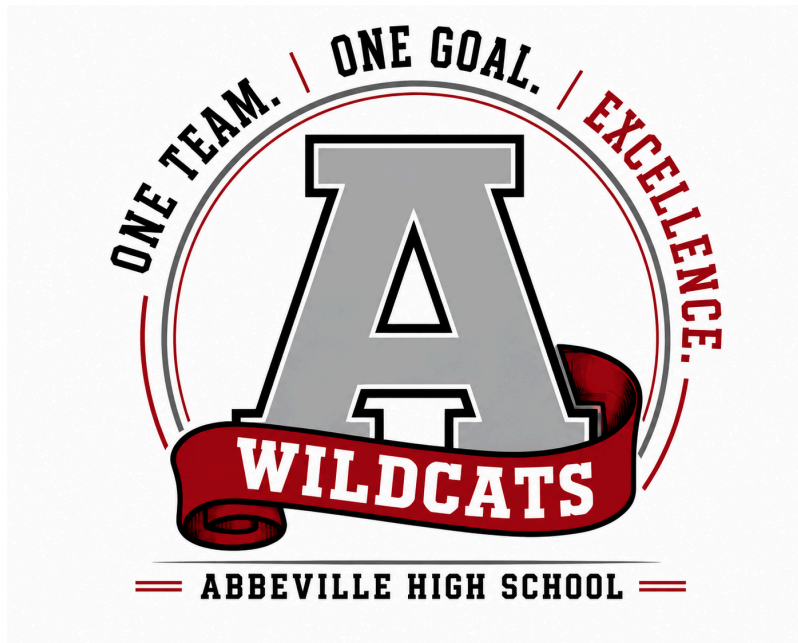




It's a great day to be a Wildcat!

Wildcat Weekly Newsletter



October 26, 2026

I hope everyone enjoyed Fall Break and had an opportunity to rest, recharge, and spend time with family and friends! As we continue the second nine weeks, we have an opportunity to build on our successes and continue working toward our schoolwide attendance goal of **95%**.

This week is a full five-day school week, and I challenge every Wildcat to be at school, on time, all five days! Every day of instruction matters, and consistent attendance plays an important role in student success. Families, we appreciate your continued support in helping us make every school day count!

We also have an exciting week ahead! We are participating in the **Goodwill Acadiana Pass It On Challenge**, hosting **Domino's Donation Night on Thursday**, and taking on our rivals, the **Kaplan Pirates, in the Battle for the Russo Trophy!** Each of these events provides another opportunity for our school and community to come together. Whether you're donating items, ordering pizza, or cheering from the stands, your support makes a difference! **Let's make it a great week, Wildcats! When we come together, there is no limit to what we can accomplish!**

One Team. One Goal. Excellence.

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Reminder: Meeting Appointments Required

To help us ensure that we are available and able to give families the time and attention they deserve, we ask that meetings with members of the administrative team be scheduled in advance. Our administrative team is available for meetings Monday through Friday from 8:15–11:15 a.m. and 1:00–2:15 p.m. Special accommodations for after-school meetings may also be arranged as needed. Please call our office at (337) 893-1874 to schedule an appointment.

Thank you for working with us as we strive to serve our students and families effectively.

Wildcats, Let's Pass it On!

AHS has been invited to participate in the **KLFY News 10 and Goodwill Acadiana "Pass It On Challenge!"** This friendly competition brings local high schools together to give back to our community while competing for a **\$500 prize!**

We need YOUR help to bring home the win! Clean out those closets, garages, and storage spaces, and drop off your gently used clothing, household items, furniture, and more at AHS!

Donation Details:

- **Monday, October 26:** Donation bins will be delivered between 9:00–10:00 a.m.
- **Beginning Monday after bin delivery through Friday before 9:00 a.m.**
 - Drop off your donations at AHS!
- **Friday, October 30:** Donations will be picked up between 9:00–10:00 a.m.
 - All donations must be received before 9:00 a.m. Friday, October 30

How We Earn Points:

- **1 point** for every pound donated
- **15 points** for each piece of furniture donated

The school with the most points wins **\$500!** The winner will be announced on KLFY's *Acadiana Live*.

