



Elementary Edition

December 16, 2011

“Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is the Messiah the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.” Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying,

“Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom His favor rests.”

Luke 2:11-14

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Jesus is the Reason for the Season!

Jesus Is The Reason

In Bethlehem, God gave to us
 The source of Christmas joy;
 A star shown on a miracle:
 The virgin birth of a boy.
 He was born both God and man,
 A Savior for us all,
 The way to get to our heavenly home,
 If we just heed His call.
 So as we shop and spend and wrap
 And enjoy the Christmas season,
 Let's keep in mind the sacred truth:
 Jesus is the reason.

By Joanna Fuchs

With Much Gratitude

We want to take this opportunity to thank you!



- Thank you to our wonderful carpool volunteers: Mrs. Everhart, Mrs. Bouffard, and Mrs. Staten! These ladies have been directing afternoon traffic! Thank you for your willingness to help!
- Thank you to all of the Elementary ACTS Pals! You provide much encouragement and needed prayer for our staff. You are greatly appreciated!
- Thank you PTF Sunshine Committee for your monthly gifts of appreciation! It is a joy
- Thank you to all the volunteer coaches, assistant coaches and team moms! Our sports are better because you are there!

Peace Award

Congratulations!

Peace is being tranquil and serene through many distractions and anxieties. Making reconciliation a priority, for this is God's will for those who love him. Understanding that having godly relationships should always be our goal. Following the Holy Spirit's urge to maintain harmony.

Jude 1:2, II Peter 3:14

KINDERGARTEN

Nathan McLendon
Lucia Alexander
Jessilyn Smith

FIRST

Payton Cranford
Rachel Carlin
Andrew Fiscal

SECOND

Christopher Lespron
Evan Wilson
Bryce Pazdel

THIRD

Guiliana Bunce
Nicholas Melgar
Tyler Albers

FOURTH

Kayla Horban
Samantha Rush
Jordan Muraco

FIFTH

Savannah Harris
Aman Aujla
Zane Martin

Raising Destiny Parenting Series

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.

Please be advised ...The dates have been changed

**It will take place four consecutive Thursdays,
January 19th , 26th and February 2nd , 9th , 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.

Christmas Break



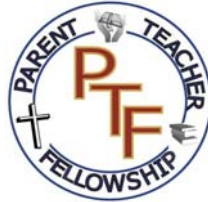
Monday, December 19	No School	Daycare Available
Tuesday, December 20	No School	Daycare Available
Wednesday, December 21	No School	Daycare Available
Thursday, December 22	No School	Daycare Available
Friday, December 23	CAMPUS CLOSED	NO DAYCARE
Monday, December 26	CAMPUS CLOSED	NO DAYCARE
Tuesday, December 27	No School	Daycare available
Wednesday, December 28	No School	Daycare Available
Thursday, December 29	No School	Daycare Available

Friday, December 30
Monday, January 2

No School
CAMPUS
CLOSED

Daycare Available
NO DAYCARE

PTF Presents...



GET READY! THE NEXT USED UNIFORM SALE IS JANUARY 9th *WITH A TWIST!*

Start thinking ahead to the next VCES PTF sponsored Used Uniform Sale. Take time to clean out your closets and drawers and make a list of what your child needs! Over the last several years, many parents have mentioned the idea of including DENIM in the sale, so we are going to include the collection and sale of UNIFORM APPROVED DENIM in January. Again, all items donated/purchased (including denim) have to fit the VCES Uniform Standards. Denim jeans, denim skirts, and denim capri's are all acceptable...no denim shorts, please. As always, make sure that all donated items are washed and in good condition. All uniform items and denim clothing may be dropped off in the Elementary Office.

The Used Uniform Sale will be held January 9th, 2012 from 7:30-9:00 am and 1:30-3:30 pm in EL- 15. We look forward to seeing you there! Questions? Want to volunteer? Email: ptf@go-vcs.com

California Law

California Law Beginning January 1, 2012:



Children ***MUST*** be secured in an appropriate child passenger restraint (safety seat or booster seat) **IN THE BACK SEAT OF A VEHICLE** until they are at least 8 YEARS OLD or 4' 9" in height.

