

**Alumni Association  
of the American Community School  
at Beirut, Lebanon**

Fellow Alumni,

In the June 2016 edition of *The Diaspora Potrzebie* the Board of Governors announced its decision to cease asking the membership to pay dues which are non-tax-deductible for those filing US income taxes, but instead to ask the membership to make tax-deductible donations to fund AA/ACS' annual operating costs. This donation-based financing approach is consistent with the financial support systems used by many other tax-exempt organizations.

As stated in the newsletter, the membership will receive an annual appeal for donations to fund AA/ACS' operating costs and to support the Malcolm Kerr Endowment Fund for scholarships. Your association's primary costs are publishing the quarterly editions of the newsletter and providing the startup budget for the triennial reunions.

On behalf of the Board of Governors, I am asking for your financial support. Please consider making a minimum donation of \$25, but any amount is welcomed.

The success of this solicitation is very important for AA/ACS, so please donate. Without your financial support, AA/ACS cannot continue to serve its membership and the school.

Bill Crays Class of 1956

President AA/ACS

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**2016 AA/ACS Donations Form**

- Alumni Association General Fund (tax-deductible)** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
These donations are used for alumni association operating expenses.
- Malcolm Kerr Endowment Fund (tax-deductible)** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Malcolm Kerr '49, ACS alum and President of AUB, was assassinated in office in 1984. Tuition scholarships are given in his name to deserving ACS students.
- Matching gift from my employer:** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Make checks payable to "AA/ACS" TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Maiden/Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty/Staff/Trustee \_\_\_\_\_ (Please note years)

Mail checks to: Pat Hinds '56, Treasurer at 304 Calle Moreno, San Dimas, CA 91773.