The best part? Every donation stays local, supporting job training, education, and other valuable services right here in Acadiana.

Let's show Acadiana what our Wildcat community can accomplish when we come together! Every donation makes a difference, and we appreciate the continued support of our families and community!

Pizza, Football & Wildcat Pride!

Thursday, October 29, 2026, is a BIG day for AHS!

Domino's Donation Night: Skip the cooking and support our Wildcats! Domino's in Abbeville will donate **10% of your order total to AHS** to help fund student attendance incentives through our *Power of Presence* initiative.

2510 Veterans Memorial Drive, Abbeville
337-898-0730 | [Order Online](#)

Battle for the Russo Trophy: After enjoying some pizza, head to Wildcat Stadium at 7:00 PM as our Wildcats take on the Kaplan Pirates!

Let's pack the stands, support our students, and show our Wildcat pride!

Important Dates!

- **Cajun Pantry Food Truck BBQ Plate Fundraiser:** Sunday, October 25, 2026
10:30 a.m.- 12 p.m. @[2401 Veterans Memorial Drive, Abbeville, LA 70510](#) Click [here](#) to order in advance.
- **Goodwill Acadiana Pass It On Challenge:** Monday, October 26–Friday, October 30, 2026
- **Wildcat Band District Competition:** Tuesday, October 27, 2026
 - Cajun Field
 - All day
- **STUCO Leadership Conference:** Tuesday, October 27, 2026
 - Alexandria, Louisiana
 - 8 a.m.-12 p.m.
- **Afterschool Tutoring:** Tuesday 2:35-3:35 p.m. in the AHS cafeteria.
 - Transportation and snacks provided.
 - Sign up using the tutoring link in “Class of” Google Classrooms.
- **Lady Cats Volleyball:** Tuesday, October 27, 2026
 - **Opponent:** Rayne 5 p.m. @Rayne
- **Lady Cats Volleyball:** Wednesday, October 28, 2026
 - **Opponent:** Westgate 6 p.m. @Westgate

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- **5th and Final Pink Thursday \$1 Jeans:** Thursday, October 29, 2026
 - Throughout October, students, faculty, and staff may pay \$1 each Thursday to wear jeans with a Pink Out shirt or a school-appropriate pink shirt.
 - Your \$1 does more than earn you a jeans day!
 - Proceeds will support our AHS Spirit Squads, with a portion donated to The Anita Levy Foundation, which provides support to breast cancer patients and families right here in our community.
 - **Afterschool Tutoring:** Thursday 2:35-3:35 p.m. in the AHS cafeteria.
 - Transportation and snacks provided.
 - Sign up using the tutoring link in “Class of” Google Classrooms.
 - **Upward Bound:** Thursday 2:35-3:35 p.m. in Room 100.
 - Transportation provided.
 - Email [Cassie McClelland](#) for more information.
 - **Domino’s Donation Night:** Thursday, October 29, 2026
 - Domino's Pizza, [2510 Veterans Memorial Drive, Abbeville](#)
 - **Call:** [337-898-0730](#)
 - **Order Online:** www.dominos.com
 - **Wildcat Football :** Thursday October 29, 2026
 - **Opponent:** Kaplan 7 p.m. @Wildcat Stadium
 - Admission is \$12, and tickets may be purchased online in advance or at the gate ([i2Tickets](#)). Remember, AHS is cashless, so cash will not be accepted.
 - Clear bag policy will be in effect, and everyone entering the stadium will walk through a metal detector.
 - **Election Day:** Tuesday, November 3, 2026
 - Students and Faculty/Staff do not report to school.
 - **Jostens Order Day:** Wednesday, November 4, 2026
 - 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. @AHS
 - All visitors must report to the front office.
 - Raptor requires a government-issued ID.

Keep ROARing, Wildcats!



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