

Message from the Principal

Greetings SVAE Family!

I trust everyone had a great three-day weekend. Just wanted to give a heads-up. The students will be out at **12:00 on September 25, November 6, and February 26.**

These afternoons will be used by teachers for lesson planning and collaborating. When we need to make changes to the calendar, they are reflected in the google calendar. You should have received a google calendar link sent previously. If you would like the link resent, please contact Mrs. Reedy at svae@svae.org or by phone. As always, if you have questions or concerns, please contact me or the person appropriate for the situation.

Have a great day!
Mr. Hammond

In accordance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act, we had our school inspected for Asbestos Containing Building Materials (ACBM). The inspector found our school to be **asbestos-free.** You may see the Operations and Management Plan in the office during school hours, if you have questions. We are required to print this statement each year.

MAPS Assessment Testing will be administered to students in grades 2-8 the week of September 9-27. Parents of 2nd-8th grade students can help their children perform well on these annual tests by ensuring their students get a good night's rest and a healthy breakfast each day. Every effort should be made to ensure that your child is at school on time each day so that re-testing will not need to be scheduled.

Upcoming Calendar Events:

September 9-27	MAPS Testing
September 11-13	5 th & 6 th Grade Outdoor Education
September 17	School Picture Day
September 16-20	Week of Worship
September 25	Picture re-take day/12 p.m. dismissal/Teacher work day in afternoon
September 25	See you at the Flag Pole 8 a.m.
October 7-8	No School/Pastor/Teacher Convention
October 13	SVAE Golf Tournament
October 18	End of 1 st Quarter
October 20-21	SVA Academy Days
October 21-25	Red Ribbon Week
October 25	5 th -8 th Community Service bag drop off
October 30	No School: Parent/Teacher Conference
November 1	5 th -8 th 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

See You at the Pole is a global event on Wednesday, September 25, for Christian students to gather at their school's flagpole for prayer and scripture reading. Parents are invited to join us on Wednesday, at 8:00 a.m. for this special event.



2024 GOLF TOURNAMENT

**SUNDAY
OCTOBER 13**

**BENEFITS THE WORTHY
STUDENT FUND**

**Registration: 12:00 PM
Shotgun starts 1:00 PM**

REGISTER NOW



**\$90/player
\$360/team**



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Practice Schedule 9/9-9/13

Bell Ensemble

Tuesday – Thursday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Soccer Practice

U15 Wednesday 3:30-5:00

Soccer Games Sunday Sept. 8

U15 at 1:00 p.m. in GREEN at the Soccer Plex

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.

School Pictures will be taken on Tuesday, September 17. Pricing information is being sent home next week. Students may come to school wearing the clothes of their own choosing for their picture; however, we are asking that students **comply with the school dress code policy**. If a student has chosen to wear an item that does not comply with the school's dress code, they must change into a polo style shirt after the photographs have been taken. Each student ordering photos will need to use a separate envelope (more are available in the office if needed). For siblings, one payment can be made with a notation on each child's envelope indicating in which envelope the payment is enclosed.

Piano Lessons at SVAE: If your child would like to learn to play the piano after school, please contact the office or Gerald White, at 335-8220. There will be time slots for four students each on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, starting at 3:30. Bells students will have preference for Wednesdays, and those with difficult schedules will be accommodated as necessary. Let Gerald or Adrienne know of your interest **now**. Lessons begin next Tuesday September 10. Thanks! (Piano skills are nearly a prerequisite for playing bells-or most instruments.)

BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

September

9-Levi Rhoney
10-Amanda Rivera-Diaz
10-Ethan Mihalache
12-Aidyl Cristian
14-Elizabeth Burishkin
14-Clark D'Avilar
17-Summer Turner
22-Kamden Goodwyn
23-Anya D'Avilar
25-Luis Cristian
27-Lala Biaggi
29-Easton Heilman
30-Jony Jovel

October

2-Collin Harrison
6-Conner Lorton
10-Kyland Jedamski
17-Mariah Jenkins
18-Nathan Grimes
25-Annalise Troussard
30-Edgar Argueta Arevalo

Hot Lunch Menu:

9/9-9/13

Monday—Baked potato bar, salad and green beans

Tuesday—Mexican bowl

Wednesday— Mashed potatoes and gravy, peas and corn on the cob (PFE fundraiser)

Thursday—Pizza, salad and applesauce (8th grade fundraiser)

Friday— No Hot 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)



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