



# Aldert Root Elementary

Root Word Newsletter

## Mark your Calendars!

April 28    Root Family Downtown Dinner

May 7        Root Spirit Night

May 17      Fun in the Sun



# **Downtown Dinner for All Root Families**

Enjoy a  
**BBQ Plate Dinner**  
Sunday, April 28  
4:00-6:00 PM  
Transfer Co. Food Hall  
500 East Davie St.  
**Donations appreciated but not required!!**

## **Belk Charity Sale!**

It's that time again! You can purchase a \$5 ticket to the upcoming Belk Charity Sale for Saturday, May 4, 6-10am, and support Root at the same time! Most discounts range from 20-25% and are on rarely discounted brands. 100% of the \$5 ticket price go back to the Root PTA. There are limited exclusions during the charity sale – you can save BIG! If you can't shop the hours of the sale (or want to miss the crowds,) you have the option of pre-shopping the week prior and holding your items to be picked up at a later time - super easy! To purchase your ticket or check out a flyer about specific discounts and more info, please stop by the front office and see Ms. Sheri. Or, you can contact Allison Eckstein at [Allison.eckstein@gmail.com](mailto:Allison.eckstein@gmail.com) and she will get it to you!

## **Spring Spirit Night- May 7th!**

Join the Root family on May 7th for a Spring Spirit Night! Piola and Kilwins in North Hills have kindly agreed to give a percentage of their sales to Root! Come and enjoy a dinner out of the kitchen, delicious ice cream, and some playtime on the green with friends!

## **YMCA Summer Camps**

**Camp High Hopes:** Camp High Hopes is a summer camp that is targeted for specific communities within downtown and Southeast Raleigh. This camp is weekly from June 24 - August 9. Cost is only \$5 a week and includes breakfast and lunch. Please note that Camp High Hopes is offered to families that live in specific under-resourced communities within downtown and Southeast Raleigh. For more information on which communities Camp High Hopes serves please visit our Welcome Desk at the Alexander Family YMCA or contact Rodney McCormick at [Rodney.McCormick@YMCATriangle.org](mailto:Rodney.McCormick@YMCATriangle.org).

**Camp Skyline:** Camp Skyline is a summer day camp run by the Alexander Family YMCA serving children in the downtown Raleigh area. Camp Skyline is a full-day summer camp that will keep your child active and engaged all day long! Your camper will enjoy activities such as swimming, skill development, awards, weekly themes, crafts and outdoor

games. Camp Skyline is offered at the Alexander Family YMCA and serves children in rising grades K - 5.

For more information around these or any other YMCA summer camps please contact Rodney McCormick at [Rodney.McCormick@YMCATriangle.org](mailto:Rodney.McCormick@YMCATriangle.org)

### Root Word Submissions

If you would like to submit information to the Root Word, please visit the Root Homepage or click here for an [online submission form](#). Submissions are due by **FRIDAY** of each week in order to be included in the following Monday's Root Word.

### Mr. Clark's Robo Call Process

If you have something you want Mr. Clark to add to his weekly robo call, please email him at [bclark2@wcpss.net](mailto:bclark2@wcpss.net) by Sunday night. You need to email him EXACTLY what you want him to say. He will include it in his Monday robo call.



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