



**2012 ADVANCE
Photo Journal**



ADVANCErs Have Great Memories

Right (from left): Marshal Rouse and Tamara Zishuk demonstrate that interdigitation is approved PDA at ADVANCE. Below (from left): Jesse Young and Sarah Rogers fine tune their improv skills at a workshop led by Mason Joiner (TA).



Left (from left): Erica Landon, Courtney Caraway, Grace Carter hit Goodwill before a dance. Below (from left): Henry Hazlett, Temi Olatinwo play Apples to Apples after picnicing at the Grand Ecore visitor's center overlooking Red River.



Zombies come out to play at night during ADVANCE!



Left first row (from left): Brittany Burrow, Claire Landry. Back row (from left): Chris Myers, Nick Gilley, Mikesh Patel, Keaton McKinney attend ADVANCE for their 5th and final year. We will miss you guys more than you know!!

ADVANCE remains an academically challenging, yet fun, program for gifted students thanks to our incredible instructors and staff. Below (from left): Chris Hynes (Chemistry), Kurt Chatterson (Algebra 2), Jennifer Innerarity (Criminalistics), Dave Andersen (Algebra 1), David Zolzer (Computer Science - Java). Thanks for your hard work and an amazing three weeks. We look forward to 2013!

Administration and Faculty



Above (from left): Jade Duthu learns acting techniques from Katy Mulvany, Shakespeare instructor. Katy is the first former student and former staffer to return to ADVANCE and serve as an instructor.



Above front row (from left): Seth DuBois (Geometry), Katy Mulvaney (Shakespeare and Performance), Robert Dalling (Physics). Back row (from left): Bill Housel (Film Studies), Rondo Keele (Logic and Puzzles), Ralph Adamo (Creative Writing).



Above front row (from left): Celia Mangham (Coordinator of Residential Life), Harriette Palmer (Assistant Director), Jennifer Ingram (Counselor). Back row (from left): Janet Darfus (Nurse), David Wood (Director).

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CLASSES

ALGEBRA 1

Right (first row from left): Alexa Swan (TA), Sahana Padumane, Cally Soh, Meenu Pamula, Malak Alammam, Nathalie Diez, Syra Mehdi, Conor Bertucci. Back row (from left): Dave Andersen (Instructor), Jasmine Jones, Susheel Deshpande, Teddy Gross, Nikhil Gogineni, Joe Hawkins, Gabe Smith, Taha Ahmed, Brandon Bouton.

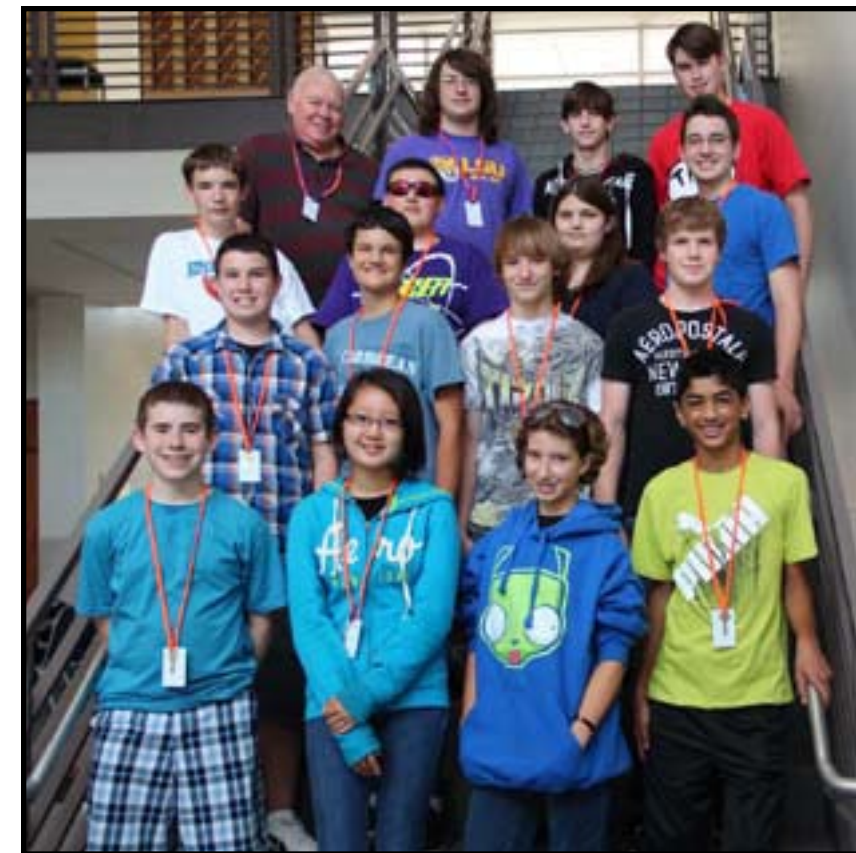


CHEMISTRY

Left (seated): Camly Tram. Being held: Jamin Kidd. First row (from left): Joshua Bertalotto, Jourdan Lee, Paige Tibbetts, Anna Leskova, Claire Miller, Suzanne Hobson, Hanna Li, Jaryd Domine. Back row (from left): Tyler Ashby (TA), Greg Maidoh.



Above (seated from left): Tolu Adoun, Rafae Alam, Vishnu Pamula, Sam Lin, Sheila Mallenahalli, Sai Karnati, Trevor Blank, Dylan Jackson. Standing (from left): Kurt Chatterson (Instructor), Candace Stacy (TA).



COMPUTER SCIENCE - JAVA

Left (first row from left): Joel Zishuk, Youngone Kim, Emily Schultz, Azum Beg. Second row (from left): Rob Rose, Greg Merrill, Tyler Shoemaker, Robert VanKirk. Third row (from left): Mark Kuebel, Byron Williams, Brittany Burrow, Remy McConnell. Back row (from left): David Zolzer (Instructor), Ben Birk (TA), Dusty Newsom, Quin Mese.

