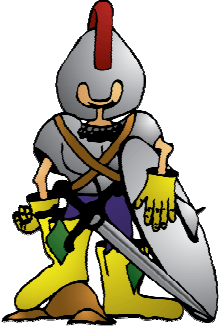


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This Week's Riddle:
What is the smartest kind
of bee?

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

Last week's riddle:
What is at the end of
everything?
Answer: The letter "G"
☺

**"Whenever I
am afraid,
I will trust in
You.
In God (I will
praise His
word),
In God I have
put my trust;
I will not fear.
What can flesh
do to me?"**

-Psalm 56:3-4

Report Cards

This Friday, February 9th, report cards will be sent home with your child who is in Kindergarten through 8th grade. Please be sure to check your child's backpack for their report card. Should you have any questions regarding your child's progress, you may schedule an appointment to meet with his/her teacher.

Registration

Wow! Time sure does fly when you're having fun! Can you believe it is that time of the year again?! Yes, we are preparing for registration for the 2018-2019 school year. Registration packets will be sent home the week of February 12th with your oldest child enrolling for the next school year. **As in past years, you can save \$30 per child if you enroll your child on Wednesday, February 28th or Thursday, March 1st.** Should you have any questions, please call the school office. ☺

Chapel Chairs

Though it has not been many years since our chapel chairs were updated, with all the wear and tear we put the chairs through, there is a need to buy more chairs. Often people tell us, if you would have just asked, I would be happy to help. So here we are, asking...would you please consider whether you would be able to buy one chair for chapel. The cost is \$65.00. Please contact the church or school office if you are able to help. Thank you for your consideration.

President's Weekend

There will be no school on Friday, February 16th in observance of Lincoln's birthday – **daycare will be open and available to you.**

Also, there will be NO school on Monday, February 19th in observance of President's Day – daycare WILL BE CLOSED on this day. We would like to wish you all a happy and safe four-day weekend.

Minimum Day / Lost and Found

Friday, February 23rd is a minimum day which means school will be out at noon.

Lost and Found - Any items left in the lost and found after February 23rd will be donated to charity.

Awards in Chapel

Students who earn Principal's Academic Excellence (all A's) or Honor Roll (all A's and B's) for the 2nd quarter will receive an award in Chapel on Friday, February 23rd. Parents, we hope you will be able to join us as we congratulate the students for their hard work! ☺

February

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| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 2 nd & 3 rd Grade field trip to LifeHouse Theater -Soccer game at 3:15pm (Redlands) | 9 Report Cards go home |
| 12 | 13 Soccer game at 3:15pm (MV) | 14 | 15 | 16 Lincoln's Birthday – No School / Daycare Open |
| 19 President's Day – No School / Daycare CLOSED | 20 | 21 6 th & 7 th Grade field trip to Medieval Times | 22 Soccer game at 3:15pm (Olive Branch) | 23 -Minimum Day -Honor Roll/ Principal Awards |
| 26 | 27 | 28 -2018/19 Registration begins. Contract signing from 7am to 4pm | 1 March -2018/19 Registration begins. Contract signing from 2pm to 6pm | 2 |

Pre-K Ms. Perez/ Miss Jones

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| White | Heart | Jj | 18 |

Throughout the month of February, we will be learning about community helpers. Our local fire department, Station 99, will be visiting the Pre-K students next Monday, February 12th at 10am.

We will have a Valentine's Day party on Wednesday, February 14th at 11am. Parents, if you would love to bring something to share, please let Ms. Perez or Miss Jones know. ☺

Pre-K will be doing a performance in Chapel on Friday, February 23rd at 9am. Parents are encouraged to join us.

Kindergarten

Hip, hip hooray! Our favorite firetruck is on its way to visit us today, February 5th. On Thursday, February 8th, the dentist will visit us. We have a fun busy week planned.

Have a blessed week!
Mrs. Siqueiros ☺



1st Grade

Our field trip to Riley's Farm was a success! The first grade students had fun learning about life in the colonies. Thank you to all of our volunteer drivers and chaperones for your time!

First grade has been working hard earning all of those pesos! So much that our treasure box is running low. If you would love to make a donation towards our treasure box, the first grade children would be very blessed.

2nd Grade

Each second grade student will be assigned a poem to memorize for our upcoming Speech Meet.

Report cards will go home this Friday, February 9th.

Thank you to Mrs. Judon-Gabbidon and Mrs. Fagan for all of their help with reading groups.



3rd Grade

Congratulations to Isabella Bernabe as she earned this week's clean desk award.

This Thursday, February 8th, we will be going to LifeHouse Theater and leaving VCA precisely at 9:45am.

Science Project Packets went home last week with your child. Please know this is extra credit; however, it is strongly encouraged that each third grade student participates. Let the fun begin! Science Projects are due on Monday, March 19th. Please see Mrs. J with any questions or concerns. ☺

4th Grade

Science Project log check point is this Friday, February 9th. The log is a record of what your child has done on their project each day. Log entries must include the date and a description. A sample log is included in your child's Science Packet.

This week's tests:

Tuesday, 2/6 – Language test (subjects & verbs)

Friday, 2/9 – Math test (division & averaging)



5th Grade

The next payment of \$45 per person for Science Camp is due this Friday, February 9th.

The Science Project check point/due dates was sent home last Friday with your child. Please see Mrs. Travers with any questions or concerns you may have.

We are starting our Science curriculum today, February 5th.



6th Grade

6th grade is excited to move on from History to Science this semester. We can't wait to explore the wonders of God's creation.

Mark Your Calendars:

- Thursday, Feb. 8th – Science Project check point, Materials List due
- Wednesday, Feb. 14th – Valentine's Party
- Wednesday, Feb. 21st – Field trip to Medieval Times (8am-3pm)



Jr. High

Science Project packets have gone home with your child. Please get in touch with Mr. Swiss if you have any questions or concerns.

8th grade parents – We are now into the last two quarters of your child's time here at VCA; which means graduation will be coming soon. Please keep watch for information and meetings as we begin the planning for the big night.



Bible Verses

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| PK – Matt. 14:33b | 4 th – Heb. 11:1 |
| K – Malachi 3:19 | 5 th – Psalm 18:2 |
| 1 st – Psalm 119:11 | 6 th – Eph. 5:18b-21 |
| 2 nd – Psalm 138:3 | 7 th – Psalm 121:1-4 |
| 3 rd – Ps. 145:17-19 | 8 th – Rev. 1:17-18 |

"Something Fantastic"

In The News at VCA

We thank the Lord for the Elks Club, as they came out to do vision screening for our Pre-K through 3rd grade students. ☺

Students of the Week

Pre-K – Nathaneal Gonzalez

Kind. – Payton Adams

1st – Ashlynn Bunker

2nd – Cayden Santillan

3rd – Meagan Sadik

4th – Bryce Payne

5th – Gael Bogarin

6th – Anika Chavez

7th – Kaylee Barnekow-Wine

8th – Jonas Fuller