



Elementary Edition

February 3, 2012

“Three things will last forever- faith, hope, and love-
And the greatest of these is love.”
1Corinthians 13:13

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Re-Enrollment is Coming!

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Priority Re-enrollment packets will go home with your STUDENT on, Thursday, February 16th.

Priority re-enrollment:
Feb. 21st to March 16th

Re-enrollment Fee K-12th: \$195 or three payments of \$65 each, (first payment due with re-enrollment packet.)

Infant & Toddler: \$85
Preschool: \$105
Kindergarten Readiness: \$120

Please turn in your complete re-enrollment packet and registration fee to **your school office.**

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Crab Feed is SOLD OUT!

VCS Annual Crab Feed is SOLD OUT!



Thank You 2012 Crab Feed Sponsors!

Gold Level

**Apricot Lane
Der Manouel Insurance
Lester Farms
Summit Wealth Group
The Thorn Family**

Silver Level

**All Points Petroleum
All State Ins. • David Legoullon
Gigi Hill • Lesly Long
Hearn Enterprise, Inc.
Infineon Raceway
Pazdel Chiropractic
WPCS International Inc.**

Bronze Level

**Burger King
Campbell's Soup
Chipman Movers
Community Business Bank
JC Graphix
Team Chevrolet/Cadillac
of Vallejo**

Double H.I.S. Club Hours

DOUBLE HIS Hours Opportunity!



Volunteer to work the Crab Feed!

The annual Crab Feed is close at hand! We need more volunteers to help make this event the crackin' event that is has been four years in a row!

You will earn DOUBLE HIS hours by working this event! Mark your calendars and come be a part of a wonderful evening and VCS tradition!

Contact Christine Botkin today!

cbotkin@go-vcs.com or 707-446-1776 ext. 1069.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2012

Volunteer Areas and times available

- Kitchen Assistant 4:00pm - 9:00pm (or until done)
- Parking Attendants 4:30pm - 6:30pm
- Welcome Table 4:30pm - 6:30pm
- Table Servers 4:00pm - 9:00pm (or until done)
- Dessert Auction Assistant 2:00pm - 8:00pm
- Auction Assistants 5:00pm - 8:00pm (or until done)
- Clean Up 8:00pm - until complete

Crab Feed Baskets



ATTENTION VCES PARENTS

The 4th Annual Crab Feed is on Saturday, February 25th. VCS is going to raffle off baskets created by us! Each grade has its own theme and each grade will work together to make one GREAT basket!

In order to do this, we need your help with donations!! Donations will be accepted until Wednesday, February 8th.

Gift cards are always a good fall back and received well by the winners. You can also donate items that might not match the theme for your grade, but can be used for one of the other grades. If donations are labeled, we will make every effort to return unused items to the original donor.

Basket Themes:

Kindergarten – Theme: Disney – Lokkesmoe, Borges & Edgar

Examples:

- Books, stuffed characters
- Disney DVDs or CDs
- Disney store gift cards
- Disney theme park gift cards/Hopper Passes

1st grade – Theme: Games – Jones, Munar & McRee

Examples:

- Board games, Card games
- Jump rope, marbles, chalk
- Game Stop Gift Cards

2nd grade – Starbucks vs. Peet's – Brown, Kimbel & Ingels

Examples:

- Starbucks or Peet's gift cards
- Coffee mugs, travel mugs
- Starbucks or Peet's coffee, Tea, Cookies, chocolates

- Coffee Press, mini coffee grinder

3rd grade – Theme: Picnic – Kenyon, Hadley & Beall

Examples:

- Dishes, utensils, blanket, picnic basket
- Non-perishable food items
- Grocery gift cards
- Portable Radio/CD Player

4th grade – Theme: Beach – Gustafson, Mumaw & Lindsey

Examples:

- Beach Towels, Umbrella, Folding Chairs, Sunscreen
- Shovel & Pail, Sand Molds, Water toys, Frisbee/Beach games
- Discount tickets to Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk
- Portable Radio/CD Player

5th grade – Theme: Movies - Dallenbach, Saylor & Bertleson

Examples:

- Movie tickets/gift cards
- Candy, microwave popcorn
- DVDs
- Portable DVD Player

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either: Linda Sparks at 7367linda@gmail.com or VCES PTF President, Jennifer Stanek at ptf@go-vcs.com.