CREATIVE WRITING

The class members read original work at a coffee house during the program. They also created an anthology, *Don't hug me, I'm writing*, and each student was given a copy.



Above (from left): Lauren McCaghren, Temi Olatinwo, Camille Bullock (TA), Ralph Adamo (Instructor), Brandon Vo, Joshua Ballagh, Alyssa Walker, Courtney Caraway, Val Mull, Alastair Dunn, Carly Branch, Catherine Ebarb, Teena Li, Andrew Bennett, Andrew Liang.

Right (front row from left): Nona Goodwin, Abby Adams, Emily Wingrove, Gwyn Engeron, Andrew Stacy (TA), Matt Macias, Terrell Haughton, Nicholas Cheramie. Back row (from left): Jennifer Innerarity (Instructor), Joe Tappel, Tamara Zishuk, Shelby Whiteaker, Hayleigh Johnson, Winston Hung, Micaela Whiteaker, Erica Landon.



FILM STUDIES



Seated at left (from left): Camille Guidry, Katie Kelso, Andrew Merrill, Trai Gerkin. Standing (from left): Leon Gisclair, Thomas Hailey, Trey Ross, Jake Goodwin, Nick Gilley, Mikesh Patel, Bill Housel (Instructor), Chris Myers, Mathieu Pitre, Sebastian Brumfield Mejia, Keaton McKinney, Kenny Bacon, Mason Joiner (TA).

The Film Studies class project, *A Game of Hearts*, was written by the students in the class, directed and edited by Mason Joiner (TA), and produced by Bill Housel (Instructor). You may view the film online at <http://advance.nsula.edu>. Click on 2012 Film Studies Movie in the menu box. Well done, class! WWWHAaaaaaa!

GEOMETRY

Left (front row from left): Seth DuBois (Instructor), Aishwarya Durgam, Monica Vegiraju, Jessica Todd, Matt Eymard, Joe Leo, Moses Kitakule. Back row (from left): Maddy Baker (TA), Mallory Gaspard, Nick Moreno, Marshal Rouse, Gerard Rattler, Sahil Dhawan.



LOGIC & PUZZLES

Right (front row from left): Austin Saisan, Adam Bobbs, Grace Carter, Drew Boinapally, Briah Cooley, Laura Scronce. Second row (from left): Henry Hazlett, Sam Yeboah, Ghita Johnson, Alyssa Martin, Alyson Hetzel. Third row (from left): Sarah Rogers, Robin Epperson, Tyler Saizan, Gray Conly. Back row (from left): William Hogan (TA), Rondo Keele (Instructor).



Left (kneeling from left): Waania Beg, Mary Cate Nolan, Lauren Sakryd. Back row (from left): Bella Killeen, Jessie Young, Willow Powell, Myra Westerfield, Katy Mulvaney (Instructor), Claire Landry, Tessa LaFleur, Archie Torbett, Jade Duthu, Kit Sternberger (TA).

The last week of the program, the class performed excerpts from three plays, *Romeo and Juliet*, *The Winter's Tale*, and *Twelfth Night* to an appreciative and very full house.

SHAKESPEARE & PERFORMANCE

PHYSICS

Right (from left): Hunter Dupré, Nate Cargile, Alex Back, Ashley Arnold, Jazz Baker, Andrew Galatas (TA), Cyrus Roshan, Robert Dalling (Instructor).



Above foreground: Kit Sternberger. Seated (from left): Tyler Ashby, Alexa Swan, Andrew Galatas, Camille Bullock, Andrew Stacy. Standing (from left): William Hogan, Candace Stacy, Ben Birk, Maddy Baker, Mason Joiner.

TAs

The academic curriculum is central to the ADVANCE experience and courses are designed to challenge and inspire gifted students. TAs are assigned to one course and are in class with their students for 105 hours during ADVANCE. Whew!

ADVANCE IS NOT YOUR TYPICAL DAY AT SCHOOL

Left (from left): Tessa LaFleur (Hermione's ghost) and Lauren Sakryd (Antigonus) perform a scene from Shakespeare's *The Winter's Tale*.



Above (from left): Henry Hazlett and Adam Bobbs listen to a lecture in Logic.



Left (from left): Sai Karnati, Trevor Blank, Tolu Adoun, Kurt Chattersson (Instructor) work through difficult Algebra 2 problems.



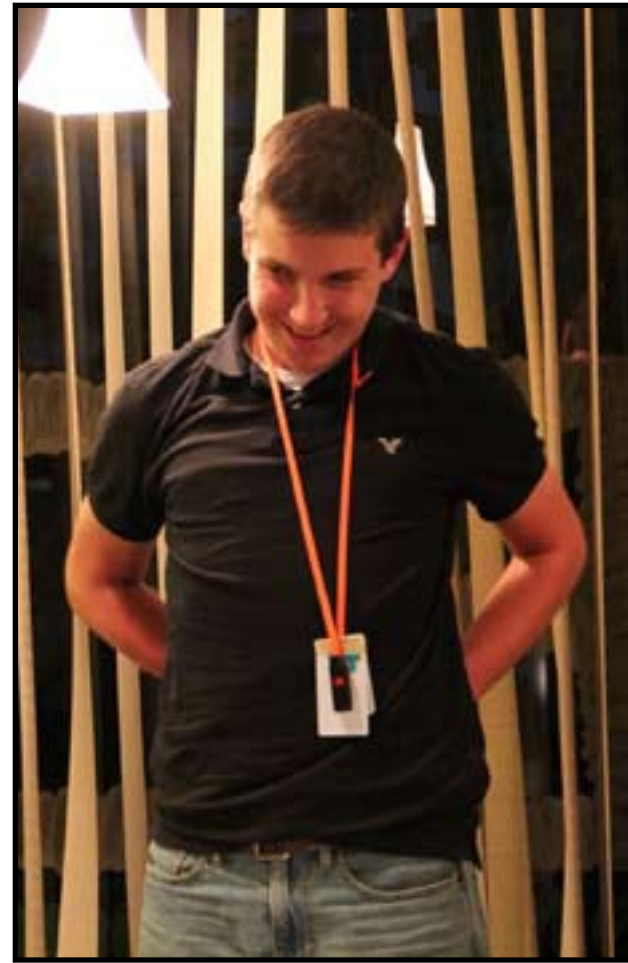
Right (from left): Hunter Dupré, Nate Cargile, Andrew Galatas (TA), Alex Back and Cyrus Roshan learn physics through application.



