

# Valley Christian Academy Good News

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**This Week's Riddle:**  
What does a dog call his  
father?

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**Stop by the school office**  
**with the correct answer**  
**and you will receive a**  
**treat!! ☺**

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**Last week's riddle:**  
What begins with T, ends  
with T, and has T in it?  
**Answer: A Teapot ☺**

**"Your  
word is a  
lamp to my  
feet  
And a light  
to my  
path."  
- Psalm  
119:105**

## Grandparent's Day

Grandparent's Day is THIS Friday, October 27th! We will begin at 9am in the Church Sanctuary for a brief program highlighting VCA's students. You will then be dismissed to your grandchild's classroom to participate in special activities. We will be dismissing school at noon to give you an opportunity to spend the afternoon with your grandchildren. Below is a list of items each classroom has been asked to provide for this special day. Please turn in the RSVP if you have not yet done so. ☺ Should you have any questions, please see your child's teacher.

Pre-K – Capri Suns/Water	4 <sup>th</sup> – One gallon-size bag of oranges (washed & cut in quarters)
Kind – One Pack (Dozen) of String Cheese	5 <sup>th</sup> – One Dozen Mini Size Muffins
1 <sup>st</sup> – One Dozen Mini Size Muffins	6 <sup>th</sup> – One bunch of grapes (seedless & washed)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – One Dozen Mini Bagels	7 <sup>th</sup> – One Dozen Mini Size Muffins
3 <sup>rd</sup> – \$3 per student for Paper Goods	8 <sup>th</sup> – One Container of Cream Cheese

## Uniform Sale

Norman's, our uniform provider, will be here tomorrow, **October 24th from 2:30pm to 6pm** to provide you with any of your child's uniform needs. This is a wonderful time for you to purchase any clothing needed for your child before winter comes . . . which is right around the corner. ☺

## Make-Up Pictures

Make up pictures are Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. If your child was absent or if you are not pleased with your child's school pictures that were sent home recently, please be sure that you send the entire package with your child and have them dress to school in their Chapel uniform. Your child may change into their daily uniform after their picture is taken. Please know that make-up pictures will start immediately at 8:30am. Should you have any questions, please call the school office.

## End of the Quarter

The end of the 1st quarter is Friday, November 3rd. All students are encouraged to work hard and be diligent in their studies. Attendance is very important to your student's success; make every effort to make sure your child is in attendance and on time. ☺ Keep your eyes on Jesus and He will direct you!

## Parent/Teacher Conferences

It is that wonderful time of the year where our teachers and parents have the opportunity to sit down and discuss the progress of the children and review your child's report card. Grades Kindergarten through 8th will have Parent / Teacher Conferences on Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. Please stop by your child's class and sign up for a time to meet with their teacher. ☺ Daycare will be open on both days and available to you should you need it.

# October/November

23	24 Uniform Sale 2:30pm to 6pm	25	26	27 Grandparent's Day – Chapel attire required (Minimum Day)
30	31 Make-Up Pictures	1 November	2	3 End of 1st Quarter (Minimum Day)
6 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade field trip to Riverside Nat'l Cemetery	7	8 Parent/Teacher Conferences- No School/Daycare Open	9 Parent/Teacher Conferences- No School/Daycare Open	10 Veteran's Day- No School /Daycare Open
13	14	15	16	17 Thanksgiving Feast 

## Pre-K Ms. Perez/ Miss Jones

Color	Shape	Letter	Number
Orange	Square	Tt	7

Our Pre-K students had a blast last week at our annual Pumpkin patch. The children learned through the Christian Pumpkin Story how amazing it is that God picks you from the pumpkin patch, brings you in, and washes the dirt off of you. He scoops out all the seeds of doubt and confusion. Then He carves you a new heart and causes His light to shine through you for all the world to see! 😊

Grandparent's Day is THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup> at gam. Pre-K is contributing water and Capri-Suns. Please see your child's teacher on the specifics. 😊

## Kindergarten

Thank you to all of our parents who were able to help with our Pumpkin Patch last Friday! You are greatly appreciated. It was so awesome! The children had a fabulous time! 😊

Grandparent's Day is THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Please remember to bring in one pack (dozen) of string cheese by this Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup>.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

If you find that your child is missing their homework sheet, homework packet, Bible verse, or Spelling words, please know that all of these items are posted on RenWeb. Once you log in to RenWeb, click on classes link, choose any of the first grade classes, then click on the resources tab. Any of these documents can be downloaded there. Homework can also be accessed by choosing the calendar link and then choosing the My Homework tab. Homework is usually posted several days ahead of time.

