RVMS ROYAL REVIEW

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2026

Upcoming Events

- October 30: End of the first quarter
- November 11: Parent Teacher Conferences; School Closed for Veteran's Day
- November 25-27: Thanksgiving Break, School Closed
- December 10: Christmas Program, 7:00pm

Why do we fundraise?

by Michelle Zehr

Fundraising is such an important part of River Valley. It is beneficial in keeping the cost of our tuition more affordable for our families. I also believe that working together creates more of a bond in our families and teaches our students the importance of giving of our time.

Currently, we have our candy bar sale going on. Please reach out to a school family if you need some Gertrude Hawk chocolate bars in your life!

Watch for our first Fundraising meal coming early 2027!

Soccer News



by Coach Zanetta Russell

The 2026 soccer season is going well. Our record is 7-2 with one game to go before the playoffs. Our two losses have come from Faith Fellowship. We have had a few injuries that have slowed us down, but with a healthy team going into the playoffs, we have potential. The team has been led by three seniors, Davin Lyndaker, Stoan Miller, and Cassidy Roggie, as well as key underclassmen. This is a championship team and if we can keep our heads together we have the talent to win it all. Regardless of the playoff outcome, I have enjoyed coaching this group of athletes. They are champions in my book, either way. Our first playoff game is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, October 20 - at home. Come out and support the team on their quest for our first soccer championship.



Senior Spotlight!



Antonio Coz-Sica

Parents: Johnna and Antonio (Luis) Coz-Sica
Favorite Subject: English
What is one thing you appreciate about your RVMS education? I really appreciate the Godly authority, like our Supervisors, Monitors and Principal. They are all very good examples of Godly adults.
Favorite memory: I have quite a lot! The one I think of first is when I started talking to Carson Mast in 6th grade. We have been best friends ever since!
Future Plans: College. I plan to study Psychology



Davin Lyndaker

Parents: Jason Lyndaker and Twila Lyndaker
Favorite Subject: Personal Finance and Spanish
What is one thing you appreciate about your RVMS education? My Christian education and all the RVMS staff
Favorite Memory: Competing at Convention, especially preaching my sermons
Future Plans: Becoming a salesman or maybe working in the woods.

CREATION INVESTIGATION

by Miss Maria Widrick

On September 23-25, 15 students from RVMS left and headed to Beaver Camp for Creation Investigation. This year the 4th - 6th graders learned about plants and trees. They learned how to identify a tree by the bark and the leaves they carry. The group learned how to identify the 7 different kinds of trees just by looking at their leaves. They were reminded of how the water cycle works. Without the sun, life on earth wouldn't exist. It just amazes me how God made the earth to sustain life. The group really enjoyed the obstacle course this year. They worked really well together to complete each element. The group did 3 ground elements and 2 high elements. I think the group was ready to come home on Friday - I know I was!

Quotes from 4th- 6th graders about Creation Investigation:

MY FAVORITE PART OF CREATION INVESTIGATION WAS:

Arrayah - The Big Swing
Olivia - The night hike! Seeing and hearing the owls
Leighton - The Giant Swing
Aiden - Kayaking on the River
Solomon - The night hike - we wore blindfolds!
Kierra - The giant swing
Mackenzie - Swimming in the River in September!

Look at what we've been up to!



A visit from a police officer!



6th Grade field trip to see an Art Exhibit
by Connie Noftsier at the Croghan Library

K-3 Field Trip to Fort Rickey Game Farm







4th-6th Field Trip to the Almanzo Wilder Homestead in Malone, NY









