

West Valley Christian Academy

NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2026

Events

10/1 Bring your Bible to School Day
10/2 Custodian Appreciation Day
10/2 Rock Your School Day
10/5-10/9 Hispanic Heritage Month
10/7 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/14 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/14 Speech Meet Entries Due
10/16 Progress Reports Out
10/21 Baptism Chapel
10/26-10/30 Spirit Week
10/26 Picture Retake Day
10/28 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/28 Shoebox Collection Begins
10/31 Trunk or Treat
Pastor Appreciation Month!

Reminders

- Be sure to check my weekly Friday emails for updates on events and other school information.
- We will be having a candy collecting competition for our Trunk or Treat during October. If you would like to volunteer for this event or host a trunk, sign up on tracycommunitychurch.com.

Shout Outs

Thank you TCC Pastors for all that you do for WVCA and our community. We are blessed by you daily. Happy Pastor Appreciation Month!

Prayer Points

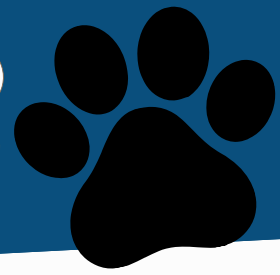
- ☒ Pray for our TCC pastors.
- ☒ Pray for our students who choose to get baptized.
- ☒ Pray for success in learning.

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PURPOSE & PRAYERS

Thank you for a great first month of school! It has been a joy to get to know our students and start our learning adventure! I am praying for a fall season where our homes and school are filled with the peace of the Lord. May we look to Him in ALL that we do.

Mrs. Lopez

EVENTS

10/1 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/2 Custodian Appreciation Day
10/3 Rock Your School Day
10/8 Baptism Chapel 8:45 AM
10/10 Progress Reports Go Home
10/15 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/13-10/17 Multicultural Month
10/20 Picture Day - Free Dress
10/22 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/22 Shoebox Collection Begins
10/27-10/31 Spirit Week
10/29 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/31 Trunk or Treat
Pastor Appreciation Month!

REMINDERS

- Picture Day is October 20th. It is a free dress day.
- Spirit Week Dress Days: **M**: Flannel Day (shirts only, no PJs)
T: Western Day **W**: Neon Day **Th**: Decades Day **F**: Sports Day
- Operation Christmas Child will give students an opportunity to take home a shoe box to fill with items for kids in need. Students will learn more at chapel on 10/22.
- We will be having a candy collecting competition for our Trunk or Treat during October. If you would like to volunteer for this event or host a trunk, sign up on tracycommunitychurch.com.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to every TCC pastor and every pastor at WVCA. Your call to ministry is making a difference for the kingdom of God. We appreciate you and all that you do. Happy Pastor's Appreciation Month!

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SEPTEMBER 2026

Events

9/1 Orientation 6-7:30 PM
9/8 First Day of School!
9/9 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/14 School Store Fundraiser Begins
9/16 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/16 Parent Devotion
9/22 Fall Picture Day
9/23 See you at the Pole 8 AM
9/23 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/29 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
9/30 Chapel 8:45 AM

Reminders

- School starts on 9/8 at 8:30 AM. Parents are welcome to walk students to class on the first day.
- Gradelink is our student information system where billing, grading, and communication happen. Check our website for the handbook, schedules, and other information.

Shout Outs

Thank you WVCA parents & gaurdians for choosing our school and trusting us with your kids!
Thank you WVCA faculty for your amazing hearts and dedication to our ministry & mission!

Prayer Points

- ☒ Pray for a smooth first day of school.
- ☒ Pray for a productive first month.
- ☒ Pray for safety & joy throughout our campus.

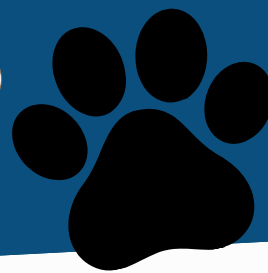
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PURPOSE & PRAYERS

We are celebrating 40 years of education at WVCA! I am blessed to be here and I am excited to serve God's kids! I am praying for all of our WVCA families and for the year ahead to be one of growth and love! See you soon!

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

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- We love parent involvement! Please join us at our first PTF meeting on 9/23 at 6:30.

EVENTS

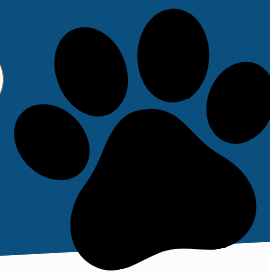
9/2 First Day of School!
9/3 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/4 Sports Meeting 4:30 PM
9/8 SchoolStore Fundraiser Start
9/10 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/10 Parent Devotion
9/10 Science Camp Meeting 3:30 PM
9/15-9/19 Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month
9/17 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/23 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
9/24 See you at the Pole 8 AM
9/24 Chapel 8:45 AM

SHOUT OUTS

Thank you to the amazing faculty that makes WVCA classrooms feel like home. Thank you to every family that chose WVCA for their child's education. We are blessed and honored to serve you!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

MAY
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

It is hard to believe this is the final newsletter of the school year. We are so full of gratitude for what God has done. Thank you for all the support throughout the year. We are proud of our students' growth & progress and we are praying for a wonderful summer for each WVCA family!

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Staff Appreciation Week is 5/4-5/8! Please check your email for ideas on how to bless your teachers!
- If you have volunteered at WVCA this year, we want to say thank you! Please come to our awards chapel and stop by the gym afterwards on 5/20 for refreshments!
- We have two minimum days in May. 5/15 and 5/22 will have 11:50 dismissal for K, 12:00 for 1-5, and 12:15 for 6-8.
- You can reach the school office by phone or email throughout the summer. Call to schedule an appointment!

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our lunch heroes! Thank you for serving our school amazing food! We love you!

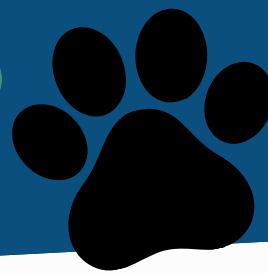
Shout out to all staff & teachers as we celebrate you this month! You make an eternal difference daily!

EVENTS

5/1 Lunch Hero Day
5/4-8 Staff Appreciation Week
5/13 Student Council Speeches
5/13 Parent Devotion
5/14 Sports Banquet
5/11-5/15 Asian Pacific Islander & Jewish Heritage
5/15 Minimum Day Tri 3 Ends
5/19 Field Day
5/19 PTF Meeting
5/20 Awards Chapel
5/20 Volunteer Appreciation
5/21 8th Grade Graduation
5/22 Minimum Day/Last Day of School

WVCA NEWSLETTER

MAY
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

Here is our final newsletter of the school year! We have a lot of things going on this month, thank you for staying in the loop! It has been an amazing year full of God's goodness. I am so proud of our students and what they have accomplished. Please join me in praying for a great final month of school and for our graduates. We will miss them greatly. Thank you for a wonderful year!

-Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Staff Appreciation Week is 5/5-5/9! Please check your email and social media for ideas on how to bless your teachers!
- If you have volunteered at WVCA this year, we want to say thank you! Please come to our awards chapel and stop by the gym afterwards on 5/21 for refreshments!
- We have two minimum days in May. 5/16 and 5/23 will have 11:50 dismissal for K, 12:00 for 1-5, and 12:15 for 6-8.
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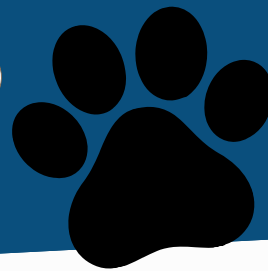
5/1 National Day of Prayer
5/2 Lunch Hero Day
5/5-9 Staff Appreciation Week
5/7 Student Council Speeches
5/8 Sports Banquet 6 PM
5/9 Speech Meet 3:15 PM
5/14 Baptism Chapel
5/12-16 DC Trip
5/16 Heritage Month Assembly
5/16 Minimum Day Tri 3 Ends
5/20 Field Day
5/20 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
5/21 Awards Chapel
5/21 Volunteer Appreciation
5/22 8th Grade Graduation 6:30 PM
5/23 Minimum Day/Last Day of School
Asian Pacific Islander & Jewish Heritage

SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU WVCA teachers and staff for changing lives daily for the kingdom of God. We love you and we are blessed to learn from you!
lunch heroes

WVCA NEWSLETTER

APRIL
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

Happy Easter WVCA! He is risen! As we begin April, celebrate Holy Week, and enjoy Spring Break, may we teach our kids the amazing truth of the Gospel! Please join me in praying that the good news would spread on our campus and in our city. We love you all!

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- We hope you will celebrate Easter with us! Join us on Good Friday (4/3), our Kids Easter Event on Saturday (4/4), and our Easter services on Sunday (4/5). Please see the flyer sent home or the TCC website for more information.
- Our spring break runs from Good Friday through the following week. Have a blessed break!
- Please note the date for the spring music chapel. This has been revised from the one given at the start of the year.

EVENTS

4/3 Good Friday - No School
4/4 TCC Kids Egg Hunt
4/5 TCC Easter Services
4/6-4/10 Easter Break
4/15 Rehearsal at Chapel - No Parents
4/17 Art Festival
4/17 Progress Reports
4/20-4/24 Arab American Heritage
4/22 Spring Music Chapel
4/22 Administrative Professional's Day
4/27-5/1 Middle School Testing
4/29 WVCA Talent Show

SHOUT OUTS

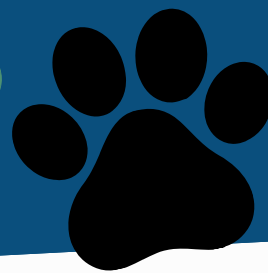
Shout out to Mrs. Montoya! In April we celebrate Administrative Professionals. Thank you for all that you do for WVCA!

Shout out to Mr. Samaniego for crafting our yearbook and helping us remember what God did this year!

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NEWSLETTER

APRIL
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PURPOSE & PRAYERS

It is officially spring and we are in the beautiful Easter season! We have two fun-filled months ahead as we wrap up the school year. Please join me in praying for our students to understand the resurrection of Jesus and what this means for them. Also, join me in praying for a safe and restful spring break. I appreciate all of you!

-Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Parents, please join us in the worship center after chapel for a parent devotion time! We want to build our community up and be the best we can be for our kids.
- We hope you will celebrate Easter with us! Join us for our Kids Easter Event on Saturday (4/19) and our Easter services on Sunday (4/20) at 9 or 10:45am.
- Our spring break runs from Good Friday through the following week. Have a blessed break!

EVENTS

- 4/2 Parent Devotion after Chapel
- 4/9 Spring Music Chapel
- 4/17 Progress Reports
- 4/18 Good Friday (No School)
- 4/19 TCC Kids Egg Hunt
- 4/20 TCC Easter Services
- 4/18-4/25 Easter Break
- 4/28 Administrative Professional's Day
- 4/30 WVCA Talent Show
- 4/28-5/2 Middle School Testing
- Arab American Heritage Month

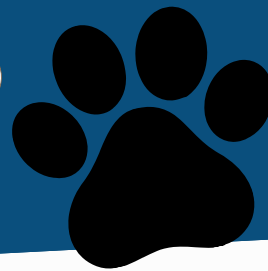
SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU Mr. Samaniego for coordinating our yearbook and capturing our memories!

THANK YOU Mrs. Montoya for all that you do day in and day out at WVCA. We love and celebrate you!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

MARCH
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

We are entering our final trimester of this school year! We have a lot of exciting things happening this month. Please pray for health and safety for our students as well as staff. Pray for fresh motivation for our students to finish the year off strong! I appreciate our amazing families!

Mrs. Lopez



REMINDERS

EVENTS

3/2 Open Enrollment Begins
3/2-3/6 Read Across America
3/6 Minimum Day - Tri 2 Ends
3/6 School Maintenance Worker Appreciation Day
3/10 Town Hall Meeting 6 PM
3/11 Awards Chapel
3/16-3/13 Spirit Week
3/23-3/27 Science Camp
3/25 Parent Devotion
3/1-3/31 Book Club for WVCA
Moms & Mother Figures

- Open Enrollment is now happening! New families are welcome to submit applications.
- Read Across America Week is the first week of March. We will be celebrating reading and literacy all week long! Spirit Week is also in March. Please review my email for more information!
- Yearbooks are on sale now until March 29th. Purchase online only at ybpay.com using our code 11802526.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to Pastor Mitch for helping our school in so many ways! We honor you as we celebrate school maintenance worker appreciation day!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

MARCH
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PURPOSE & PRAYERS

We are in the third trimester of our school year! Time is flying and we have many exciting things coming up. Please join me in praying for health and safety over our campus. Pray for creativity in staff and students for the glory of God. Pray that our students will be confident in who God made them to be. I am honored to know all of you! Thank you for your support and daily encouragement.

Love, Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Open Enrollment is now happening! New families are welcome to submit applications.
- Read Across America Week is the first week of March. We will be celebrating reading and literacy all week long!
- Spirit Week is also the first week of March. Please review my email for more information!
- Please join us on March 14th for a family STEM night centered around curiosity and inquiry! It will be held in the gym from 6:30-8.

EVENTS

3/1 Open Enrollment Begins
3/3-3/7 Read Across America
3/3-3/7 Spirit Week
3/5 Awards Chapel
3/7 School Maintenance Worker Appreciation Day
3/9 Daylight Savings Time Begins
3/11 PTF Meeting
3/14 STEM Night
Women's History Month

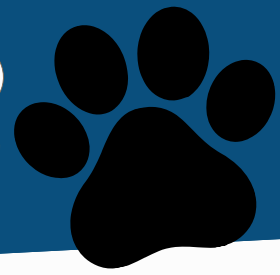
SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU Ashley and Sarah for the amazing job you do in the kitchen. You are our lunch heros!

THANK YOU Pastor Mitch for everything you do for our school and church. Happy School Maintenance Appreciation Day!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

We are blessed to spend the month of February with our WVCA family! We have our 100th day of school and Open House to look forward to. We are excited to celebrate the holidays of the month! Please pray for God's love to be spread among students on our campus daily. We love you all!

