eddy @474-7460 or Mary Beth Johnston @994-3544



Home School Cheerleading

We are now recruiting for the MAC (Macon Area Christian) Mustang Basketball VARSITY CHEERLEADING SQUAD for the 2007-2008 season.

You are invited to attend the 2007 Spring Varsity Cheerleader's gathering on Thursday, April 26, 2007, from 3:00 - 5:00. We are excited about the upcoming season and we are looking forward to meeting each of you. This will be an opportunity for you to see our cheerleaders from this past year in a short demonstration. There will be a time of instruction in cheers and chants from the cheerleaders. We will also have applications and an estimated price sheet for the new year's expenses. We will have the gathering at Unity Baptist Church on Hwy 96 in Warner Robins. If you are interested in participating or for more information contact Kim Leatherwood at (478) 994-6805 or send an email at mkleatherwood@earthlink.net or Tracy Rhoades at (478) 929-5113 or send an email at rhoades_joe@hotmail.com

We hope to see you there!

Sell, Swap, Trade

Wanted 10th Grade (IV) Grammar and Composition Abeka Teacher's Key 1992 Edition. Will buy, trade or borrow. Corina Tweddle 471-8920

Congratulations!!!



Left to right: Marina, Niki, Abigail, Jesse and Julie.

Spelling Bee Contestants

1st Place— Marina Moreira

with the winning word “mermaid”

2nd Place— Niki Johnston

3rd Place—Julie Thomas

4th Place— Abigail Lee

5th Place— Jesse Drew

**Thank you to Belinda Brown for making the Spelling
Bee such an success!**

Breman Museum Fieldtrip

The Breman, Atlanta's Jewish Heritage Museum offers a variety of educational experiences and hosts an incredible and very moving Holocaust display. A fieldtrip has been planned to the Breman Museum on Friday, April 27 from 10:00am to 12:30pm. This will be for 7th-12th graders. Our tour will focus on the Holocaust, have a tour of their Holocaust Memorial room and hear a testimony from a Holocaust Survivor. A meeting will be planned to go over some pre-tour materials sent from the Breman Museum.

Cost is \$4 per person (student's and adults).

We will also be taking Butterflies with us. See the article below.

To sign up contact Mary Beth Johnston at blabsister62@yahoo.com or 478.994.3544 by April 13, 2006



The Butterfly Project

The Breman Museum encourages you to make a butterfly in memory of the children who perished in the Holocaust.

The Holocaust Museum of Houston, Texas plans to collect 1.5 million butterflies in order to create a permanent exhibition honoring the youngest victims of the Holocaust. The Breman Museum of Atlanta has volunteered to coordinate local contributions for the Butterfly Project.

The Butterflies will be collected throughout the remainder of the 2006-2007 school year. Butterflies must be made of non-edible materials.

Read a poem from the book *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*, to learn more about the children of the Holocaust.

Use the attached butterfly on page 8 as an example or color it in. Mail you butterflies to Mary Beth Johnston, 1854 Maynards Mill Rd. Forsyth, GA 31029, **by April 25**. Contact her at blabsister62@yahoo.com or 478.994.3544

For more information about and links related to The Butterfly Project, visit www.thebreman.org or call 678-222-3700 ext. 239.

The Editor's Minute

America was founded to be a country specifically with the freedom of religion. I believe that our founding fathers envisioned this nation to be one of peace and prosperity, where if you were led, you came in complete and voluntary surrender to the Most High G-d.

It seems to me that we have lost that vision of freedom. Today ask anyone what "freedom of religion" means, and I guarantee that the mainstream answer will be that you can choose to practice whatever religion is right for you, however, whenever and wherever you want. There will also be no discrimination because you're protected by the First Amendment. With that in mind, have we totally misconstrued the concept of freedom of religion or what?

So the time has come to decide, are we going to sit back and see what happens or are you doing something about it? Religious freedom is protection from oppression. With this perspective, how is that going to change what you vote for and what you encourage your representative and congressman to support?



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The count down has begun! I will no longer be the Editor in THREE months! So that means the Homeschool Group in dire need for a new Editor! This is a great opportunity for any high school student or parent!

Here is what producing the newsletter includes:

- Collecting articles from the email account
- Putting them into a layout in Publisher (You'll be provided with the program)
- Add clipart
- Proof read (Great job for parents)
- Email to Staples
- Print address labels
- Pick up from Staples, fold, adhere stamps and addresses
- Mail!

