

# Parent News

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### BJA at Berea SDA

The BJA Alumni is an integral part of our school and community. We are excited to invite you to attend this year's Alumni Program/Church Service Oct. 12, 2019 from 11:00 AM.

All Scholars are expected to attend in their Formal BJA Uniform. Please be at Berea no later than 10:30 AM.

Berea Temple SDA  
1901 Maddison Avenue,  
Baltimore, MD 21217.

### Picture Day

It's time to say Cheeze! Our FORMAL Fall Picture Day is scheduled for Oct. 7, 2019.

Orders can be made by visiting [www.mylifetouch.com](http://www.mylifetouch.com)  
I.D. Code MJ6090100

Order/Payment envelopes were sent home prior. Families should make checks payable to Lifetouch if they are not purchasing online. BJA will not take over the counter envelopes after Mon. 7<sup>th</sup>.

**SAY CHEESE!**



### Clubs and Associations

Our **Photography Club** will begin Wed. 16<sup>th</sup>. Applications can be collected from the front office.

**DNawesome STEM Club** registration is now due. *Applications will close on Monday 7<sup>th</sup>*

To register:

Go to [www.dnawesome.com](http://www.dnawesome.com)  
Select: Student Registration. Complete the form.  
Go to [aypal.me/dnastemclub](http://aypal.me/dnastemclub) to submit your \$50 registration fee per student.

**Chess Club** applications are also available.

**Jiu Jitsu** \*\*Free to Scholars\*\*  
Friday and Sundays

"I am thankful for the gift of COMMITMENT. It brings passion to my purpose."

Rev. 2:10

### October Upcoming Events

- 10/7: Fall Picture Day
- 10/7: PTO Meeting
- 10/9: 12:30 PM Dismissal – Teacher PD
- 10/11: Pastor Appreciation
- 10/12: Alumni Weekend @Berea
- 10/14-18: BJA Spirit Week
- 10/25: Grandparents Assembly
- 10/25: End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter
- 10/28: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Begins



### Be assertive

Encourage your scholar to speak up and use a confident tone. If he/she shows that they feel good about their ideas, others are more likely to listen.

*Example:* "The seventh grade fund-raiser was such a success—I think it deserves a full-page spread," is more assertive than "Does anyone think we could maybe use a whole page?"  
#assertiveness

Visit our updated website - [www.bjacademy.org](http://www.bjacademy.org)

- BJA uses text, voice and emails to alert and communicate with families
- After Care on Friday ends at 3:30 PM
- School begins promptly at 8:30 AM. Tardy students struggle to catch up. Please consider it an urgent matter that your child arrives on time.
- Jiu Jitsu NOW meets on Friday 1:15 PM -3:00 PM and on Sunday's from 3:00 PM. They are enrolling new families.

This and That

Q. Why was 10 afraid of 9?

A. Because 9 8 7!