Above (from left): Trey Ross "tattoos" Chris Myers for his role in the Film Studies movie, *A Game of Hearts*. Right (from left): Paige Tibbetts, Suzanne Hobson, Claire Miller, Anna Leskova learn about hydrogen in a chemistry lab.



Right: Andrew Bennett, a member of the Creative Writing class, likes the response of the audience after reading some of his original work during a coffee house poetry reading. Below (from left): Mikesh Patel, Mason Joiner (TA), Leon Gisclair set up a shot for the Film Studies class project, *A Game of Hearts*.



STUDENTS LEARN BY DOING

Left (from left): Jaryd Domine and Jamin Kidd in chemistry lab. Below (from left): Nona Goodwin and Shelby Whiteaker exam slides in a Criminalistics lab.



Above (from left): Algebra 2 students Tolu Adoun and Vishnu Pamula work in a computer lab. Right (standing from left): Myra Westfield (nurse), Claire Landry (Lord Capulet), and on floor Mary Cate Nolan (Juliet) in a scene from Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet*.



Criminalistics students learn how to gather evidence at a mock crime scene. Above (from left): Emily Wingrove, Jennifer Innerarity, Matt Macias (kneeling), Winston Hung, Micaela Whiteaker, Tamara Zishuk, Nona Goodwin, Erica Landon, Shelby Whiteaker, Gwyn Engeron, Abby Adams.



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**RA
Groups**

Amanda

Above (front row from left): Robin Epperson, Emily Wingrove, Emily Schultz, Aishwarya Durgam, Monica Vegiraju, Teena Li. Second row (from left): Abby Adams, Nona Goodwin, Jessica Todd, Lauren Sakryd, Alexa Swan (TA). Back row (from left): Amanda Marek (RA), Bella Killeen, Camille Guidry, Willow Powell, Jade Duthu, Jasmine Jones, Katie Kelso.



Daniel

Left (front row from left): Daniel Jones (RA), Rob Rose, Jaryd Domine, Sam Lin, Dylan Jackson, Trevor Blank, Andrew Bennett, Andrew Stacy (TA). Back row (from left): Dusty Newsom, Rafae Alam, Remy McConnell, Archie Torbett, Andrew Liang, Jesse Young.

Hira



Above (first row from left): Laura Scronce, Briah Cooley, Micaela Whiteaker, Meenu Pamula. Second row (from left): Hira Qarni (RA), Sarah Rogers, Lauren McCaghren, Alyson Hetzel, Grace Carter, Courtney Caraway, Maddy Baker (TA).

Jamie

Right foreground: Mary Cate Nolan. Seated (from left): Carly Branch, Malak Alammari, Syra Mehdi, Erica Landon. Standing (from left): Camille Bullock (TA), Jamie Park (RA), Gwyn Engeron, Nathalie Diez, Youngone Kim, Cally Soh, Sahana Padumane.



Kyle



Above (from left): Mason Joiner (TA), Joe Tappel, Nick Moreno, Brandon Vo, Trey Ross, Moses Kitakule, Greg Maidoh, Marshal Rouse, Tyler Shoemaker, Jamin Kidd, Gerard Rattler, Cyrus Roshan, Leon Gisclair, Kyle May (RA).

Left (first row from left): Mallory Gaspard, Ashley Arnold, Tamara Zishuk, Alex Back, Jazz Baker, Anna Keskova. Back row (from left): Maggie Conarro (RA), Myra Westerfield, Paige Tibbetts, Claire Miller, Suzanne Hobson, Candace Stacy (TA), Brittany Burrow, Claire Landry.

Maggie



Matt



Above (seated from left): Joe Hawkins, Joel Zishuk, Nicholas Cheramie, Val Mull. Second row (from left): Henry Hazlett, Adam Bobbs, Matt Eymard, Nikhil Gogineni, Drew Boinapally. Back row (from left): Mark Kuebel, Tyler Ashby (TA), Matt Turner (RA), Sam Yeboah, Tyler Saizan.



Neha

Above (first row from left): Hannah Li, Sai Karnati, Camly Tram, Hayleigh Johnson. Back row (from left): Neha Dhawan (RA), Tessa LaFleur, Alyssa Martin, Catherine Ebarb, Alyssa Walker, Temi Olatinwo, Ghita Johnson, Jourdan Lee, Tolu Adoun, Sheila Mallenahalli, Shelby Whiteaker, Waania Beg. Not pictured is Kit Sternberger (TA)...sorry Kit!



Above (first row from left): Byron Williams, Joe Leo, Kenny Bacon, Azum Beg, Terrell Haughton, Vishnu Pamula. Back row (from left): Gray Conly, Trai Gerkin, Michael Lee (RA), Thomas Hailey, Greg Merrill, Ben Birk (TA), Sahil Dhawan, Sebastian Brumfield Mejia.