SCRIP



SCRIP will help make Valentine's Day special!

Valentine's Day countdown is ON!

With only a little over two weeks left before Valentine's Day, why stress over planning the perfect date night! VCS SCRIP has the perfect suggestions for you to make the day special! Place your order on Monday and you will receive your gift cards by Friday!

Download a new SCRIP form [here!](#)

Dinner for Two

Planning dinner for you and your love on Valentine's day? VCS SCRIP has the perfect suggestions!

- Black Angus
- Cheesecake Factory
- Merchant & Main
- Mimi's Cafe
- Murillo's
- Olive Garden
- Outback
- P.F. Chang's
- Red Lobster



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Make Valentine's complete with a movie date or special gift!

Brendan Theaters

Edwards Theaters

Banana Republic

Bath & Body Works

Bed, Bath & Beyond

Build-A-Bear

Gap

Macy's

Starbucks

Sweet Treats for your Sweetie!

Spoil your sweetie with some sweet treats this Valentine's day! Order Scrip for a delightful treat!

- Baskin Robbins
- Cold Stone Creamery
- Cultivate Yogurt
- See's Candy



Spell-a-thon



Today our students took the Spell-a-thon test! We are excited to see the results!

Teachers will be grading the tests and recording the number of words spelled correctly on the bottom of the pledge form.

Your child can collect pledges and return the money in the manila envelope to their classroom teacher, once all pledges have been secured.

Make sure not to send in the envelope until all pledges are collected.

Let's work together to make this one of the most successful fundraisers yet!

Thank you for your continued support!

Elementary Open House & Science Night



Kindergarten Open House

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

5:30-6:00 p.m. in the Gym for general session

6:00-6:30 p.m. in the Classrooms

Elementary Open House and Science Night

Grades K-5

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

6:30 p.m. in the Gym for general session

7:00-8:00 p.m. Classroom visits

Come and enjoy fellowship with your child's teacher and the parents of your child's classmates as you visit the classrooms. Your children are excited to show off their science projects! You are also invited to visit the next grade-level in order to get a peek at what will be coming up next year for your child.

Looking forward to seeing you there!

Writer and Illustrator, Susan Giles coming to
Open House-Book Fair

We are delighted to have Susan Giles coming to VCES Book Fair! She is the writer and illustrator for two children's picture books, "Caribbean Cats" and "Lola and Luigi." She will have a table exhibit in the gym where she will be selling and signing her books! A donation will be made to VCS from her profit.

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

6:30-8:00 p.m.

Gym

Book Fair H.I.S. Volunteers

Book Fair

Volunteers are needed for a couple of hours to work at the Book Fair Feb. 6th - 9th.

We need daytime help as well as before and after the group meeting for Open House in the Gym.

Volunteers should call Kelly Burroughs at 707-416-9809.

Box Tops for Education



CONGRATULATIONS to Mrs. Jones 1st grade class for bringing in 151 sheets of Box Tops! They won the January contest which is a S'mores Party and Free Dress Passes!

Mrs. Edgar was a close 2nd with 148 sheets

Mrs. Lokkesmoe was 3rd with 55 sheets

All 3 classes will receive Free Dress Passes!

To date we have turned in 515 sheets which equals \$1500 for our school!!!

Keep collecting you could be the next winning class!

Honor Roll for 1st Semester 2011-2012

Congratulations!

