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ALUMNI WEEKEND

SEPTEMBER 2-4, 2016

"A Legacy of Excellence"



This year's NPFAAA had much to celebrate during Alumni weekend. Their chosen theme, "A Legacy of Excellence", set the tone for their planned celebratory activities.

Members of the class of 1966 felt compelled to honor the legacy of President Lyndon B. Johnson. The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA), enacted in 1966 moved the federal government massively into the state and local province of public education. This single act, spearheaded by President Johnson led to so many of the class of 1966 being able to attend Pine Forge Academy, go on to numerous college and universities, and aspire to achieve great highs in their personal and professional lives. The class of 1966 acknowledge how they benefited from Congress passing ESEA, which was part of President Johnson's "War on Poverty". Lynda Bird Johnson Robb, eldest daughter of President Johnson, was invited to attend Alumni weekend events and was publicly thanked for the efforts of her father's legacy which led to so many success stories from the class of 1966. Read more about this story [here](#).

Campus Buildings

Cafeteria 610-326-8886

Handy Hall 610-326-1614

Kimbrough Hall 610-326-8717

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The weekend was filled with numerous additional activities allowing current students and Alumni to connect one with the other.



Alumnae of the Year
70 year Alumna
Dr. Marguerite Anderson Dixon



Alumnus of the Year
Sokoni Scott



Annual Alumni vs. Student basketball game.

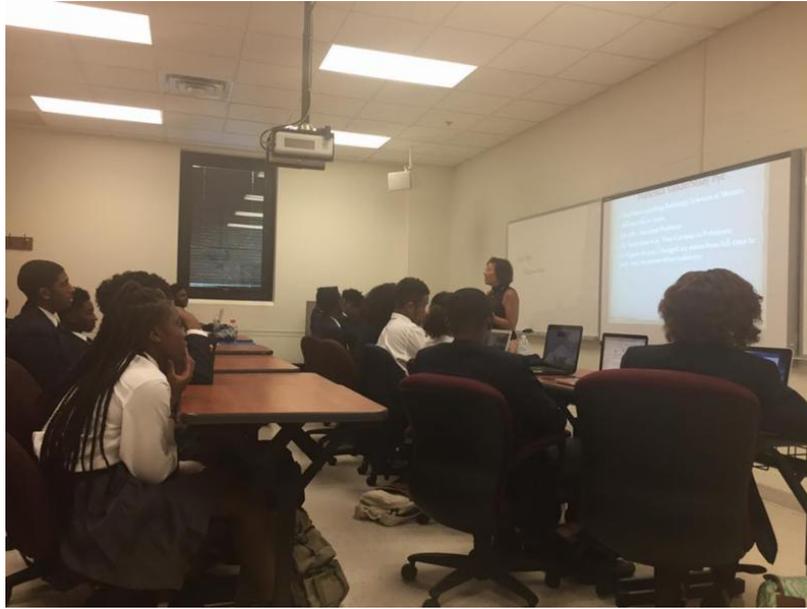
ACADEMY STUDENTS HAVE FIRST DAY OF COLLEGE AFTER FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL



Montgomery County
Community College

The Academy began its first day of school and its 70th year on Monday, August 15, 2016. Two and a half weeks later, over 50 Academy students commenced their first day of college at Montgomery County Community College (MontCo), in Pottstown, PA. The Academy and MontCo partnered a dual enrollment program. The science program track includes: Concepts of Biology, Intro to Human Anatomy & Physiology and Environmental Biology. This type of

academic education quantifies identifiable best practices and college readiness skills for students to be successful.



ACADEMY DAY MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2016

ACADEMY DAY
MONDAY NOV. 14 2016

PINE FORGE ACADEMY IS PROUD TO BE:

- One of three historically African American co-ed boarding schools
- Intimate in size to accommodate diverse learning styles
- A high school that graduates over 98% of its seniors
- 100% of graduating seniors accepted into one or more college or university

Deadline for registration is Wednesday, November 9, 2016. Register on our website, www.PineForgeAcademy.org

Application fee (\$50) for admission to Pine Forge Academy will be waived for all applications submitted in person on Academy Day.

Join us
AS WE CELEBRATE ADVENTIST'S BEST KEPT SECRET...
PINE FORGE ACADEMY

If you are the parent of a student, grades 7 - 11, who is desirous of a rich legacy of academic, social, and spiritual excellence, then come to Academy Day at Pine Forge Academy. Overnight accommodations are available for Sunday, November 13, 2016. Space is limited, so register now!

Academy Day registration [here](#).