Samuel

Left (first row from left): Joshua Bertalotto, Matt Macias, Robert VanKirk, Mikesk Patel. Second row (from left): Jake Goodwin, Nate Cargile, Nick Gilley. Back row (from left): Samuel Fick (RA), Keaton McKinney, Andrew Merrill, Quin Mese, Chris Myers, Mathieu Pitre, Hunter Dupré, William Hogan (TA).

VJ

Seated (from left):
Viraj (VJ) Gandhi (RA),
Andrew Galatas (TA).
First row (from left):
Conor Bertucci, Susheel
Deshpande. Back row
(from left): Gabe Smith,
Brandon Bouton,
Joshua Ballagh, Taha
Ahmed, Alastair Dunn,
Winston Hung, Austin
Saizan, Teddy Gross.



RAs

Right (front row from
left): Maggie Conarro,
Hira Qarni, Amanda
Marek, Jamie Park,
Neha Dhawan. Back
row (from left): Matt
Turner, Michael Lee,
Kyle May, Daniel
Jones, Samuel Fick
(Head RA), VJ Gandhi.



Our outstanding residential staff offers a wide variety of social and recreational activities to assist students in forming lasting friendships, strengthen the ADVANCE community, and to make sure students have fun!

Below (from left): Joe Tappel, Remy McConnell,
Greg Maidoh, Rob Rose, Byron Williams at Chili's.



Off Campus Activities Are a Huge Success



RA night out is a long standing ADVANCE tradition. Everyone in an RA group plans a special activity for their group. This year, the two RA groups with the oldest students decided to dine together at Hana Sushi Bar. Above (foreground from left): Quin Mese, Andrew Merrill, Anna Leskova, Suzanne Hobson, Nate Cargile, Maggie Conarro (RA).

The Steamin Demon, a coffee shop right across the street from the NSU campus, was a huge hit with ADVANCERS. Seated (from left): Sheila Mallenahalli, Waania Beg, Sai Karnati, Hayleigh Johnson, Jourdan Lee. Standing (from left): Adam Bobbs, Henry Hazlett, VJ Gandhi (RA), Robert VanKirk, Camly Tram, Cyrus Roshan.

Right (from left): Nick Moreno, Alyson Hetzel, Quin Mese, Hunter Dupré (on shoulders), Courtney Caraway, Grace Carter, Carly Branch, Robert VanKirk, Catherine Ebarb finish their day with ultimate Frisbee. Below (from left): Winston Hung, Conor Bertucci, Susheel Deshpande, Austin Saizan, Brandon Bouton, and Teddy Gross share a laugh while eating yogurt at Orange Leaf.



Laissez les bons temps rouler

Left (from left): Jasmine Jones, Willow Powell, Emily Wingrove, (and Einstein) enjoy a bite of chicken. Below (from left): Sahana Padumane, Mark Kuebel, Nicholas Cheramie sample the goods during the annual coffee house that takes place the night before final exams.



Right: These gifted young ladies don't seem to know that one is to EAT cereal. From left: Malak Alamar, Shelby Whiteaker, Jourdan Lee, Waania Beg, Alex Back.



Left: Making magic wands while enjoying butterbeer is a Potter approved activity. First row (from left): Waania Beg, Sai Karnati, Hayleigh Johnson, Jourdan Lee, Camly Tram, Sheila Mallenahalli, Meenu Pamula. Back row (from left): Hira Qami (RA), Alyssa Martin, Tessa LaFleur, Cally Soh, Grace Carter.

Activities...Something for Everyone

The residential staff works hard to offer a variety of activities for our creative students. Right: Meenu Pamula shows off her lovely henna tattoo. Below: Manicures are always a good idea! Center front, then clockwise: Hanna Li, Tessa LaFleur, Jamie Park (RA), Gwyn Engeron, Malak Alammr, Mary Cate Nolan, Nathalie Diez, Youngone Kim, Val Mull, Ghita Johnson.



Left (foreground, then from left): Meenu Pamula, Sheila Mallenahalli, Neha Dhawan (RA), Waania Beg, Sai Karnati, Tolu Adoun, Hanna Li, Teena Li bond while making collages. Below left (from left): Tessa LaFleur and Nikhil Gogineni create puppets.



Above: Left (then clockwise) Andrew Galatas (TA), Byron Williams, Trai Gerkin, Mark Kuebel, Gray Conly, Joe Hawkins, Robin Epperson, Briah Cooley, Thomas Hailey must complete a game before the paint dries. Only at ADVANCE will one be offered such a challenge.



The above group of students schooled the male staffers in basketball. Congratulations ADVANCERS! Kneeling: Mikesh Patel. First row (from left): Gerard Rattler, Trevor Blank, Andrew Bennett. Back row (from left): Sahil Dhawan, Taha Ahmed, Robert VanKirk, Andrew Liang, Michael Lee (RA).

Above: These students brave the heat to explore Kisatchie National Forest near Natchitoches, Louisiana. Kneeling (from left): Mark Kuebel, Jamin Kidd, Matt Macias. First row (from left): Hanna Li, Teeni Li, Matt Eymard, Anna Leskova, Conor Bertucci, Maggie Conarro (RA). Back row (from left): Sam Lin, Tyler Saizan, William Hogan (TA), Suzanne Hobson, Austin Saizan, Gray Conly.

Right (front to back): Josh Bertalotto, Mikesh Patel, Quin Mese totally lose it while listening to what is written in a Round Robin activity. Below (from left): Catherine Ebarb, Joshua Bertalotto, and Tyler Shoemaker are serious contenders at Death Ball.
B E W A R E!



