

## AG Announcements – 10/28/13

Would you like to learn to sculpt clay? To make bowls and mugs? Like to learn Pottery? Interested in taking Pottery as a semester long class?

Pottery may be offered as a class next semester. If it is, it will be 3rd period. Please indicate if your interest by signing the yellow paper outside the Art Room this week. This won't commit you, but will show if there is interest for the class. Grades 7 - 12 are invited

The deadline for joining the May Nicaragua Intensive has been extended to this Friday, November 1st. If you are interested or have questions, please see Ken or Chris any time this week or go to <[Outreach360.org](http://Outreach360.org)> for more information.

There is an ACPE Financial Aid workshop on Saturday November 9<sup>th</sup> in the Teen Underground from 2-4. See adviser for flyer. Teens, parents, and staff are welcome.

I am Ashton Curry, a recent graduate of Steller. I am here to announce a grand opportunity for high school students to get involved with a program known as Volunteers Around the World or VAW. This is a non-profit NGO (Non-Governmental Organization) that is spread throughout the nations colleges. Students who join are sent to destinations such as Guatemala and Puerto Rico for two weeks to treat the basic needs of people living without any access to medical care. The trips give students an opportunity to explore the medical field and help families living in poverty in other countries. VAW has recently extended their program to high school students, which is most of you! The president of the Alaska chapter of VAW, Joseph Lurtsema, has been going around high schools presenting the organization. He is planning to come to Steller in search of anyone interested in joining the organization. He will be presenting the entirety of VAW to anyone who wishes to join on Wednesday, October 30th, at 11:45pm in Ken's Room. I hope to see you there!

At this point the advisory groups should have their donation selection thought of. If a group hasn't finalized their idea for their donation that needs to be finished by today. If you were waiting for the overall theme it is **Mardi Gras**. Also, advisory groups please come up with the top projects that you would be looking to fund this year. Last year the big donation project was Souper Steller. This year we are looking to do the same thing but with other projects during the live auction. But, we will need a list of what is needed and the amount of money to purchase the items. Please give all ideas to your op group rep.

Juniors- we are administering the WorkKeys to all juniors on either Thursday, November 7 or Friday, November 8 (depending on where you fall in the alphabet). More information about the assessment will be out soon.