Mrs. Lopez

EVENTS

2/3 Valentines Grams Due
2/9 Lincoln's Birthday - No School
2/16 President's Day - No School
2/17 100th Day of School
2/17-2/20 Celebrating Black History
2/23 Spring Picture Day - Free Dress
2/24 Open House 6:00-7:30

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment is now open! Open Enrollment begins 3/1. Please enroll by this date to secure your spot and have a discounted enrollment fee.
- Spring pictures will take place on 2/23. This is a free dress day.
- Come out to our Open House on 2/24! Classrooms will be open from 6-7:30 PM. This is a great time to see all the progress your children have made this year!

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our AMAZING community of volunteers. We have so many people that support our school from Watch DOGS to mental health coaches to parent helpers. Thank you and we appreciate you!

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FEBRUARY
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PURPOSE & PRAYERS

In the month of February, we will reach 100 days of school, end trimester 2, and celebrate some fun holidays. I am excited about the month ahead! Please join me in praying for our students to develop confidence because God loves them! We want to see them secure in their identity in Christ. We love and appreciate our WVCA families!

Love, Mrs. Lopez

EVENTS

- 2/4 Valentines Grams Due
- 2/5 Art Entries Due
- 2/7 Art Festival
- 2/10 Lincoln's Birthday - No School
- 2/14 Valentines Day
- 2/17 President's Day - No School
- 2/18 Celebrating 100 Days of School
- 2/24 Spring Picture Day - Free Dress
- 2/25 Open House 6:15-7:45 PM
- 2/28 Minimum Day/Trimester 2 Ends
- Black History Month

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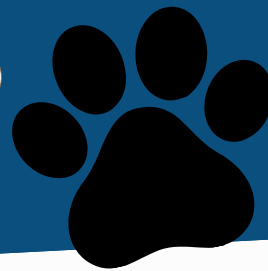
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- We are having an art festival on 2/7. Entries are due to the office by 2/5. See email for more details. The show will be open to families from 2-3:30 PM and winners will be announced at 3:15 PM.
- Spring pictures will take place on 2/24. This is a free dress day.
- Come out to our Open House on 2/27! Classrooms will be open from 6:15-7:45. This is a great time to see all the progress your children have made this year!

SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who give their time and efforts to making our school a beautiful place! Thank you Watch DOGS, mental health coaches, and parent volunteers! We love you!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

JANUARY
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

Happy New Year WVCA! As we enter 2026, please join me in covering our school in prayer! We want our students to know the Lord and be successful in their academic adventures. I pray we return to school with fresh passion for each day that God gives. Blessings!

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment begins in February! Enroll online through Gradelink to secure your spot for next year. More information and instructions will be sent out soon!
- January is Sanctity of Life Month. We will be hosting a Bottle Drive and raising proceeds for the Pregnancy Resource Center of Tracy. Students will receive a baby bottle and can fill it with coins or cash throughout the month. Bottles will be collected on 1/30.
- Parents and Family, please join me after chapel on 1/14 for a time to pray and connect with God's word! Hope to see you there!

EVENTS

1/7 Bottle Drive Begins
1/14 Parent Devotion after Chapel
1/19 No School - MLK Jr. Day
1/23 Progress Reports Out
1/27 PTF Meeting
1/30 Spelling Bee
1/30 Bottle Drive Ends
Sanctity of Life Month

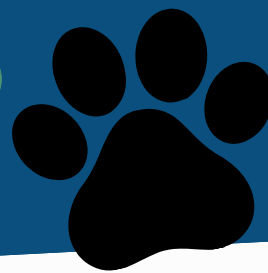
SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our wonderful PTF board. We are so blessed by your dedication to our school, students, and staff. Thank you for all you do!

Shout out to the parent volunteers who helped with the Holiday Shop. It was a beautiful experience for the kids!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

Happy New Year! Welcome to 2025 at WVCA! We hope you enjoyed the holidays and we are excited about what is to come in the second half of the school year. Please join me in praying for our students as they return to school. Pray for our staff to have fresh vision and for wonderful learning experiences. I can't wait to welcome back my favorite kids!

Love, Mrs. Lopez

EVENTS

1/8 Bottle Drive Begins
1/14 Basketball Home Games
1/15 Parent Devotion after Chapel
1/20 No School - MLK Jr. Day
1/21 Basketball Home Game
1/24 Progress Reports Out
1/28 PTF Meeting
1/31 Regional Spelling Bee
1/31 Bottle Drive Ends
Sanctity of Life Month

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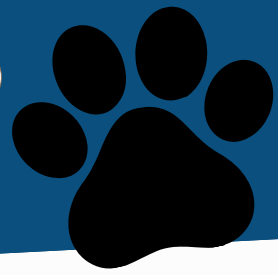
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SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU to our WVCA PTF for all that you do for our school! Thank you for all of the time and energy you give to our students. Thank you to our amazing PTF board for your organization and commitment!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

WVCA, we are excited to celebrate the holiday season with you! We have a lot of fun in store these next few weeks. As students experience the joy of Christmas, we pray that they would see Jesus and come to know the miracle of God dwelling with us. We love you all!

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Spirit Week is 12/15-12/19
- M: Merry Mix and Match Monday - Mix & Match/Crazy Hair
- T: Tree Topper Tuesday - Wear Christmas Colors and/or any decorations that bring you joy (lights, tinsel, candy canes, ornaments, etc).
- W: Ugly Sweater Wednesday - Wear your ugly Christmas Sweaters.
- TH: Frosty Friend Thursday - Dress like a snowman!
- F: MistleTOES Friday - Wear your favorite Christmas socks or crazy socks!
- Please read communications sent out for the Christmas concert and holiday events! If you have questions, the office is happy to help!

EVENTS

12/1 Parent Teacher Conferences
12/2 Picture Retakes
12/3 Awards Chapel
12/5 Middle School Christmas Party
12/6 Tracy Christmas Parade
12/8-12/12 Scholastic Book Fair
12/10 No Chapel - Music Rehearsal
12/12 Christmas Concert
12/16 PTF Meeting
12/15-12/19 Holiday Shop
12/15-12/19 Spirit Week
12/19 Minimum Day
12/22-1/2 Christmas Break - No School

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to every parent and family member that supports WVCA. Your time, donations, and care do not go unnoticed. We love and appreciate you all.

WVCA NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

It's the holiday season! We have a lot of amazing things happening at WVCA this month. We love sharing the joy of Jesus with our students. Let's pray that we would be present with our family and Savior this season. Let's pray that our students understand the true reason for the holidays. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Love, Mrs. Lopez

EVENTS

- 12/2 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 12/4 Awards Chapel
- 12/4 Picture Retakes
- 12/7 Tracy Christmas Parade
- 12/9-12/14 Scholastic Book Fair
- 12/11 No Chapel - Music Rehearsal
- 12/13 Christmas Concert
- 12/14 Christmas Concert
- 12/17 PTF Meeting
- 12/16-12/20 Holiday Shop
- 12/16-12/20 Spirit Week
- 12/20 Minimum Day
- 12/23-1/3 Christmas Break - No School

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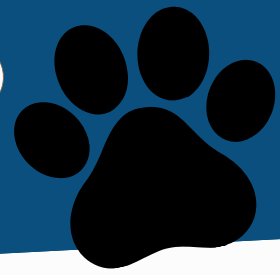
- Spirit Week is 12/16-12/20
 - Monday: Flash back day (dress like a decade from the past)
 - Tuesday: Class colors (K, 2, 4, 6, 8 – red; 1, 3, 5, 7 – green)
 - Wednesday: Bible/Christmas character day
 - Thursday: Candy cane day
 - Friday: Flannel day
- Please read communications sent out for the Christmas concert and holiday events! If you have questions, the office is happy to help!

SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU to our WVCA families for all that you do to make our school a better place. You give your time, donations, help, and support to reach the next generation. May your family be blessed this holiday season!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

November is a month of Thanksgiving! There is so much to be grateful for. I am praying that our students learn the power of being thankful, that we would be generous with our words, and make the most of each day. May God bless your homes as we enter the holiday season.

Mrs. Lopez

REMINDERS

- Our first minimum day is this month. Dismissal times are 11:50 for K, 12:00 for 1-5th, and 12:15 for middle school. Only K/1 have lunch at school.
- We are filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Please refer to flyer sent home if you want to give! They are due 11/12. Thank you for your generosity!
- Our pie fundraiser is happening this month! Forms are due on 11/7 and pies are delivered for pickup on 11/14.

EVENTS

11/2 Daylight Savings Ends
11/3-11/7 Native American Heritage
11/4 Picture Day
11/4 PTF Meeting
11/5 Chapel
11/5 Parent Devotion
11/10-11/11 Veteran's Day - No School
11/12 Chapel/Shoeboxes Due
11/12-11/14 Vision Screening
11/14 Pie Pickup
11/19 Chapel
11/19 Picture Retakes
11/21 Minimum Day/Tri 1 Ends
11/24-11/28 Thanksgiving Break

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our substitute teachers for supporting our teachers, students, and school community. You truly are a blessing! We love you!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

This month is all about gratitude. We have so much to reflect on and give thanks to God for. As we celebrate Thanksgiving, let's pray that our children develop a habit of gratitude. Let's pray that we would model that well. I am so happy to see all the good that is happening on our campus every day. It brings me so much joy! I will miss you all while I am away. Blessings! - Miss Parks

EVENTS

- 11/3 Daylight Savings Ends
- 11/5 PTF Meeting
- 11/6 Chapel
- 11/7 & 17 Vision Screening
- 11/11 Veteran's Day - No School
- 11/13 Chapel/Shoeboxes Due
- 11/20 Pie Pickup
- 11/20 Chapel
- 11/22 Minimum Day/Tri 1 Ends
- 11/25-11/29 Thanksgiving Break

Native American Heritage Month

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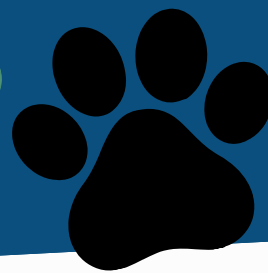
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- We are filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Please refer to flyer sent home if you want to give! They are due 11/13. Thank you for your generosity!
- I am getting married and will be gone from 11/11-11/21. Pastor Justin Weldon will serve as interim principal. Mrs. Montoya will also be available for support.

SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU to our WVCA substitute teachers for all that you do to help keep our school running smoothly. We appreciate you so much!

WVCA NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER
EDITION



PURPOSE & PRAYERS

We are one month into the school year and I am so blessed to see all the learning and joy on our campus. As we enter the fall season, I pray we would keep a deep focus on the things that truly matter. Would you join me in praying for focus on the things of God in our families and homes? We want to see strong family units that live in restoration and that celebrate God's goodness.

-Miss Parks

EVENTS

10/2 Custodian Appreciation Day
10/2 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/4 Kona Ice After School
10/9 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/11 Progress Reports Go Home
10/16 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/18 Cultural Friendship Day
10/21-10/25 Spirit Week
10/23 Chapel 8:45 AM
10/23 Shoebox Collection Begins
10/25 Picture Day - Free Dress
10/30 Chapel 8:45 AM with Parent Devotion Afterwards
10/31 Trunk or Treat 6 PM
Pastor Appreciation Month!

REMINDERS

- Picture Day is October 25th. It is a free dress day. Spirit Week themes coming soon!
- Operation Christmas Child will give students an opportunity to take home a shoe box to fill with items for kids in need. Students will learn more at chapel on 10/23.
- We will be having a candy collecting competition for our Trunk or Treat during October. If you would like to volunteer for this event or host a trunk, sign up on tracycommunitychurch.com

SHOUT OUTS

THANK YOU to our TCC pastors for all that you do for us! We love your dedication to God and his people.

THANK YOU to all the WVCA parents that are pastors. We pray for you and are here for you!

THANKS FOR A GREAT YEAR!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We are in our final month of school and it is hard to believe that the year is coming to an end. We are beyond proud of our precious students. They have grown in academics and they have grown in their knowledge of God's love. Thank you to our students and families for a wonderful year. I am blessed to work here and see what God is doing! It is my honor to know you and to serve you. I love you all! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open enrollment is currently happening. Please direct questions or inquiries to the office!
- Teacher/Staff appreciation week is the second week of May. Be on the lookout for information from PTF on how they are serving the staff throughout the week.
- Our final PTF meeting is on 5/14 at 6:30 PM.
- If you have volunteered at WVCA this year, we want to say thank you! Please come to our awards chapel and stop by the gym afterwards on 5/22 for coffee & cookies.
- We have two minimum days in May. 5/17 and 5/24 will have 11:50 dismissal for K, 12:00 for 1-5, and 12:15 for 6-8.
- You can reach the school office by phone or email throughout the summer. Call to schedule an appointment!

SHOUT OUTS

Thank you WVCA staff for putting your heart and soul into our school! God is moving and I am blessed by your faithful efforts day in and day out. Can you believe we get to do this?!

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray for our graduating students.
- ☒ Pray that our families would enjoy a fun and restful summer.
- ☒ Pray that our students would retain what they learned academically and spiritually!

UPCOMING EVENTS

5/1 Music Chapel
5/6-5/10 Staff Appreciation Week
5/8 Student Council Speeches in Chapel
5/10 Parents Night Out 6:30 PM
5/14 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
5/16 Sports Banquet 6:30 PM
5/17 Minimum Day
5/21 Field Day
5/22 Awards Chapel & Volunteer Appreciation
5/23 Eighth Grade Graduation 6:30 pm
5/24 Last Day of School – Minimum Day

COUGAR CLUB

- There is Cougar Club Minimum Day Child Care May 17 & May 24 for PM Enrolled Students.
- Last Day of the 2023-2024 School Year Cougar Club is May 24.
- Summer Camp Billing will be out June 1 for all June Weeks
- Cougar Club CLOSED May 29-31
- First Day of Cougar Summer Camp is June 3 for enrolled students in Week 1.

HE IS RISEN! HAPPY EASTER!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Happy Easter WVCA! This season is a celebration of the foundation of our faith. We believe Jesus died and rose again. Because he lives, we have hope! Our students have been learning about this message and we are excited for what is to come! I hope everyone has a wonderful spring break and I am excited for our last few months of the school year! Be blessed!

- Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open enrollment is currently happening. Please direct questions or inquiries to the office!
- We hope you will celebrate Easter with us! Join us for our Kids Easter Adventure on Saturday (3/30) and our Easter services on Sunday (3/31) at 9 or 10:45am.
- Our spring break runs from Good Friday through the following week (3/29-4/5). Have a blessed break!
- We will be having a baptism service during chapel on April 24th! We are extending the opportunity to our 3rd-8th grade students. We will be holding a baptism informational meeting for interested students and their parents on 4/10.
- PTF is hosting a Lot Sale Fundraiser. Please look at the flyer sent home and reach out if you are interested in helping/selling.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our yearbook coordinator Nathaniel Samaniego! Thank you for all of the time and effort you have put into creating this year's yearbook!

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray for a wonderful spring break for students and staff.
- ☒ Pray for health and safety for all of our families.
- ☒ Pray that we finish the year strong!

UPCOMING EVENTS

4/1 Final day to purchase yearbook
3/29 - 4/5 Spring Break
4/10 Talent Show
4/10 Baptism Informational Meeting @3:15
(Parents & 3rd-8th Students)
4/17 No Chapel - Music Rehearsal
4/18 Baptism Forms Due
4/19 Progress Reports go home
4/20 WVCA Lot Sale Fundraiser
4/24 Administrative Professional's Day
4/25 Sports Banquet - Time TBD
4/29 - 5/3 Testing for 7th and 8th

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club is closed for Good Friday and spring break.
- We have a couple before and after school openings for the rest of the year.
- Summer Camp is now waitlisting with limited availability

HAPPY SPRING WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

As we enter our final trimester of the year, I want to say that I am so proud of our students and staff for all they have accomplished this year! We are excited about the spring season at WVCA and all the good it will bring. Our God is a beautiful God and it is our privilege to share Him with our students daily. Thank you for your support and encouragement. We are blessed. -Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open Enrollment begins March 1st!
- Friday, 3/1 is a minimum day. K dismisses at 11:50, 1-5 at 12:00 and 6-8 at 12:15.
- Report Cards go home on Monday, 3/4 and our awards chapel is 3/6. Teachers will let you know if your child is receiving an award.
- Our spirit week days are the following:

Monday – Career Day

Tuesday – Throwback Tuesday

Wednesday – Shamrock Day (Wear Green/Crazy Hair)

Thursday – Favorite Sports/Jersey

Friday – Favorite Superhero

SHOUT OUTS

It is school maintenance appreciation day on 3/1. Thank you Pastor Mitch for ALL that you do! Also, thank you to our wonderful kitchen staff for feeding our school day by day with amazing meals! You are so appreciated!

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray for a productive final trimester.
- ☒ Pray for strength for students and staff.
- ☒ Pray for health and safety at WVCA.

UPCOMING EVENTS

3/1 End of Trimester – Minimum Day
3/1 2nd Grade Field Trip to WOW Lodi
3/1 Open Enrollment Begins
3/1 School Maintenance Worker Appreciation Day
3/6 Awards Chapel
3/4-8 Read Across America/Spirit Week
3/26 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
3/29-1/5 Spring Break

COUGAR CLUB

- March 1st is a Minimum Day and Cougar Club will provide care for PM enrolled students. Lunch is included.
- Summer Camp enrollment is open to the public March 1. Enrollment details are on the website under the Cougar Camp tab. Enroll now before we waitlist.
- Cougar Club CLOSED MARCH 29 Good Friday & April 1-5 for Spring Break

WE LOVE YOU WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We are so happy to begin enrollment season and prepare for next year. Thank you for entrusting us with the responsibility of educating your children. I want all our families to know that we continually pray for you. We pray for our students and the people in their lives. May we all come to understand "how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ" (Ephesians 3:18). Much love to you all!

– Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment is now open! Open Enrollment begins 3/1.
- Spring pictures will take place on 2/23. This is a free dress day.
- PTF is having a parents night out fundraiser on 2/23 more details coming soon!
- Come out to our Open House on 2/27! Classrooms will be open from 6:15-7:45. This is a great time to see all the progress your children have made this year!

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to all of the volunteers that support WVCA! From Watch DOGS, to crosswalk help, to mental health coaches, to parent help in the classroom...you add so much to our community and we appreciate all that you do!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☑ Pray that our students would grow in socially and emotionally.
- ☑ Pray that our community would have unoffendable hearts.
- ☑ Pray that we would have a greater understanding of God's perfect love

UPCOMING EVENTS

12/12 Lincoln's Birthday – No School
2/14 Valentines Day/Cultural Friendship Day
2/19 President's Day – No School
2/20 100th Day of School
2/23 Spring Picture Day – Free Dress
2/23 Parents' Night Out
2/27 Open House 6:15-7:45
2/28 Fifth Grade DARE Graduation Chapel

COUGAR CLUB

- Currently enrolled Cougar Club Families have priority re-enrollment/Summer Camp enrollment until 2/29
- Summer Camp 2024 Applications are available now on the website for New Families and confirmations start going out March 1.
- Returning Families (anyone who has been in ProCare) please follow the "Returning Families" instructions for enrollment on the website. Do not submit another application. All inquires can be emailed to msmith@wvcapreschool.com

HAPPY NEW YEAR WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Happy New Year! We are excited about all that 2024 will bring. We have had a wonderful first part of the school year and we know that God has good plans in store as we continue into the second half. Please reach out with any comments, ideas, or suggestions. I love hearing from our families and want you to know that we are on the same team. It is an honor to educate your children and we want WVCA to be a thriving community in 2024. May God be glorified! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment begins February 1st. Enroll online through Gradelink to secure your spot for next year. More information and instructions will be sent out soon!
- January is Sanctity of Life Month. We will be hosting a Bottle Drive and raising proceeds for the Pregnancy Resource Center of Tracy. Students will receive a baby bottle on 1/3 and can fill it with coins or cash throughout the month. Bottles will be collected on 1/31.
- Middle School Basketball tryouts begin on 1/2. Girls will go from 3:30-4:30. Boys will go from 4:30-5:30.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our incredible Parent Teacher Fellowship for all the fundraising efforts we have completed so far. Thank you to Linda, Naomi, Malia, Julia, and Janine for ALL of your hard work. Thank you to all of the parents who have helped with fundraising and Christmas shop. You are much appreciated and very loved.

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☑ Pray that God would give students and staff hope & joy for 2024.
- ☑ Pray that this year would be one of academic and spiritual growth.
- ☑ Pray for the other WVCA families that you know!

UPCOMING EVENTS

1/1 New Year's Day – No School
1/2 Basketball Tryouts (6-8)
1/3 Bottle Drive Begins
1/15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School
1/17 PreK Visit to WVCA
1/26 Progress Reports Sent Home
1/30 PTF Meeting @6:30 PM
1/31 Bottle Drive Ends

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club will resume after the break on JAN 2
- Cougar Club is closed on JAN 15 for MLK Jr. Day
- Sports resume in JAN, access to Cougar Club will be through the kitchen to HW Club, Cougar Room, and the Playground
- Summer Camp Registration Opens at Re-Enrollment Time-Avoid the Waitlist and Register when enrollment opens.

MERRY CHRISTMAS WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We have entered the holiday season and we are so excited about everything happening at our school! There is a lot going on to celebrate. My prayer is that we would remember the big picture and the reason for the season. All the details will fall into place as we replace our busy pace with the genuine joy of Christ. He is a wonderful savior and we center our minds on the hope that he offers this month. Merry Christmas WVCA!

- Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- WVCA is participating in the Tracy Lights Parade! The parade starts at 6:00 on 12/2. Contact the office if you want to walk. Otherwise, you can attend and look for our float!
- We are so excited for our Christmas Concert. Students should arrive between 4:45-5. Doors open for families at 5:20 and the concert starts at 5:30. Hope to see you there!
- The scholastic book fair will run from 12/4-12/8!
- PTF is hosting our holiday shop this year! Students can shop for loved ones throughout the week. More details to come!
- 12/15 is a minimum day. Dismissal times are 11:50 for K, 12:00 for 1-5th, and 12:15 for middle school. Only K/1 have lunch at school.
- Christmas Break is 12/18-1/1.

SHOUT OUTS

Thank you to our amazing WVCA families for all of the support you give to our school. Your time, donations, and prayers mean so much to us and to the next generation!

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray that students and staff would finish 2023 strong.
- ☒ Pray that all the WVCA Christmas events go smoothly,
- ☒ Pray that we would keep the focus on Jesus this Christmas!

UPCOMING EVENTS

12/2 Christmas Parade 6:00 PM
12/4-12/8 Scholastic Book Fair
12/6 No Chapel - Music Rehearsal
12/8 Christmas Concert 5:30 PM
12/11-12/15 Holiday Shop
12/11-12/15 Spirit Week
M: Candy Cane Day - Wear Red/White
T: Christmas Plaid
W: Ugly Sweaters
Th: Christmas Characters
F: Free Dress
12/15 Minimum Day
12/18-1/1 Christmas Break - No School

COUGAR CLUB

- We encourage 4:00 PM early pick-up to accommodate the Christmas Concert on DEC 8
- We are closed for Christmas Break from DEC 18 - JAN 1 and resuming with WVCA on JAN 1. PM care is still open on 12/15.

WELCOME BACK WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Hello WVCA students and families! Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year! I am incredibly excited to begin a second year here at this amazing school. We have been praying as well as preparing for the year ahead and we are eager to welcome students back. Thank you for choosing our school and entrusting us with your children. It is an honor to educate our students with excellence and provide an environment where they can encounter God! Blessings! - Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Gradelink is our student information system where billing, grading, and communication happen. Please login or contact the office if you need assistance.
- Check our website for the handbook, schedules, and other information.
- We hope to see you at our school orientation on 8/29 at 6:15 PM!
- We love parent involvement! Please join us at our first PTF meeting on 9/26 at 6:30.

SHOUT OUTS

Thank you to our incredible staff for all of their hard work and preparation for the new school year. Your passion for the children and for the Lord is evident in all the little details. Thank you for putting your heart into your work!

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray for students to feel welcomed and loved as they return.
- ☒ Pray for a safe and successful school year.
- ☒ Pray for our staff as they begin a new year to have energy and joy.

UPCOMING EVENTS

8/29 Orientation 6:15 PM
9/5 First Day of School!
9/6 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/11 School Store Fundraiser Begins
9/13 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/20 Chapel 8:45 AM
9/26 PTF Meeting 6:30 PM
9/27 See you at the Pole 8:00 AM
9/27 Chapel 8:45 AM

COUGAR CLUB

Please read and review the welcome letter sent through ProCare for important information on Cougar Club.



WE ARE THANKFUL FOR YOU WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

This is an exciting time of year and my heart is full of gratitude for all that God has done. We are so blessed to do what we do at WVCA and it is not possible without all of you! Thank you for supporting our school. We have a lot of exciting things coming up so be sure to read through the newsletters as they come out. We are thankful for you! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Join us for STEAM night this Friday!!
- Please note the days we are on break this month. There is no school on 11/10 for Veteran's Day, Parent/Teacher Conferences or the week of Thanksgiving. Enjoy your time with family!
- Our first minimum day is this month. Dismissal times are 11:50 for K, 12:00 for 1-5th, and 12:15 for middle school. Only K/1 have lunch at school.
- We are filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Please refer to flyer sent home if you want to give! They are due 11/15. Thank you for your generosity!
- Parent/Teacher Conferences are on 11/27. Sign up to reserve your spot. Sign-ups will be posted on our website.

SHOUT OUTS

Thank you to our amazing substitute teachers who have filled in and helped our school run smoothly. Your heart and energy is much appreciated!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray with gratitude for all God has done!
- ☒ Pray for health and wellness as the seasons change.
- ☒ Pray that we finish trimester 1 strong!

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/3 Family STEAM Night 6:30-8 PM
11/6 Pie Pickup
11/10 Veteran's Day – No School
11/15 Shoeboxes Due
11/17 Minimum Day/Menchies Fundraiser
11/20-11/24 Thanksgiving Break
11/27 Parent Teacher Conferences
11/28 Picture Retake Day
11/28 PTF Meeting @6:30
11/29 Awards Chapel

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club is closed for all non-school days this month.
- Cougar Club will be provided on 11/17. After school care is for PM participants only. Lunch will be provided on this day for the students who did get lunch during the day.
- Please be sure to close the gate behind you when exiting campus after pickup.

HAPPY FALL WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Thank you for a great first month of school! I have enjoyed getting to know our new students and reconnecting with familiar faces. As a school, we are focusing on manners and how we treat one another. We want our students to build leadership skills that make a difference! You can partner with us by encouraging these things at home. Thank you for all that you do! We love our families and we are blessed daily to work with your children.

—Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- We are celebrating World Day of Bullying Prevention at WVCA. Wear blue and jeans!
- Chapel is open to parents! Come participate from 8:45–9:15 AM every Wednesday.
- Picture Day is October 24th. It is a free dress day.
- Operation Christmas Child will give students an opportunity to take home a shoe box to fill with items for kids in need. Students will learn more at chapel on 10/25.
- We will be having a candy collecting competition for our Trunk or Treat during October. If you would like to volunteer for this event or host a trunk, sign up on tracycommunitychurch.com

SHOUT OUTS

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! Thank you to our incredible pastoral staff for all that you give of yourselves to the Lord and our community. WVCA families, please let our pastors know that you appreciate them!

PRAYER POINTS

- ✓ Pray for the pastors of WVCA to be encouraged in their ministries!
- ✓ Pray for our school focus on manners and leadership skills.
- ✓ Pray for students and staff as they enter their second month of school!

UPCOMING EVENTS

10/2 Bullying Prevention Day – Wear Blue
10/13 Progress Reports Go Home
10/24 Picture Day – Free Dress
10/25 Operation Christmas Child Chapel
10/29 Trunk or Treat 12–2 PM

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club will cheer on WVCA sports teams during home games! When entering the gym, walk behind seats through the cafeteria to the location of your child.
- Please do not send your child with Starbucks to Cougar Club in the morning. We have had a lot of spills recently.

Contact: jparks@wvcatracy.com

HAPPY FALL WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We have had a wonderful first month of school here at WVCA! It has been an exciting time getting to know students and families. Our students bring joy and happiness to our campus daily. Thank you for entrusting us with your children! As we look to a new month ahead, we are excited about continued growth and new learning experiences. Overall, we hope our students feel loved by God and loved by us! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Chapel is every Wednesday from 8:45–9:15. Parents are welcome to attend!
- Our sports schedules and TCC service times were emailed out, come join us!
- Our October Lunch Menu is posted on our website.
- Trunk or Treat is on October 30th from 12pm–2pm. Join us for free food, inflatables, a photo booth, and creative trunks!
- We will be collecting candy for this event! It will be a class competition. The winning class gets a pizza party!
- Follow us on Facebook and Instagram @westvalleychristianacademy to stay connected!