Play Hard or Hang Loose after Class

Activities are a good way to meet people and burn off some steam after a full day in class. Left (from left): Greg Merrill and Vishnu Pamula enjoy basketball. Below (from left): Greg Maidoh, Nick Moreno, Joel Zishuk, Austin Saizan, Tyler Saizan, VJ Gandhi (RA), and Gabe Smith unwind with Scrabble. Bottom: This enormous group of students participates in Capture the Flag. Sorry, there are too many folks to list names!



Murder mystery participants solve the crime at Magee's Patio Cafe. First row (from left): Matt Eymard, Henry Hazlett, Joel Zishuk, Joshua Ballagh, Catherine Ebarb. Second row (from left): Adam Bobbs, Myra Westerfield, Brittany Burrow, Claire Landry, Mallory Gaspard, Dylan Jackson, Alyssa Walker.



Have Some Fun

Right: Camly Tram steps back to examine her splatter paint. So what is splatter paint? Hang blank newsprint and give ADVANCErs paint to create an original piece of art. Then wait for the fun to really kick into gear! Below (foreground from left): Splatter paint participants Suzanne Hobson and Willow Powell squeal with delight and then hit the showers!



Right: Swimming is always a favorite activity at ADVANCE. Kneeling: Hira Oarni (RA). First row (from left): Gabe Smith, Micaela Whiteaker, Briah Cooley, Laura Scronce. Back row (from left): Sam Yeboah, Nick Moreno, Gray Conly, Sahil Dhawan, Sebastian Brumfield Mejia, Archie Torbett, Sarah Rogers, Courtney Caraway, Grace Carter.



Be Creative



Left: Aishwarya Durgam participates in Amanda Marek's RA group night out activity. Below: Almost all of Samuel Fick's (Head RA) activities involve food of some sort. Here, he teaches Jourdan Lee how to turn over pancakes. From left: Hayleigh Johnson, Camly Tram, Waania Beg, Samuel Fick watch as Jourdan tries her hand. Not to worry, she does a great job and the pancakes are oh-so-yummy!



Left (first row from left): Carly Branch, Bella Killeen, Lauren Sakryd, Aishwarya Durgam. Second row (from left): Jade Duthu, Katie Kelso, Jessica Todd, Monica Vegiraju, Jasmine Jones, Amanda Marek (RA). Back row (from left): Alyssa Martin, Abby Adams, Ghita Johnson, Nona Goodwin, Byron Williams, Adam Bobbs sport their mustaches...made from duct tape, of course!

