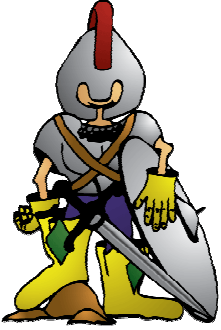


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This Week's Riddle:
What do you call a cat
that bowls?

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

Last week's riddle:
Why does the Statue of
Liberty stand in New
York harbor?
Answer: Because she
can't sit ☺

*“Be kindly
affectionate to
one another with
brotherly love, in
honor giving
preference to one
another; not
lagging in
diligence, fervent
in spirit, serving
the Lord; rejoicing
in hope, patient in
tribulation,
continuing
steadfastly in
prayer;”*

- Romans 12:10-12

Canned Food Drive

We are again collecting non-perishable foods for a local food bank. They do have an overabundance of green beans at this time, but all other foods are welcome. ☺

Minimum Day – Friday, May 25th

Friday, May 26th is a minimum day; school gets out at 12pm. Daycare will be open and available to you should you need it.

Memorial Day – Monday, May 28th

There will be NO school on Monday, May 28th in honor of Memorial Day. Daycare will be CLOSED as well. Enjoy your three-day weekend! ☺

8th Grade Graduation Date & Time Change

Please mark your calendars as the eighth grade graduation will be held on Wednesday, June 13th at 3:30pm.

Spirit Day – May 30th

Wednesday, May 30th is our last Spirit Day of this school year and the theme is “Patriotic Dress”. Students who choose to participate may wear their red, white, and blue attire. **This is NOT a free dress day; if your child chooses NOT to participate, then they must wear their uniform.**

Box Tops

It's clipping time! ☺ Box Tops are due on Friday, June 1st. This time, we will pick the two classes that bring in the most Box Tops and have a “Nacho and Movie Party”. Box Top collection sheets were distributed to all classes last week. Please make sure your child's first and last name is written on their collections sheet. Woo hoo, let's start clipping for VCA!

Parking Lot Safety

We would like to remind our families that **our speed limit is 5 MPH when driving through our parking lot. This is for the safety of your children.**

Reminder to All: Please be courteous in allowing people to park, back out, or leave the parking lot. We understand that the parking lot gets busy at drop-off and pick-up time, but please use caution when driving/parking and give yourself enough time in the morning/ afternoon. Let us all work together on being safe and keeping our children/families safe. ☺

May

7	8 Kindergarten Mother's Day Tea	9	10 1 st grade field trip to Legoland	11
14	15	16 Captain Carl Special Assembly	17	18 ACSI District Speech Meet at Montebello Christian School
8th grade Washington DC field trip – 5/14 thru 5/19				
21	22	23	24	25 Minimum Day
5th & 6th Grade Science Camp				
28 Memorial Day – No School / Daycare CLOSED	29	30 Spirit Day – Patriotic Dress	31	1 June -4 th Grade Sacramento Trip -Box Tops Due

Pre-K Ms. Perez/ Miss Jones

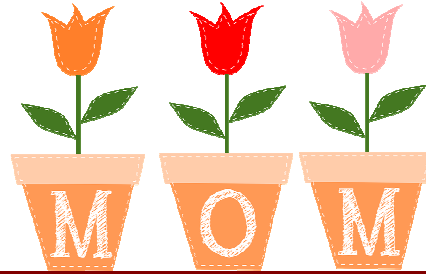
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Blue	Octagon	Review A-Z	1-20

We are so excited to announce that our Pre-K children will perform in Chapel this Friday, May 11th at 9am. Parents are encouraged to join us! ☺

Thank you again to our wonderful families for giving us the opportunity to be a part of your child's foundation. We pray that God's love will be the guiding principle that forms and upholds our ministry.

Kindergarten

Yay! We are very excited for our Mother's Day Tea tomorrow, May 8th at 10am. The Kindergarten children look forward to sharing this sweet moment with their beautiful momma's! ☺



1st Grade

Thank you to everyone that brought snacks during testing! We were so blessed!

