

Message from the Principal

Greetings SVAE Family,

This week the weather was perfect to get outside for a couple field trips. Preschool - 4th grade enjoyed a day at the pumpkin patch. Students and teachers returned with tired smiles. The 5th - 8th graders handed-out empty paper bags at homes to request food donations to help families have a great Thanksgiving. They will return to the homes to pick the bags up one week later. Thank you to the Food Lion in Timberville for donating the paper bags.

Have a blessed weekend!

Mr. Hammond

Our Booster Club Campaign is being kicked off on Monday October 28th! We will have lots of exciting prizes for students who participate during this event. Historically, we have raised about \$10,000 from this campaign.

Grades 1-4 will be presenting a Christmas musical at the Christmas program. Tryouts for speaking parts will be during music class on Thursday, October 24.

Play practices will be from 12:00 to 1:15 on Fridays, November 1, 8, 15, 22, & December 6, 13. Participants please bring a sack lunch or snack.

Parent/Teacher Conferences
A Parent/Teacher Conference reminder paper is being sent home today with your child showing the time of your appointment on Wednesday.

Upcoming Calendar Events:

October 30	No School: Parent/Teacher Conference
November 1	5 th -8 th grades Community Service pick bags up
November 9	Harvest Festival 5 p.m.-9 p.m.
November 25	Thanksgiving Banquet 12 p.m.
November 26	12 p.m. dismissal
November 27-Dec. 1	Thanksgiving Break
December 2	Classes Resume
December 7	1 st -8 th Grade Music @ New Market SDA Church
December 19	Christmas Program @ 6:30 p.m.
December 20	End of 2 nd Quarter
December 21-Jan 5	Christmas Break
January 6	Classes Resume
January 13-31	MAP Testing
January 20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day/No School
January 29	No School: Parent/Teacher Conference
February 6	Ski Day/12p.m. Dismissal
February 7	Career Day
February 15	Talent Show
February 17	President's Day/No School
February 22-23	Middle School Basketball Tournament
February 26	12p.m. Dismissal/Teacher Work Afternoon

The **Annual Grandparents & Senior Citizens Banquet** will begin with a meal at 12:00 noon on Monday, November 25. This meal and our special performances are being planned for your child's grandparents and seniors from our community. **Invitations** are available in the office for you to use to invite grandparents, neighbors, etc. Just keep in mind that the guests that we invite should be either grandparents or individuals age 55 or older.

This banquet has been planned as an outreach to our community. If you are a parent and are available to help serve, decorate, etc. on November 25, please contact the office to let us know of your availability. This also gives you, as a parent, a chance to see the program and get to eat a meal. Thank you for your support.

All guests for the Annual Grandparents & Senior Banquet should RSVP by Thursday, November 21 so that we can be ready for all those that plan to attend.

Virginia tax credit scholarship program the smart way to give. You can earn Virginia tax credit by giving a donation to SVAE. You can put your money to work for kids while getting an exceptional tax incentive. Give a donation and you will receive a tax credit against your Virginia taxes equal to 65% of the amount of your donation. If you are interested please call Gordon Miller at 540-333-6017. Be sure to do this before the end of 2024!

Starting on November 8th due to the time change, After Care hours for Fridays will be ending at 4:30 so that we can get ready for the Sabbath.

Practice Schedule 10/28-11/01

Bell Ensemble

Tuesday & Thursday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Soccer Practice

U15 Wednesday 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Soccer Games Sunday Oct. 27

Soccer Plex 12U Field

SVAE in WHITE at 3:00p

Help our school with the following rewards programs:

Box Tops for Education

Use the new Box Tops app to scan your receipt. Box Tops are still worth 10 cents for your school. The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school's earnings online.

Reminder about school field trip

shirts. If your child goes on a field trip and does not have a red field trip shirt they will have to rent one for **\$5**. You can purchase a field trip shirt in the front office for \$18.

BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

October

30-Edgar Argueta Arevalo

November

2-Jordan Knight

5-Valentina Rivera

10-Wyatt Newkirk

15-Davin Hammond

19-Grant Barnard

23-Yesenia Palacios

23-Jace Goodnough

23-Joy Lipscomb

26-Nikki Zimmerman

28-Leah Shull

December

1-Ella Yun

3-Moises Arancibia Diaz

9-Jace Dixon

10-Amelia Schick-St. Louis

12-Andrew Fencer

17-Addison Rhoney

22-Ezekiel Good

January

17-Irie Rodriguez

18-Mr. VandeVere

20-Kaden Holsinger

21-Manney Waller-Long

22-Mrs. Cristian

23-Grace Mihalache

31-Mrs. Reinoehl

Hot Lunch Menu

10/28-11/01

Monday—

Tuesday—Pancakes, scrambled eggs, and fruit (PFE fundraiser)

Wednesday— No School Parent/Teacher Conf.

Thursday— Domino's pizza, salad and applesauce (8th grade fundraiser)

Friday— No Lunch--12:00 Dismissal

We are pleased to offer healthy options that will include fresh fruits & vegetables, whole grains and fewer processed foods.

Small=\$4.50 (Available for Pre-K – 2nd)

Large=\$5.50 (Available for Pre-K – Adult)

Lunches need to be prepaid (for the day or the week) in the main office.



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