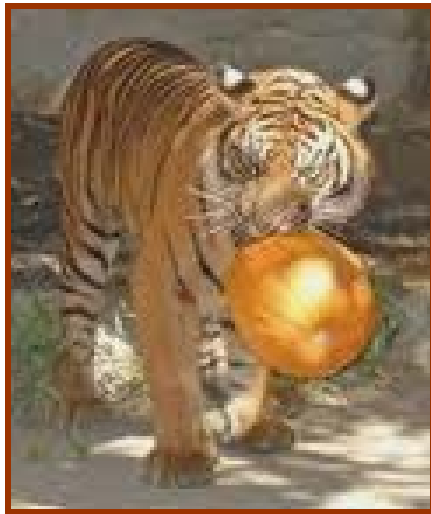


VACAVILLE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

EARLY EDUCATION



NEWS & NOTES

NOVEMBER 4, 2011

In his heart a man plans his course, but the Lord determines his steps.



Proverbs 16:9

Happy Veterans Day!!

11-11-11

In observance,

Campus will be closed Friday, November 11, 2011



*Freedom is never free.
~ Author Unknown ~*



Daylight Savings Time
ends this Sunday, November 6, 2011
2: 00 am

Remember to set your clocks back 1 hour!!



Dear Parents,

It is with mixed feelings that we inform you that Mrs. Shawna Francis' last teaching day will be November 10, 2011. As some of you already know, she is pursuing her teaching credential and striving towards her Masters Degree in Special Education. Raising a family, working full time and going to college have now become somewhat overwhelming and she has decided to focus on her education. Unfortunately, this means that she will be leaving VCS.

Mrs. Francis' has expressed that it has been both a pleasure and a privilege for her to serve you and your children. This was a difficult decision for her. Mrs. Hampton will be teaching with Mrs. Padilla and will be in room E5 before Mrs. Francis' last day so the children can transition into the change more easily. We assure you that the care and attention your children receive will not be disrupted.

Mrs. Francis will be sorely missed by the entire Early Education Department. She has been a great asset as a teacher, spiritual example and as a friend to all. We know that the Father will bless all of her endeavors.

*Rochelle McGriff, Director
Early Education Department*

H.I.S. Hours

If you would like to earn H.I.S. Hours, the Preschool has a cubby unit that needs to be lightly sanded and painted. The paint and supplies will be furnished. If interested, please contact Mrs. Dawn Burgess at extension 6016.



SCRIP IS COMING

We are launching our SCRIP Program just in time for the HOLIDAYS!!! SCRIP is a simple way for VCS to earn funds while making shopping easy for you and it DOESN'T COST YOU ANYTHING EXTRA! You purchase gift cards/certificates for the stores you usually shop at and the store gives a percentage of their earnings back to VCS. The simple instructions and the form are available at <http://www.go-vcs.com/destiny/scrip.aspx>. Early Education and Elementary students will also receive forms and instructions from their teachers on Friday. MS and HS can get their forms on-line. Please contact Monica Wilson at mwilson@go-vcs.com or 446-1776 x1060 if you have questions or would like to volunteer to help with SCRIP. Do all your Christmas shopping through VCS. It's an added convenience while helping VCS at the same time. Thank you for your support.



A HUGE thanks to everyone that helped with the Otis Spunkmeyer fundraiser this year. Whether it was the staff helping parents and students selling or teachers providing enthusiasm, we wouldn't have a successful fundraiser without you. Otis Spunkmeyer cookie dough will be delivered November 15th. Look for pick up details and sales total's in next week's e-bulletin.



SAVE THE DATES!!

Raising Destiny

with

Pastor Mark Tawlks

The Early Education Department will be offering a Parenting Series for VCS Families as well as the public, so invite a friend.

It will take place four consecutive Tuesdays
January 17, 24, 31 and February 7, 2012

Many different facets of building a strong family life will be discussed in this series. The series is open to all parents, EE to High School.

- Registration fee is \$15.00 per adult or \$20.00 per couple
- Return the "Registration" form by Friday, December 16, 2011. After this date, the Registration fee is \$20.00 per adult and \$25.00 per couple.
- This form can be turned in to any VCEE teacher or to the EE Office. Please note that all costs will be charged to your Smart Tuition account. For those who do not have a student at Vacaville Christian Schools, please make your check out to VCS.
- Childcare is available for VCS Early Education families at \$2.00 per child per evening.

Currently, Mark is the Family Life Pastor at Liberty Christian Center and Executive Director of Families on Purpose. He is dedicated to strengthening families through vision and the power of agreement. Mark has served as a national spokesperson for Teen Mania Ministries (international youth and missions organization). As a Life Coach and a successful entrepreneur, with over 30 years of experience in a variety of business and ministry settings, Mark has established himself as a powerful communicator and leader to businessmen, families and church leaders. Mark and his wife, Debbie, have been married for 30 years and they have three married children.



Mark Tawlks

REMEMBER:

Shop and save your receipts. The Shop for Schools receipt program runs now through December 31st. The new Fresh & Easy Market is located at 615 Elmira Road in Vacaville. Turn in your receipts to your child's teacher or any school office and VCS earns \$\$\$!!!





LUNCH MENU

November 7

Meatballs & Gravy, Mashed Spuds, Green Beans, Peaches & Milk

November 8

Mac & Cheese, Veggies, Fresh Fruit & Milk

November 9

Chicken Tenders, Corn on the Cob, Peaches & Milk

November 10

Bean Burrito, Veggie Sticks, Orange Slices & Milk

November 11

No Food Service - Veterans' Day



Happy Birthday!!!!

Wishing Special Birthday Blessings to

*Jenny Ito
(November 28)
Rosalyn Hall
(November 29)*



EE Calendar

Nov 11	CAMPUS CLOSED - Veterans' Day
Nov 17	KR Feast Day (no longer 11/14)
Nov 18	ITC & PS Feast Day
Nov 21-22	Daycare Only
Nov 23-25	CAMPUS CLOSED - Happy Thanksgiving!

Dec 6	KR – Silveyville
Dec 14	KR – Christmas Program
Dec 15	KR – Classroom Christmas Parties
Dec 15	PS – Christmas Program
Dec 16	PS – Christmas Party
Dec 16	ITC Christmas Program/Party
Dec 16	Minimum Day/Daycare Open
Dec 19–22	No School/Daycare Open
Dec 23–26	CAMPUS CLOSED – Christmas
Dec 27–30	No School/Daycare Open – Christmas Break
Jan 2	CAMPUS CLOSED – New Year Holiday
Jan 3	School Resumes
Jan 16	CAMPUS CLOSED – Martin Luther King, Jr Birthday
Jan 17	Raising Destiny
Jan 24	Raising Destiny
Jan 31	Raising Destiny
Feb 7	Raising Destiny
Feb 10	KR International Day
Feb 14	Valentine Parties
Feb 17	No School/Daycare Open – Lincoln’s Birthday
Feb 20	CAMPUS CLOSED – Presidents’ Day
Feb 25	Crab Feed
Mar 1–2	EE Picture Days
Mar 23	CAMPUS CLOSED – Staff In-Service

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