Our Legoland Field trip is this Thursday, May 10th. Please arrive to our school at 7:15am as we will depart VCA promptly at 7:30am. First grade students need to wear their burgundy uniform polo shirt and bring their booster seat. Remember, lunch is on your own so please bring your sack lunch or money to purchase lunch. We are looking forward to a great trip! ☺

Students should be working diligently on their Animal Project that is due on Monday, May 21st.

2nd Grade

Thank you to all of our parents who brought in our healthy snacks for our Terra Nova testing last week! We greatly appreciate you all! ☺

This week, we are back to our regular class schedule.

We will have a History test this Thursday, May 10th.

Progress Reports will be sent home this Friday, May 11th.



3rd Grade

Congratulations to Coral Thornton as she earned this week's clean desk award!

Outstanding job everyone on our Spring Play last Friday! ☺

This week we are presenting our biography book reports in class.

Our next field trip is scheduled for Monday, June 11th. Details regarding our field trip will be sent home today.

4th Grade

Thank you to everyone who brought delicious snacks for our Terra Nova testing last week! The class was so blessed! ☺

This week's tests:

Monday, 5/7–Math (Metric Measures)
 Tuesday, 5/8–Preposition Quiz
 Wednesday, 5/9–Science Test 11
 Thursday, 5/10– History Test 10
 Friday, 5/11– Recite “Rain In Summer”

Sacramento Trip Attendees: Mrs. Jones has included a few forms at the end of the children's homework packet – Itinerary, Medical Summary for each person attending, & a permission slip. The last two forms are due to Mrs. Jones no later than May 11th.

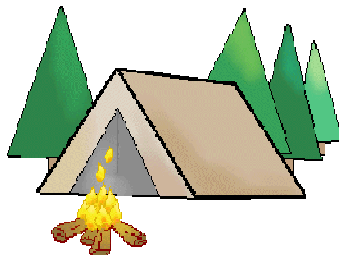
5th Grade

Thank you to all of our parents who brought in snacks for Terra Nova testing last week! ☺

Mrs. Travers is so proud of her students! They all did a wonderful job for the play; what a blessing!

We will have a Math test today, 5/7.

Information regarding what to bring to Science Camp, went home last week. Please send in the permission slip by this Friday, May 11th. Thank you.



6th Grade

Thank you to all who are sending in canned foods for “Choice Market”, a local food bank.

Terra Nova testing is completed and we are back into full class mode.

Book Reports are due by Thursday, May 31st.

Progress Reports will be sent home this Friday, May 11th. Please keep in mind that due to a week of testing, the grades presented are based on a very small sampling of work. There is plenty of time to bring up low grades. ☺ Having said that, if your child is turning in late or incomplete work, that will continue to have a negative impact on their grades. Please check for complete assignments and papers that need to be corrected. As we finish up this year, we need to stay diligent workers that finish strong.

Jr. High

Eighth grade will get to do Community service this Thursday, May 10th at Choice Market. They will help with the distribution of food to families in need. What a blessing it is to be able to give to those in need. ☺

Mr. Swiss is so excited and looking forward to the Washington DC trip. Remember, students attending must meet at Ontario Airport on Monday, May 14th at 3:30am!



Bible Verses

PK – Daniel 6:26b	4 th – 1 John 4:4
K – 2 Cor. 5:17	5 th – 1 Pet. 3:8-9
1 st – Acts 1:8	6 th – Titus 3:8
2 nd – Neh. 4:6	7 th – 1 Cor. 1:12-13
3 rd – Rom. 1:16-17	8 th – Col. 1:15-16

“Something Fantastic”

In The News at VCA

The Elementary Play was absolutely wonderful! All of the students did a fabulous job with their performance. Thank you to Ms. Wong, Mrs. J, Mrs. Travers, and Mrs. Schwartz for all of their hard work and dedication to put this play together.

Students of the Week

Pre-K – Emma Solla
 Kind. – Gavin Ayers
 1st – Vincent Counts
 2nd – Nathan Guillen
 3rd – Isabella Bernabe
 4th – Shaila Fernandez
 5th – Angel Torres
 6th – Cole Gregg
 7th – Isaiah Martinez
 8th – Manasse Musakwa