DEVELOPMENT USDA/NRCS

The Academy continues to strengthen their collaboration with USDA Natural Resources and Conservation Services (NCRS) representatives in Leesport, PA. Earlier this year the relationship resulted in a grant award in the spring of 2016. The grant will allow the Academy to build a high tunnel to assist with the early growth stages of vegetation in an enclosed environment. Please contact our Development Officer, Dinah Jordan, djordan@pineforgeacademy.org, if you would like to learn more about this grant opportunity.



High Tunnel

Most recently the Leesport, PA representatives participated in the annual Career Fair held Alumni weekend. During the fair, the USDA/NRCS representatives shared information on various internships, volunteer, college scholarships and career opportunities the USDA offers, Academy students can take advantage of.



The Academy was recently the host site for the Pennsylvania USDA/NRCS Civil Rights Advisory Committee meeting. On Tuesday, September 13, 2016, 20 plus USDA/NRCS representatives travelled from all regions of the state of Pennsylvania to have their quarterly committee meeting. The group seeks to meet at sites, throughout the state, whereby they are engaged in agriculture and/or conservation efforts, supported by USDA/NRCS. The Academy's earliest champion with from Leesport, Kefeni Kefeli, requested that the Academy host the meeting.

EVERLASTING GIFT FROM NPFAAA



Outgoing NPFAAA President Sonya Sampson spearheaded a "Buy a Brick" campaign as a fundraiser and beautification project. Class of 1947 members donated funds for the purchase of cast iron benches to complete the memorial walk, which sits near Wagner Hall

THANK YOU NPFAAA!!!

SENIOR PRIVILEGES, SENIOR EXPECTATIONS: SENIOR SEATING



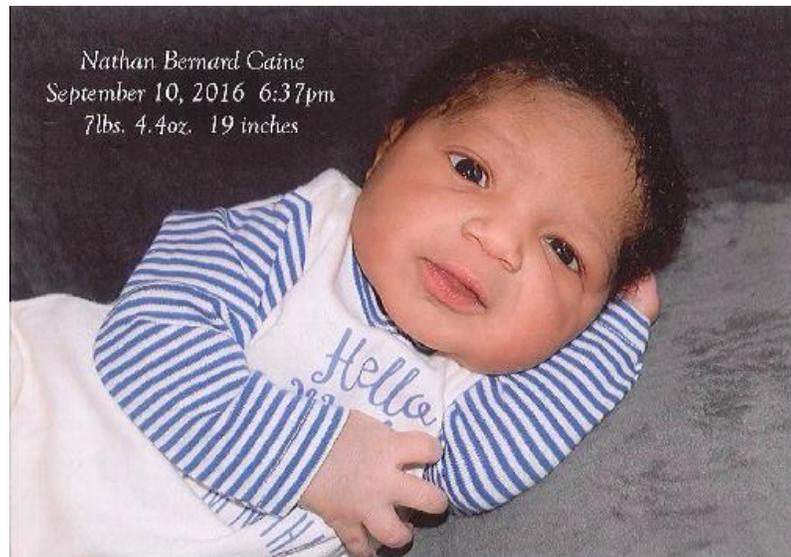
As the Class of 2017 gears up for their last year of high school, there are a lot of emotions and uncertainties about what the next year - and the four years thereafter will bring. High school seniors are on the brink of making some of the biggest decisions of their lives, and for many students and their parents; it will feel as if this moment came sooner than they anticipated. Read more about the Senior Seating experience [here](#). See more pictures of the Senior Seating ceremony

[here.](#)



In order to make this mission trip possible the class must raise **\$25,000**. This money will solely be used to fund housing, transportation, and any other needs pertaining to the mission portion of the trip. The Pine Forge Academy Board of Trustees and The North American Division Office of Education has approved this mission trip and it would be unfortunate if the class cannot collect the necessary funds to go. Please support the Senior Class Jamaica Mission Trip [here](#).

Pine Forge Academy Welcomes, Nathan Bernard Caine



Academy Chaplain Damail Caine and her husband, Eric welcomed the birth of son, Nathan Bernard Caine on Saturday, September 10, 2016. We are thankful for this second addition to the Pine Forge Academy extended family.

Pine Forge 2016 Expectant Mothers



Chauna-Kay (Jaymie) Pottinger

October

Baby Boy

Amber (Gian) Alexis

November

Baby Girl, Arya Lynn

Parent

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- View ACE Aspire Fact Sheet [here](#).
- View Interim School Leadership details [here](#).
- View School Calendar [here](#).
- View Guidance Counselor College Prep Presentation [here](#).
- View 70th Anniversary Webpage [here](#).
- View the PFA-MontCo Dual Credit Science Program Parent Packet [here](#).
- View the Princeton Review Class/Test schedule [here](#).



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