



All-Americans Newsletter

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Important Dates:

Mark Your
Calendars:

****Performances****

•**Hardesty Park:** Sunday 7/27
time: 2:00p.m. WE will
rehearse at the studio at
12:30 and carpool to the
show. Bring your informal
costume to rehearsal.

•**Copley Show:** Sunday 8/24
at 7:00p.m.

•**Riverdale:** October 18th

•**Central Crossing:** November
8th--- 1 DAY BUS TRIP

•**Garfield Heights:** February

far the show looks great and the kids are doing a fantastic job! They will add one more number after the Central Crossing Show. Before major competitions, there will be a Friday Night MANDATORY REHEARSAL--(not for Riverdale, though).

•ETC BOARD NEWS:

Next year there will be rest for the weary!

The board has decided that next spring there will be a 4-6 week break from ETC after Gala. Workshop will be pushed back a week or two next summer.

•As of JULY 13, your \$700.00 dollar tuition payment was due. If you have not paid that yet, you need to contact Joy Houchen, jrhouchen@neo.rr.com, to make payment arrangements ASAP. If you are waiting for Blossom or Bridgestone money from your personal account to

pay your tuition, you need to contact Joy and let her know that.

IMPORTANT CONTACTS:

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FYI: **ANY LAST MINUTE CANCELLATIONS WILL BE POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE!

•COMBO NEWS:

The Combo has met and rehearsed a few times. They sound great!

Carolyn has interviewed Andrew Schifano and is recommending that the board hire him as our new Combo director.

DONATIONS NEEDED:

•Consider donating 1.00 to cover the cost for the printing of The All Americans on our red shirts---it looks great! \$\$ goes to Joy Houchen.

Save your ink and toner cartridges...

•**The Funding Factory Fundraiser** continues all year and we take all the printer ink cartridges for home printers and the smaller business printers. We also take all disconnected cell phones. Check your businesses as well.

•**HELP US AVOID CALENDAR CONFLICTS:** MAKE SURE YOU COME IN AND PUT YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ON OUR MAIN CALENDAR IN THE OFFICE. AS SOON AS YOU KNOW YOUR CHILD'S EXTRA CURRICULAR SCHEDULE, PLEASE STOP IN AND LET US KNOW. THIS WILL HELP US SCHEDULE COMPETITIONS & ACTIVITIES WITH THE LEAST NUMBER OF SCHEDULE CONFLICTS ☺

•If you have any old character shoes that you would be willing to sell, don't forget to bring them into the studio, mark the price and your name.

•**DANCE SNEAKERS:** Kids will need to go to Stage Center on N. Main Street in Akron to be fitted for our Dance Sneaker for the Show. We have chosen a Bloch Shoe called the BLK BOOST. Our price is 36.75. More Stage Center info is listed below and ask for Debbie.

908 N. Main Street
330-535-7816

•They will be closed 7/27 through 8/3.

•The Social committee is beginning to organize some fun trips. We are considering Hallo-Weekends at Cedar Point, and possibly a musical at Play House Square. We will let you know when we finalize ideas and plans.