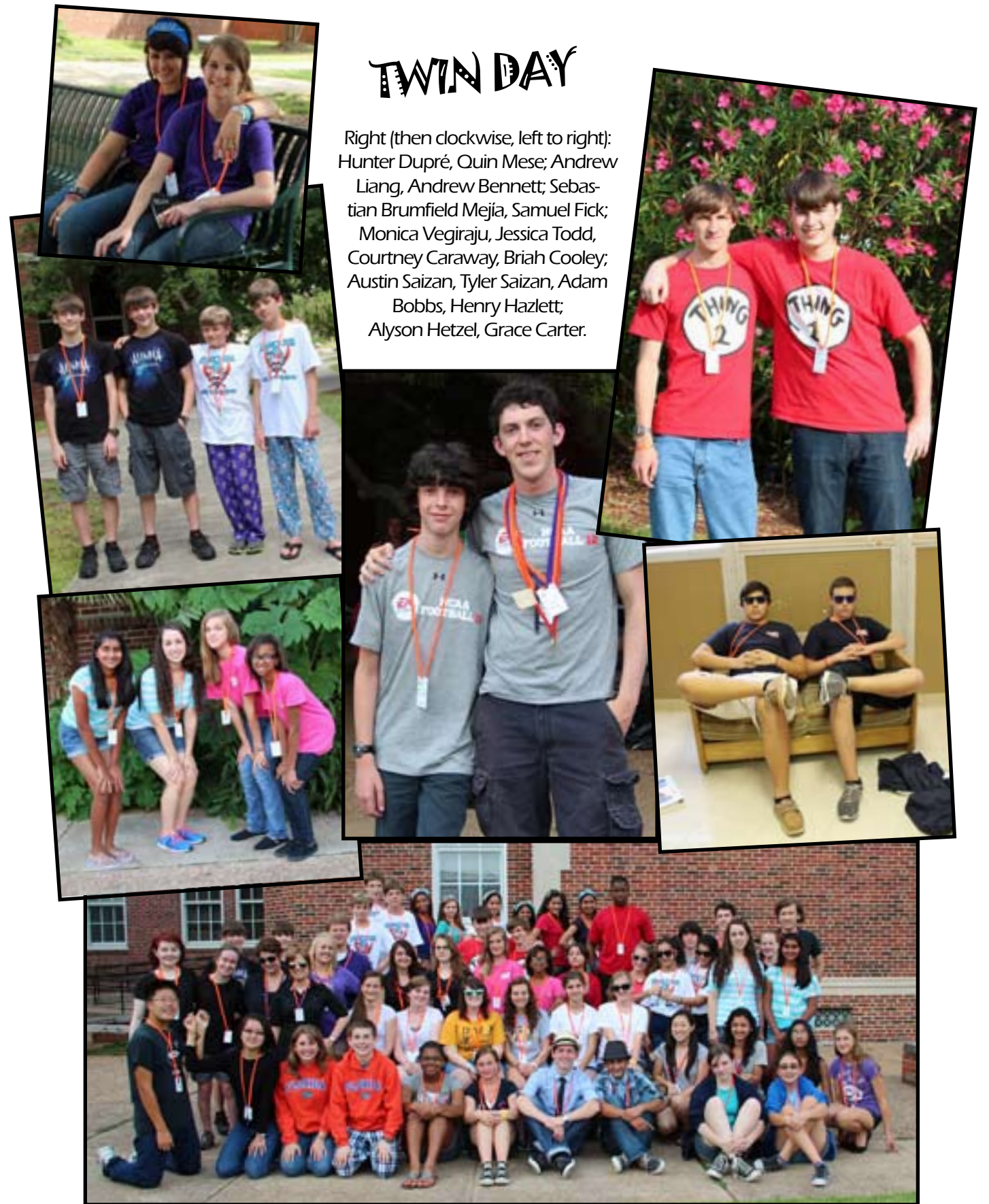


CLASS BREAKS

Above (top row from left): Joe Leo, Moses Kitakule, Sahil Dhawan; Teddy Gross, Conor Bertucci, Malak Alammari; Drew Boinapally, Sam Yeboah; Second row (from left): back of Jamin Kidd, Terrell Haughton, Sam Lin, Brandon Bouton, Nick Moreno, Jake Goodwin (shooting), Joe Tappel; Emily Wingrove, Nicholas Chermie, Erica Landon, Micaela Whiteaker, Matt Macias. Bottom row (from left): Greg Merrill, Rob Rose, Remy McConnell, Robert VanKirk, Dusty Newsum, Joel Zishuk; Robin Epperson; Lauren McCaghren.

TWIN DAY

Right (then clockwise, left to right): Hunter Dupré, Quin Mese; Andrew Liang, Andrew Bennett; Sebastian Brumfield Mejia, Samuel Fick; Monica Vegiraju, Jessica Todd, Courtney Caraway, Briah Cooley; Austin Saizan, Tyler Saizan, Adam Bobbs, Henry Hazlett; Alyson Hetzel, Grace Carter.



The ADVANCE annual twin day is a huge success!

ADVANCE Is For The Gifted and...TALENTED

The Talent Show is a long standing tradition that allows ADVANCE students an opportunity to shine on stage. Then everyone attends the last dance or movie before returning to the dorm for a short lock-in and a chance to say goodbye to friends. Right: Lauren Sakryd performs *One Thing*. Below: Talent Show Emcess (from left): Marshal Rouse, Andrew Merrill, and Rob Rose ham it up between acts.



Left: The lovely Jessica Todd performs a point routine.
Below: Cyrus Roshan beautifully strums *Malagueña*.



Above: Members of Amanda Marek's RA group perform a skit to *Nice Guys*. From left are Lauren Sakryd, Jasmine Jones, Katie Kelso, Emily Schultz, Aishwarya Durgam, Monica Vegiraju, Abby Adams.
Above left: Alyson Hetzel nails Katy Perry's *Wide Awake*.



Above: Bria Cooley performs *What I've Done* by Linkin Park. Above right: Camille Guidry is very comfortable singing *Good Ridance* by Green Day.



The Talent Continues

Right: Jamin Kidd, the Yo-Yo man. Far Right: Tyler Shoemaker masters the fingerwork in *Crazy Train*. Below: Gwyn Engeron wows the audience with her piano skills.



Above foreground (from left): 5th year students Claire Landry and Nick Gilley sing and lead the audience in *Leaving on a Jet Plane*. It is always the last student led act of the talent show.

ADVANCE Dances... Simply the Best

ADVANCERs always look forward to the three dances. For many, it is their first really fun dance and a time to learn some traditional dances to music such as DON'T STOP BELIEVING (Journey), THRILLER (Michael Jackson), BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY (Queen), LOW (Flo Rida), ISTANBUL (They Might Be Giants), FOOTLOOSE (Kenny Loggins). The dances always close with IT'S THE END OF THE WORLD (R.E.M.). Left (from left): Sebastian Brumfield Mejia, Alyson Hetzel, Amanda Marek (RA), Samuel Fick (RA). The couple on the left reminds everyone of the couple on the right...when they were younger.



Many songs played at the dances require students to get into groups and either jump or sway.

Everyone Joins in the Fun



An activity was offered to teach some traditional ADVANCE line dances to music always played at dances.

ADVANCErs Like Chillin' Together

Right (from left): Gabe Smith, Susheel Deshpande, Taha Ahmed, Nick Moreno, Jamin Kidd. Far right (from left): Laura Scronce, Robin Epperson, Grace Carter.



Left (from left): Mary Cate Nolan, Tessa LaFleur, Teena Li, Willow Powell, Syra Mehdi. Far left (from left): Erica Landon, Briah Cooley, Archie Torbett, Alyson Hetzel.



Right (from left): Cyrus Roshan, Moses Kitakule. Far right (from left): Jade Duthu, Alyssa Martin, Jessica Todd, Monica Vegiraju, Camille Guidry.



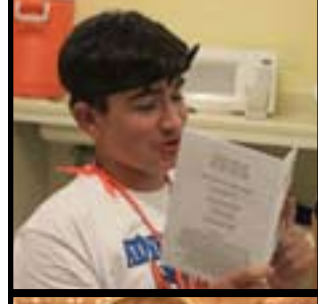
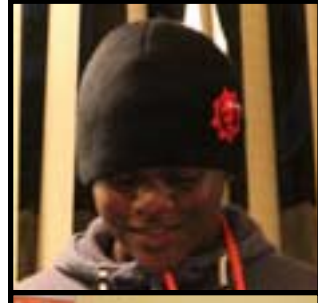
Left (from left): Gwyn Engeron, Erica Landon, Carly Branch, Grace Carter, Amanda Marek (RA), Cally Soh. Far left (from left): Kenny Bacon, Trai Gerkin, Thomas Hailey.



Right (from left): Rob Rose, Sam Lin, Rafae Alam, Joel Zishuk, Remy McConnell. Far right (from left): Alex Back, Mathieu Pitre, Ashley Arnold, Suzanne Hobson, Anna Leskova, Paige Tibbetts.