Honor Roll Scales are based upon the following:

Principal's Honor List= 4.0 or above

Aguada, Ryan	Alvarado, Emma	Aujla, Aman	Benson, Alana
Danner, Jessica	DeGrace, Shane	Jamel, Hannah	Jones, Ashley
Lewis, Sarah	Lin, Samantha	Mulata, Ryan	Smith, Crystal

Stanek, Megan	Van Gorden, Ava	West, Abigail	Belval, Victoria
Benson, Andrew	Gardner, Lilya	Hekker, Jordan	Hernandez, Anthony
Horban, Kayla	Kunde, Isabella	Llave, Christine	Murillo, Sasha
Nesbeth, Crystal	Ochoa, Cecelia	Pariera, Grace	Richardson, Sloane
Rivers, William	Rush, Samantha	Saylor, Alyssa	Stocksick, Sean
Sullivan, Jordan	Taylor, Bradley	Taylor, Jordan	Turner, Alexis
Underwood, Auria	Verschuur, Megan	Aberson, Chloe	Abundez, Lisette
Babb, Katerina	Bastistella-Bunce, Guiliana	Bogart, Tyler	Carnahan, Alyssa
Cruz, Rebekah	Cubol, Francesca	Gentili, Alexandra	Gentili, Michael
Jesinger, Rena	Johnson, Ashley	MacKenzie, Adia	Maher, Alexander
Tam, Hayden	Tracy, Sean	Vepoor, Tarun	Vincent, Grace

Principal's List= 3.5-3.99

Alterio, Nicholas	Breneisen, Emily	Burgess, Madeleine	Callan, Anthony
Celestin, Mia	Clark, Carley	Darden, Trevion	Everhart, Austin
Field, Rafael	Gaborko, Jonathan	Goodwin, Noah	Harris, Garrett
Harris, Sara	Harris, Savannah	Hayer, Sumir	Ifland-Hascup, Chase
Libatique, Gedric	Marek-Bence, Chelsea	Martin, Zane	Miller, Cheyenne
Moffett, Aaron	Munar, Luke	Ogunleye, Olabayo	Petersen, Kayley
Petnicki, Jillian	Petrovsky, Isadora	Pierce, Samantha	Riddick, Natalie
Ross, Grace	Ruiz, Teresita	Scavetta, Averyahna	Verissimo, Marisa
Wheeler, Alexis	Williams, Mackenzie	Woods, Daphnie	Amare, Yonathan
Bagos, Tabitha	Begley, Kira	Bouffard, Cooper	Bradson, Houston
Breedwell, Jared	Cain, Jamey	Campbell, Autumn	Carter, Grace
Chandler, Alexis	Chavez, Gabriel	Cline, Joshua	Dadhwal, Sanket
Darden, Imani	Davis, Caleb	Ellis, Isaiah	Evans, Sameerah
Gilbert, Nicholas	Gittings, Grace	Lesnick, Audrey	Lloyd, Wiley
Lujan, Kaylei	Malone, Coulter	McClellin, Brian	Muraco, Jordan
Murga, Joseph	Peixoto, Ian	Perez, Priscilla	Petersen, Kierra
Pyeatt, Audrey	Scott, Jalen	Slater, Scotty	Sones, Torin
Walker, Ashley	Adams, Elaine	Albers, Tyler	Alvarado, Daniel
Azevedo, Athina	Bandvik, Samantha	Barber, Kenneth	Benedict, Catherine
Bobis, Alyna	Brown, Zoe	Cassinelli, Metina	Gelera, Chenin
Guzman, Leahana	Jackson, Kendall	Johnson, Kaitlyn	Jonas, Anthony
Kelbaugh, Gavin	King, Jona	Maxwell Kroll	Long, Perry (Martin)
Melendres, Alexandria	Melgar, Nicholas	Nunez, Marco	O'Brien, Maggie
Redican, Megan	Reheis, Emma	Smith, Adrian	Sylvester, Zachary
Wongkamchang, Wanisah	Woods, Chloe	Wouda, Hayden	

Honor Roll= 3.0-3.49

Ewing, Joshua	Gallegos, Jose	Groves, Kailey	MacKenzie, Margaret
Merritt, Mia	Norton, Miles	Reheis, Sydney	Wilder, Brady
Wilson, Sierra	Gleeson, Owen	Gorton, Joshua	Johnson, Jaidyn
Mitchell, Jeremiah	Rion, Kenneth	Aguada, Stefani	Andrews, Jackson
Atkins, Christopher	Campbell, Summer	Ganter, Danielle	Goodwin, Griffin
Porter, Conan	Potter, Lillian	Roberts, Nalia	Sylvester, Alyssa

Dyslexia Presentation



FREE Dyslexia Presentation

Meet leading dyslexia expert, Susan Barton at a free presentation on the symptoms & solutions of dyslexia.