This is all of Kindergarten, first and possibly second grade children!

Raffle Winner

The raffle
winner is...



Memorial 5K Run/Walk

Officer Jim Capoot Memorial 5K Run/Walk

**Saturday, December 17th
Lagoon Valley Park
Registration 9:30am
\$10 minimum donation**

Two Routes

**Out and back, flat run/walk or
Tower Challenge**

**Parking \$3, exact change, please
Carpooling is recommended**

**Families and strollers welcome. All
minors must have parent signature on
registration form. Forms are available
online or at the event. For any questions
or to request a registration form,
contact Tracy Ruiz at:
capootmemorial5K@gmail.com**

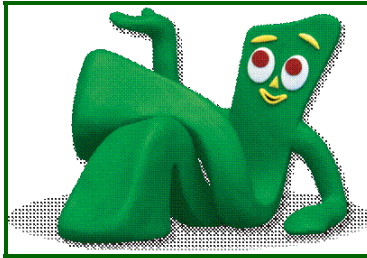
Winter Dress Code



Now that the weather is getting colder, please make note of the following dress code items:

- Girls may wear long pants on Chapel days. If girls should choose to wear a dress, but need to keep their legs warm, there are several options- knee socks, tights or ankle length leggings (which should fit like tights). Please note that leggings which appear to look like pants are not acceptable to wear. Leggings must also be covered at the base with socks so they have the appearance of tights. **Girls may wear red, white or navy socks, tights and/or leggings.**
- There are no color stipulations on hats, scarves and gloves.

VCS Radio Jazz



VCS RADIO JAZZ to Create a Brand New Musical Score for GUMBY

VCS Radio Jazz is set to create and perform an original musical score to two of Art Clokey's classic claymation films. His first film, Gumbasia and the original pilot film, Gumby on the Moon will be recorded LIVE with VCS Radio Jazz's new soundtrack to be included in gumbyworld.com, the official Gumby website. "We love to share how Gumby is inspiring the next generation of artists!", said Joan Rock-Clokey head of the Creative and Marketing department of Premavision inc. and daughter-in-law of the late creator of the claymation icon.

More information on this amazing project coming soon!

Keys found



Recently found GMC key fob and house key found.
If they are yours, please stop by the elementary office to pick up.

Hot Lunch Menu

January 2	Campus Closed-no lunches
January 3	Chicken Tenders, Peaches, Corn, Milk
January 4	Pasta, Fruit, Green Beans, Milk
January 5	Bean Burrito, Veggie Sticks, Pears, Milk
January 6	Cheese Pizza, Veggie Sticks, Cookies, Milk or Juice

Dates and Events

December 19 - January 2	Christmas Break
January 3	School Resumes
January 13	Elementary Spell-a-thon Packets go home Minimum Day/ Extended Care Available
January 16	Campus Closed for Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 19	PTF Meeting/ 6:30-8:00 p.m./ EL-18
January 20	Report Cards go home
January 24	5 th to 6 th grade Visit and Orientation
January 26	Annual State of the School/ 6:00-9:00 p.m./ Gym
January 27	Re-enrollment Packets sent home
January 31	Chapel Awards/ 1:00-2:00 p.m./ Gym
February 3	Elementary Spell-a-thon Test
February 6-10	Book Fair Library
February 7	Kindergarten Open House/ 5:30-6:30 p.m./ Classrooms Elementary Open House and Science Night/ 6:30-8:30 p.m./ Gym
February 16	All School Pep Rally/ Falcon Field
February 17	Abraham Lincoln's Birthday Observed

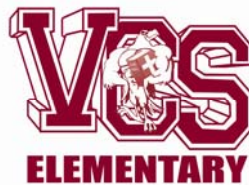
*Warm Christmas Greetings From the
Elementary Office*

The Elementary and Business Offices will be closed during the Christmas Break,
December 19th -January 2nd.



See you next year!!!!
January 3rd, 2012

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