BEACH PARTY





ADVANCE...Where Memories are Made

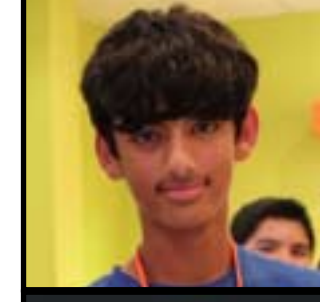
The students are truly the essence of ADVANCE. We thank you for choosing to attend and hope you will return!

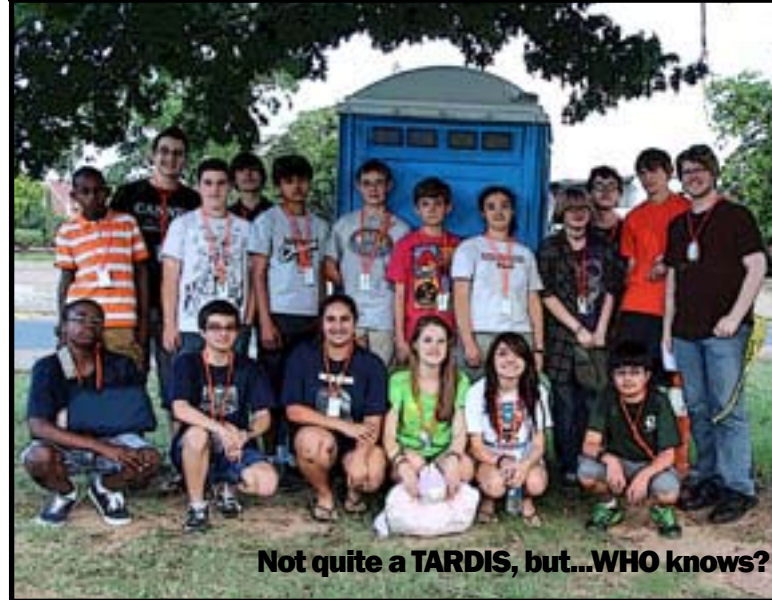
Left (top to bottom): Laura Scronce, Alyson Hetzel; Drew Boinapally; Temi Olatinwo; Nick Cheramie; Briah Cooley, Matt Eymard; Rafae Alam. Right (top to bottom): Joshua Ballagh; Cally Soh, Meenu Pamula; Mathieu Pitre; Lauren McCaghren; Azum Beg; Jazz Baker. Below top: Claire Miller, Hunter Dupré; Below middle: Sahil Dhawan, Gerard Rattler, Neha Dhawan (RA); Below bottom: Remy McConnell, Sam Lin, Dusty Newsom, Rob Rose, Jaryd Domine.

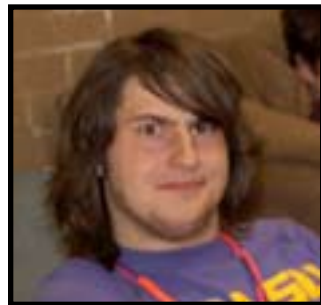


Be Yourself and You Will Be at Home at ADVANCE

Left (top to bottom): Ashley Arnold; Joe Leo; Syra Mehdi; Dylan Jackson; Alyssa Martin; Jesse Young. Right (top to bottom): Nikhil Gogineni; Youngone Kim; Sam Yeboah; Courtney Caraway, Alyssa Walker; Taha Ahmed; Sheila Mallenahalli. Below top: Myra Westerfield, Thomas Hailey, Claire Landry, Brittany Burrow, Mallory Gaspard. Below middle: Kenny Bacon, Trai Gerkin. Below bottom: Carly Branch, Cally Soh, Sahana Padumane, Erica Landon.







Staffers Love Their Positions at ADVANCE

Left (top to bottom): Ben Birk (TA); Maddy Baker (TA); Andrew Stacy (TA); Jamie Park (RA); Daniel Jones (RA); Camille Bullock (TA). Right (top to bottom): Amanda Marek (RA); Tyler Ashby (TA); Kit Sternberger (TA); Kyle May (RA); Neha Dhawan (RA-Call Me Maybe); William Hogan (TA). Below top: Alexa Swan (TA). Below middle (from left): Ralph Adamo (Creative Writing Instructor), Camille Bullock (TA), Kit Sternberger (TA), William Hogan (TA), Katy Mulvaney (Shakespeare Instructor). Below bottom (from left): Andrew Stacy (TA), Kyle May (RA), Candace Stacy (TA), Michael Lee (RA).