Dyslexia affects 20% of the population, and is the most common reason a bright child will struggle with reading, writing, and spelling. Find out *why* they struggle and what you can do to help.

Monday, February 13, 2012

6:00 to 9:00 pm

SonRise Community Fellowship
Church of the Nazarene
620 Orange Drive, Vacaville, CA 95687

Reserve your seat at:

www.SonRise.EventBrite.com

For more information:

Tracy Castelli
(707) 446-1776 ext. 5010

Sports Report



Upcoming Elementary Sports

(all events are on elementary basketball courts)

Monday, Feb. 6th:

3rd/4th grade Team Emerald: practice (3:30-4:30)

5th grade coed: practice (3:30-4:30)

Tuesday, Feb. 7th:

1st/2nd grade Team Diamond: practice (3:30-4:30)

3rd/4th grade Team Onyx: practice (3:30-4:30)

Wednesday, Feb. 8th:

1st/2nd grade game: Team Gold vs. Team Diamond (3:30)

Thursday, Feb. 9th:

3rd/4th grade game: Team Emerald vs. Team Onyx (3:30)

Friday, Feb. 10th:

3rd/4th grade game: Team Onyx vs. Team Emerald (3:30)

5th grade coed game @ Southpointe Christian (3:30): Dismiss @ 1:45/Leave @ 2:00

Coach Edgar

Do you need H.I.S. Club hours?



It is just 20 minutes every afternoon and once the month is complete we will

SIGN OFF ON ALL 20 HOURS of your required H.I.S. Club Hours

I need a parent for February, March, April or May! Sign up today!

Interested volunteers, please contact Tracy Castelli at tcastelli@go-vcs.com

College Acceptances and Merit Scholarships



Class of 2012 College Acceptances and Merit Scholarships

**\$ 923,500 in Merit-based Scholarships
To date...**

Senior	University	Merit Scholarship
Bonn, Justin	Vanguard University	
Bonn, Justin	California Baptist University	
Clark, Heather	Art Center College of Design	
Ignatieff, Matthew	California State Fullerton	
MacDonald, Marcella	California Baptist University	
MacDonald, Marcella	Point Loma Nazarene University	
Magnaye, Samantha	The Art Institute of California San Francisco	
Magnaye, Samantha	Oral Roberts University	\$52,000
Magnaye, Samantha	Seattle Pacific University	\$40,000
Powell, Nigel	Hampton University	

Hot Lunch Menu

February 6	Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Fruit Mix, Milk
February 7	Chicken Tenders, Peaches, Corn, Milk
February 8	Pasta, Veggie Sticks, Fruit, Milk
February 9	Bean Burrito, Veggie Sticks, Pears, Milk
February 10	Cheese Pizza, Veggie Sticks, Cookies, Juice or Milk

Dates and Events

February 3	Elementary Spell-a-thon Test/ KR to visit Kindergarten
February 6- March 30	After School Enrichment Sessions
February 6-9	Book Fair/ Library
February 7	Kindergarten Open House/ 5:30-6:30 p.m./ Gym & Classrooms Elementary Open House and Science Night/ 6:30-8:00 p.m./ Gym & Classrooms
February 13	FREE Dyslexia Presentation/ 6:00-9:00 p.m./ Sonrise Community Church
February 16	All School Pep Rally/ Falcon Field/ Re-enrollment Packets sent home
February 17	No School/ Extended Care Available /Lincoln's Birthday Observed
February 20	Campus Closed / Presidents' Day
February 25	Crab Feed/ 5:30 p.m./ Gym
February 27	Spell-a-thon Money Due

March 2	Elementary Progress Reports go home
March 7-9	Staff Appreciation Days
March 11	Daylight Savings

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Karyn Kempton – Vice Principal