SHOUT OUTS

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! We want to thank our amazing TCC pastors for their dedication. Thank you Pastor Brian, Pastor Sam, Pastor Mitch, Pastor Jason, Pastor Justin, and Pastor Kristen for all that you do! We love you!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ✓ Pray that our students would remain healthy and safe.
- ✓ Pray for students and staff as they teach and learn new skills.
- ✓ Pray that our school would be a blessing to the community.

UPCOMING EVENTS

10/4 WVCA Picture Day
10/7 First Student Store
10/13–10/14 Vision Screening
10/17 Progress Reports Sent Home
10/30 Trunk or Treat 12–2pm

COUGAR CLUB

Here are some updates from Cougar Club:

- Homework Club times will be maintained while attending WVCA Sports
- We appreciate your patience as we work through new routines and closed campus safety strategies, specifically the locked door.
- Always directly communicate with WVCA Teaching Staff if your child will go to the pick-up line or Cougar Club
- Daily schedule/locations are posted in the main lobby office.

WE ARE THANKFUL FOR YOU WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

As we move into the month of November, I am incredibly grateful for our WVCA family. Thank you to the wonderful teachers, staff members, families and students that make this school a special place. I am honored to be a part of what God is doing here and in His children. We have so much to be thankful for. Join me this month in counting our blessings and expressing gratitude to the people around us! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Please note the days we are on break this month. There is no school on Veteran's Day, Parent/Teacher Conferences or the week of Thanksgiving. Enjoy your time with family!
- Our first minimum day is this month. Dismissal times are 11:50 for K, 12:00 for 1-5th, and 12:15 for middle school. Only K/1 have lunch at school.
- We are filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Please refer to flyer sent home if you want to give!
- Parent/Teacher Conferences are on 11/28. Sign up to reserve your spot. Sign-ups will be posted on our website.
- We will be requesting donations for our Christmas Extravaganza happening in December. Information on how you can support this event will be sent out shortly.

SHOUT OUTS

This month I would like to recognize our wonderful substitute teachers who have filled in and gone the extra mile to make our school run smoothly. I appreciate you!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ✓ Pray that our students and staff remain healthy.
- ✓ Pray for spiritual and academic growth at our school.
- ✓ Pray a prayer of thanksgiving for all God has done!

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/3 Makeup Picture Day
11/11 Veteran's Day – No School
11/15 PTF Meeting @6:30
11/16 Shoebox Donation Collection
11/18 Minimum Day
11/21-11/25 Thanksgiving Break
11/28 Parent Teacher Conferences – No School
11/30 Awards Chapel

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club is closed for all non-school days this month.
- Cougar Club will be provided on 11/18. After school care is for PM participants only. Lunch will be provided on this day for the students who did get lunch during the day.



MERRY CHRISTMAS WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We have entered the holiday season and we are so excited about everything happening at our school! We have our Christmas Extravaganza, Spirit Week, and other fun classroom events coming up. As we finish out 2022, let us be reminded of the things that matter most. We have a Savior who put on flesh and dwelt among us. His love is why we celebrate and why we have joy. Merry Christmas WVCA! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- We are so excited for our Christmas Extravaganza. Rehearsal begins at 4:30 in the worship center (students and staff only). Doors open for families at 5:20 and the concert starts at 5:30. All of the holiday activities will happen afterwards from 6–8 PM. Hope to see you there!
- 12/16 is a minimum day. Dismissal times are 11:50 for K, 12:00 for 1–5th, and 12:15 for middle school. Only K/1 have lunch at school. Christmas Break is 12/19–1/2.
- PTF is hosting a pie fundraiser for our school. Students were sent home with forms before Thanksgiving break. Please return the forms by 12/8. The pickup date is 12/15.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to all of the families who have donated their time, money or other resources to support WVCA. We appreciate your investment in our school and in the next generation. Thank you!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☑ Pray that students and staff would finish 2022 strong.
- ☑ Pray that our families would be filled with joy this season.
- ☑ Pray a prayer of celebration that our Savior came for us!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 12/7 No Chapel – Music Rehearsal
- 12/8 Pie Fundraiser Forms Due
- 12/9 Christmas Extravaganza 5:30–8pm
- 12/12–12/16 Spirit Week
 - M: Christmas Accessories
 - T: PJ's/Plaid
 - W: Christmas Colors
 - Th: Christmas Characters
 - F: Ugly Sweater Day
- 12/15 Pie Fundraiser Pickup
- 12/16 Minimum Day
- 12/19–1/2 Christmas Break – No School

COUGAR CLUB

- We encourage 4:00 PM early pick-up to accommodate the Christmas Concert and Christmas Extravaganza Event on DEC 9
- We are closed for Christmas Break from DEC 19– JAN 2 and resuming with WVCA on JAN 3



HAPPY NEW YEAR WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Welcome to 2023! I know that this is going to be a wonderful year for our school, church, and community! We hope to start the second part of the school year strong. Students have already made so much progress in the first half of the year and we are excited to see them continue their learning. I am praying that God would continue to work on our campus and students would recognize how amazing His love is in this new year! - Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment begins February 1st. Enroll online through Gradelink and complete the additional paperwork with Mrs. Montoya in the office to secure your spot and rate for next year. More information and instructions will be sent out soon!
- January is Sanctity of Life Month. We will be hosting a Bottle Drive and raising proceeds for the Pregnancy Resource Center of Tracy. Students will receive a baby bottle on 1/4 and can fill it with coins or cash throughout the month. Bottles will be collected on 1/31.
- Middle School Basketball begins on 1/3. Please reach out to Mrs. Miller, our athletic director for more information.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our Parent Teacher Fellowship for all the fundraising efforts we have completed so far. Thank you to our PTF president, Malia, for all of your hard work to help our school.

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☑ Pray that God would give students and staff fresh vision for 2023.
- ☑ Pray that this year would be one of academic and spiritual growth.
- ☑ Pray that our families going through hard things would be comforted.

UPCOMING EVENTS

1/2 New Year's Day Observed - No School
1/3 Basketball Season Begins (6-8)
1/4 Bottle Drive Begins
1/16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day - No School
1/17 PTF Meeting
1/18 PreK Visit to WVCA
1/27 Progress Reports Sent Home
1/31 Bottle Drive Ends

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club will resume after the break JAN 3
- Cougar Club is closed on JAN 16 for MLK Jr. Day
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WE LOVE OUR WVCA COMMUNITY!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We are so excited about the amazing things happening at WVCA. We have had spelling bees, basketball games, special classroom activities, and more. We are looking forward to Re-Enrollment this month and Open House! Through all of the events and busyness, we want our WVCA community to see LOVE. We love because He first loved us. Sharing this love is why we do what we do. Happy February! – Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Re-Enrollment is now open! Re-enroll through Gradelink by the end of February to lock in discounted rates. Open Enrollment begins 3/1.
- PTF is looking for new officers. Position duties and information will be sent out this month. We hope you will consider being a part of this great organization.
- Spring pictures will take place on 2/24. This is a free dress day.
- Come out to our Open House on 2/28! Classrooms will be open from 6:15-7:45. This is a great time to see all the progress your children have made this year!