Please remember to bring one dozen mini muffins for Grandparent's Day, THIS Friday, October 27, 2017.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

Mrs. Harper was so excited to see all of the "Turkeys In Disguise"! The students did a wonderful job! 😊

This Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup> is Grandparent's Day and it is also a minimum day. Please remember to bring in one bag of mini bagels the morning of Grandparent's Day - THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Wednesday, November 8th and Thursday, November 9th. Your scheduled conference time is noted on your child's homework sheet.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

Congratulations to Gabriel Vargas as he earned this week's clean desk award! 😊

The Animal Notebook is due tomorrow, October 24<sup>th</sup>.

If you have not yet signed up for Parent/Teacher Conference, a current list of available times is posted on the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade parent board.

Third graders are memorizing the Preamble to the Constitution and are doing a great job! Keep it up!

We would be very blessed if each student can donate \$3 towards paper goods for Grandparent's Day. Thank you to all who have donated! 😊

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

If your child is attending the Sacramento field trip in June of 2018, the \$50 deposit per person attending is due this Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

Please remember to bring in one gallon-size bag of oranges, washed and cut in quarters, the morning of Grandparent's Day, THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

This week's tests:

Monday, 10/23 - Language Quiz on capitals;

Tuesday, 10/24 - Science, Ch. 2;

Friday, 10/27 - Non-Refundable Sacramento Deposits due

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

It is going to be hot this week, so please make sure your child brings in plenty of water. 😊



Grandparent's Day is this Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. If you have not yet turned in your RSVP, please do so as soon as possible.

Please bring in one dozen mini muffins the morning of THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup> for Grandparent's Day.

This week's tests:

Wednesday, 10/25 - History

Thursday, 10/26 - Math

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Please sign up for your Parent/Teacher Conference if you have not done so. The sign-up sheet is on our Parent Board just inside the classroom.

At this time we have two approved drivers for field trips. Please turn in your Volunteer Driver Application ASAP so that we can plan a few trips for our students.

Book report forms were sent home last week. Reports are due no later than this Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

Please remember to bring in one package of grapes, washed and cut into bunches, ready to serve for Grandparent's Day THIS Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. If your child is leaving with their grandparents, Mrs. Mayer will need the signed permission slip before Friday. 😊

## Jr. High

8<sup>th</sup> grade History Project on the Early Colonies is due on Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

We will have an English and Bible test this week.

Parents, please be sure to check RenWeb for updates on your child's progress.

7<sup>th</sup> Grade - Please remember to bring in one dozen mini muffins the morning of Grandparent's Day on Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade - Please remember to bring in one container of cream cheese the morning of Grandparent's Day on Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.

## "Something Fantastic"

### In The News at VCA

The Softball Season was absolutely awesome! The children had such a fun time playing and learning the game! Thank you to our coaches - Mr. Chavez and Mr. Parada for their time as we certainly appreciate them! 😊

Soccer sign-ups are going out this week. Please keep an eye out for them.

## Students of the Week

Pre-K - Madisson Contreras

Kind. - Fortune Owolade

1<sup>st</sup> - Karla Sandhu

2<sup>nd</sup> - Jonathan Olson

3<sup>rd</sup> - Leslie Gwynne

4<sup>th</sup> - Daniel Solla

5<sup>th</sup> - Gael Bogarin

6<sup>th</sup> - Cole Gregg

7<sup>th</sup> - Diana Mendoza

8<sup>th</sup> - Andre Lu

## Bible Verses

PK - John 10:10b	4 <sup>th</sup> - Jer. 32:17
K - Romans 8:28	5 <sup>th</sup> - Heb. 10:11-12
1 <sup>st</sup> - First 5 Commandments	6 <sup>th</sup> - Luke 6:35-36
2 <sup>nd</sup> - Joshua 1:8	7 <sup>th</sup> - Matt. 7:18-20
3 <sup>rd</sup> - Ps.119:33-34	8 <sup>th</sup> - Phil. 3:7-11