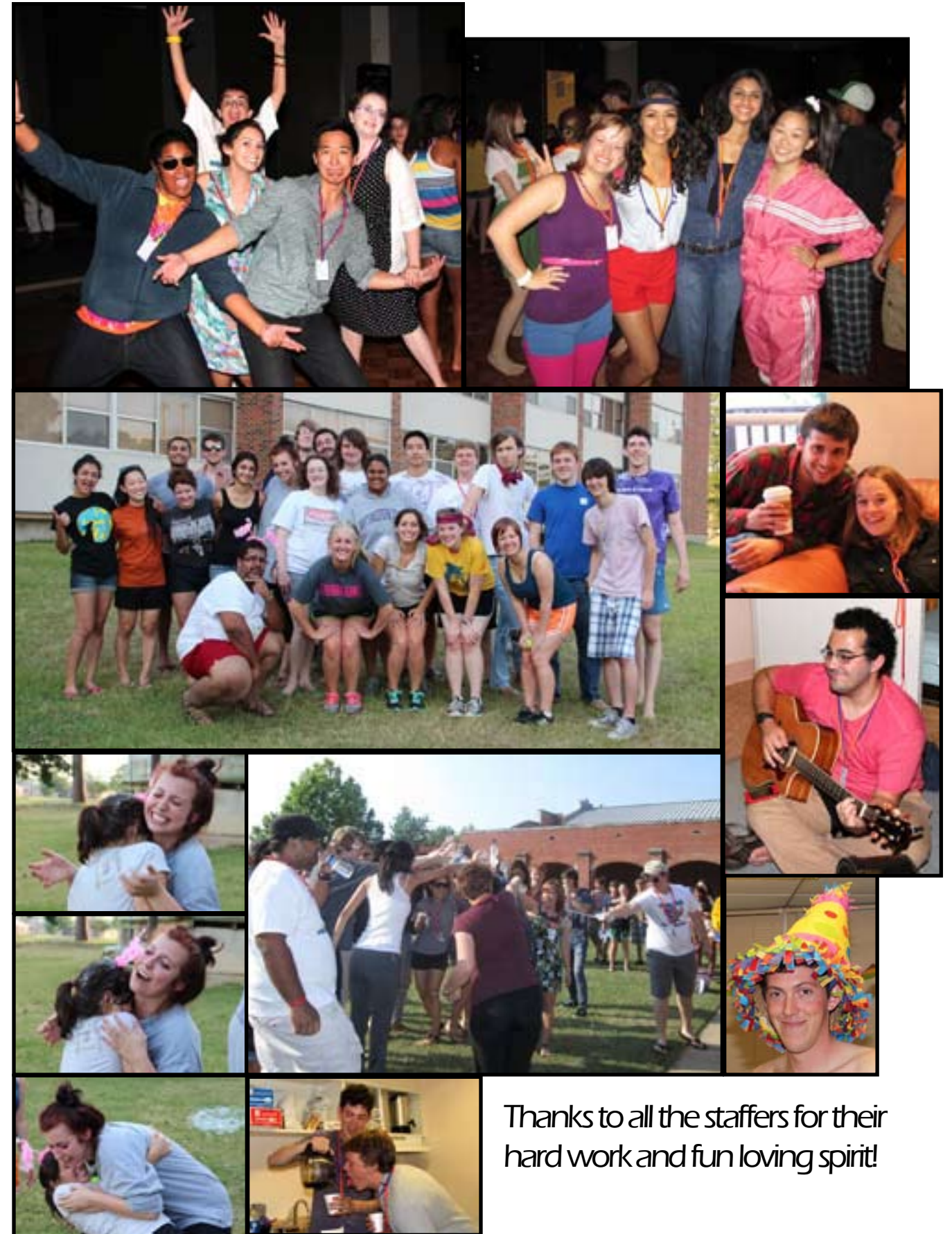
Staffers Work and Play Hard, Too

Left (from left): VJ Gandhi and Matt Turner are given a coffee thermos. Caffeine in various forms is central to the happiness of staffers. Below (from left): Andrew Stacy (TA), Camille Bullock (TA), Samuel Fick (Head RA), William Hogan (TA), Maggie Conarro (RA) represent 24 years of service to ADVANCE. For those who will not return next year, know that you will be greatly missed!



2012 Staff Members

Left seated (from left): Hira Qarni, Alexa Swan, Kit Sternberger, Amanda Marek, Camille Bullock, Jamie Park, Neha Dhawan. Second row (from left): Maggie Conarro, Tyler Ashby, Candace Stacy, Andrew Galatas, Ben Birk, Maddy Baker, Samuel Fick, Andrew Stacy, VJ Gandhi. Back row (from left): Mason Joiner, William Hogan, Matt Turner, Michael Lee, Daniel Jones, Kyle May.



Thanks to all the staffers for their hard work and fun loving spirit!

We Hope to See You June 9 - 29, 2013!

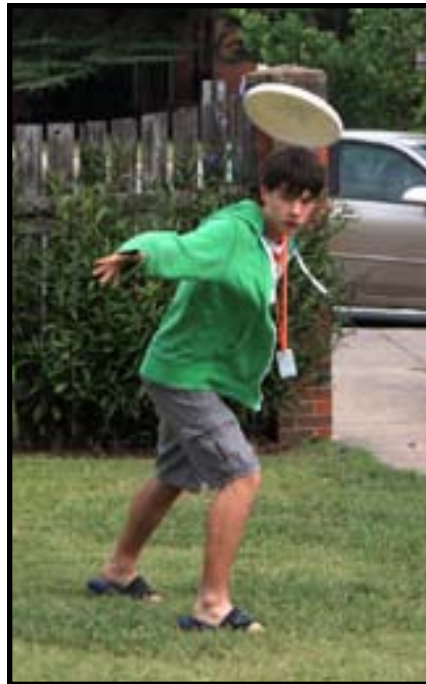
We hope everyone has a wonderful school year, but that you will count the days until ADVANCE next summer! Right: Keaton McKinney and Katie Kelso. Below (from left): Classmates Alex Back, Jazz Baker, Ashley Arnold, Andrew Galatas (TA), Nate Cargile, Cyrus Roshan participate in a physics lab.



The Criminalistics and Algebra 2 classes visited SciPort in Shreveport, Louisiana during the program. Left (from left): Winston Hung and Shelby Whiteaker explore an abacus. Below (bottom left then clockwise): Gwyn Engeron, Carly Branch, Adam Bobbs, Grace Carter, Erica Landon, Micaela Whiteaker, Winston Hung, Matt Macias study and visit during the annual Coffee House held the night before final exams.



Right: Alastair Dunn plays frisbee during a break. Far right: (front to back): Rob Rose, Andrew Merrill, Mason Joiner (TA) form an Improv troupe for the Talent Show.



Our fabulous 4th and 5th year students are (from left): Jake Goodwin, Nate Cargile, Chris Myers, Andrew Merrill, Nick Gilley, Robert VanKirk, Mikesh Patel, Keaton McKinney, Brittany Burrow, Claire Landry, Alex Back.

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