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to all of the Watch D.O.G.S. who have volunteered their time during the school year. This program is such a blessing to our school. Thank you Naomi for organizing and scheduling!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray that students and staff would see academic progress.
- ☒ Pray that students would know how much they are loved.
- ☒ Pray for health and safety at WVCA.

UPCOMING EVENTS

2/3 Wear Red for American Heart Awareness Month
2/13 Lincoln's Birthday – No School
2/14 Cultural Day Friendship Celebration
2/15 DARE graduation chapel
2/17 New Enrollment Tours
2/20 President's Day – No School
2/24 Spring Pictures – Free Dress
2/28 Open House (6:15-7:45)

COUGAR CLUB

- Cougar Club is closed on 2/13 and 2/20
- During sports, access to Cougar Club will be through the kitchen to HW Club, Cougar Room, and the Playground
- Avoid the Waitlist and register for summer camp during re-enrollment.



HAPPY SPRING WVCA!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

We are excited to enter into a new season and our final trimester of the school year! I am so proud of the progress our students have made! Thank you to our amazing families for choosing WVCA and for always being so supportive. We treasure your children and love to see them grow academically and spiritually. Reach out anytime if you have prayer needs, questions, or concerns! -Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open Enrollment begins March 1st!
- Friday, 3/3 is a minimum day. K dismisses at 11:50, 1-5 at 12:00 and 6-8 at 12:15.
- Report Cards go home on Monday, 3/6 and our awards chapel is 3/8. Teachers will let you know if your child is receiving an award.
- Our spirit week days are the following:

M: Disney Day

T: Tacky Tourist/Crazy Hair/Mix and Match

W: Career Day

Th: Throwback Thursday

F: Sports Day

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our amazing lunch staff for organizing our kitchen and making wonderful meals each day! We appreciate you! Check out their Instagram @wvacougarcuisine

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PRAYER POINTS

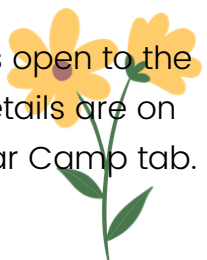
- ☒ Pray for a productive final trimester.
- ☒ Pray for strength for students and staff.
- ☒ Pray for health and safety at WVCA.

UPCOMING EVENTS

3/3 End of Trimester - Minimum Day
3/6 Report Cards Go Out
3/8 Awards Chapel
3/6-3/10 Spirit Week
3/13 2nd Grade Field Trip to WOW Lodi
3/14 PTF Meeting
3/17 St. Patrick's Day (Wear Green)
3/24 School Movie Night 6-8 PM

COUGAR CLUB

- March 3rd is a Minimum Day and Cougar Club will provide care for PM enrolled students. Lunch is included.
- Summer Camp enrollment is open to the public March 1. Enrollment details are on the website under the Cougar Camp tab. Enroll now before we waitlist.



HE IS RISEN! HAPPY EASTER!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Happy Easter WVCA! This season is incredibly special to us. Because Jesus lives, our lives are forever changed. My hope is that all of us would realize what the claims of Christ mean for us today. We have an exciting month ahead of us. I hope all of our wonderful families have a beautiful Easter and a restful spring break!

– Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open enrollment is currently happening. Please direct questions or inquiries to the office!
- We hope you will celebrate Easter with us! Join us for our Kids Easter Adventure on Saturday (4/8) and our Easter services on Sunday (4/9) at 9 or 10:45am.
- Our spring break runs from Good Friday through the following week (4/7-4/14). Have a blessed break!
- We will be having a baptism service during chapel on May 3rd! We are extending the opportunity to our 3rd-8th grade students. More information will be sent out soon and we will be holding a baptism informational meeting for interested students and their parents on 4/19.

SHOUT OUTS

Shout out to our yearbook coordinator Nathaniel Samaniego! Thank you for all of the time and effort you have put into creating the 2022-2023 yearbook!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray that our students would understand who Jesus is!
- ☒ Pray for a restful and safe spring break.
- ☒ Pray for a productive learning month.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 4/1 Final day to purchase yearbook
- 4/7 Good Friday – No School
- 4/8 Kids Easter Adventure (PK-5th) 10a – 12p
- 4/9 Easter Services at TCC 9a or 10:45a
- 4/10 – 4/14 Spring Break
- 4/19 Baptism Informational Meeting @3:15 (Parents & 3rd-8th Students)
- 4/21 Progress Reports go home
- 4/24 Baptism Forms Due
- 4/24 – 4/28 Testing for 7th and 8th
- 4/26 Talent Show
- 4/27 Sports Banquet at 6pm.

COUGAR CLUB

- If your child is enrolled for summer camp, please submit their summer camp shirt order. The link is on the website under the Cougar Club tab.



THANKS FOR A GREAT YEAR!

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Thank you WVCA Families for an amazing year! I cannot believe I am already writing the last newsletter. Time flies when you are having fun! :) We have one last month of school to make memories, celebrate growth, and finish learning this year's concepts. We are so incredibly proud of all of our students. We hope they will always remember this year, what they learned, and how they experienced Jesus. Thank you for welcoming me to WVCA. Love to you all! - Miss Parks

REMINDERS

- Open enrollment is currently happening. Please direct questions or inquiries to the office!
- Teacher/Staff appreciation week is the second week of May. Be on the lookout for information from PTF on how they are serving the staff throughout the week.
- Our final PTF meeting is on 5/23 at 6:30 PM.
- If you have volunteered at WVCA this year, we want to say thank you! Stop by the front of the school on 5/19 between 8-8:45 am.
- We have two minimum days in May. 5/19 and 5/26 will have 11:50 dismissal for K, 12:00 for 1-5, and 12:15 for 6-8.
- You can reach the school office by phone or email throughout the summer. Call to schedule an appointment!

SHOUT OUTS

We want to honor all WVCA staff this month. Thank you for a great year! You come to work each day with hearts of love and passion for what we do. Thank you for your hard work!

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PRAYER POINTS

- ☒ Pray that we finish the year strong!
- ☒ Pray that students remember all the academic, spiritual, and life lessons learned this year.
- ☒ Pray for a fun and restful summer!

UPCOMING EVENTS

5/3 Baptism Chapel
5/8-5/12 Staff Appreciation Week
5/10 Student Council Speeches in Chapel
5/15-5/19 Middle School DC Trip
5/17 Music Performance Chapel
5/19 Minimum Day
5/19 Parent Volunteer Appreciation 8-8:45 am
5/23 Field Day
5/23 PTF Meeting 6:30 pm
5/24 Awards Chapel
5/25 Eighth Grade Graduation 6:30 pm
5/26 Last Day of School - Minimum Day

COUGAR CLUB

- There is Cougar Club Minimum Day Child Care May 19 & May 26 for PM Enrolled Students.
- Summer Camp is Full, and Waitlisted. We are no longer accepting applications.
- Last Day of the 2022-2023 School Year Cougar Club is May 26.
- Summer Camp Billing will be out June 1 for all June Weeks
- Cougar Club CLOSED May 29-June 2.
- First Day of Cougar Summer Camp is June 5 for enrolled students in Week 1.