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AAC QUARTERLY INFORMATION

Welcome to our teacher newsletter! Thank you for bringing us into your classroom this year. Together, we can continue to close the mentoring gap in Greater Cincinnati. #BeTheSpark

WELCOME TO 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR!

Adopt A Class would like to say thank you for all that you do! We know it takes a village to care for students, so we appreciate the opportunity to work closely with you this year. We know things will look different this year and Adopt A Class is prepared to deliver new & exciting programmatic experiences to your students this school year!

UPCOMING EVENTS

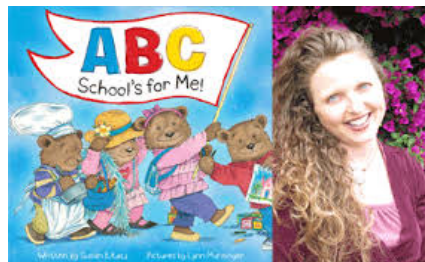


Sponsored by one of our fantastic adopting companies, US Bank, we proudly feature Author, Speaker, and Literacy Advocate **Ty Allan Jackson**.

Via a series of recorded videos, Ty will discuss his book *Danny Dollar Millionaire Extraordinaire: The Lemonade Escapade* throughout the month of October. The series will end with a live & interactive talk and Q&A on October 30th. Ty's sessions will be targeted for 3rd - 5th grade students.



Take a look at one of Ty's Tedx Talks [here](#)



We are also thrilled to feature

award-winning author and illustrator **Susan Katz!** Susan will showcase her books *ABC School's for Me* and *The Story of Frida Kahlo* during an exciting read-aloud session geared towards PreK - 2nd grade classes.

Stay tuned for more special guests, virtual field trip opportunities, and additional speakers being offered throughout the year!

PROGRAMMING

Pen Palling

AAC is proud to announce that we will be launching our digital pen pal option this year! Connecting with students in this way is a wonderful opportunity to remain impactful during this virtual time. Teachers will moderate and approve communications and it will be done in safe manner hosted via the Adopt A Class website.

Look for more information coming soon!

Reminders for Adopt A Class Virtual Visits in October

- Talk with your students about what to expect
- Select visit dates that support your classroom schedule.
- Teachers will likely need to send invites for virtual meetings. (We have learned that this is necessary based on many district IT requirements)
- Provide your adopters with your classroom virtual etiquette to help ensure a successful visit.
- Coordinate with your team lead on the lesson in advance to assist you with your planning and preparation.

Best Practices for Adopt A Class Virtual Visits

- Teachers MUST remain on the virtual visit just as you would remain in the classroom during your mentors' in-person visits
- Maintain classroom behavior management during the session.
- Remind your adopters to log their visits in our mentor tracker. This provides us with a greater understanding of the collective impact the adopters are making in your classroom.

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ADOPT A PIG FOR \$5.00

100% WILL GO TO ADOPT A CLASS DRAWING WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 11, 2020

Encourage friends and family to purchase pigs as well! This is a great way for them to donate to our Organization, while being entered to win great prizes at the same time! Just be sure to have them include your name in the "referred by" box when they enter the charity.

GRAND PRIZE: \$10,000 CASH!!!
\$5,000 TO WINNING TICKET HOLDER & \$5,000 TO THE CHARITY WHO SOLD THE TICKET

Want to win \$10,000 Cash?

Take your chances on the Piggest Raffle Ever! Celebrate the Flying Pig Marathon & support Adopt A Class. Purchase a Pig for \$5 to get a chance to win one of three great prizes. Adopt A Class will receive 100% of your donation, and you will have a chance to win \$10,000 cash! The winner will be announced October 11, 2020.

For more information and to enter to win, visit

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