

January 22, 2024



Newsnotes

Chico Oaks Adventist School

Prayer Kids

Monday
Vanessa W. & Amellia B.



Tuesday
Lane E. & Sari G.

Wednesday
Harper H. & Max J.

Thursday
Nolan M.W. & Danny A.

Friday
Max A. & Ella H.

This and That

Good Morning,

I wanted to let you know that 2nd Qt. Grades will be emailed to you this afternoon or tomorrow morning. Please look for those in your email. If you have any questions or wish to talk to your child's teacher, please don't hesitate to contact them and set up a time that you can meet.

Have a great week!

Blessings,

Mrs. Bartsch

~Project Share~

The 3rd/4th class will be collecting offering for the month of January.

5th/6th Grade collected \$25.00 for the months of Nov. & Dec.

Thank you for your support!

(February: 1st/2nd Grade)

HOT LUNCH



Hot lunch is available for purchase every **Monday & Wednesday**. Cost of hot lunch is **\$5.00 per meal and will be applied to your FACTS tuition account.**

Monday, Jan. 22

~Pizza~

Wednesday, Jan. 24

NO HOT LUNCH



IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR Driver Volunteers

If your vehicle insurance or drivers license expired in 2023, please remember to update your information with the office. Also, make sure you have completed the DMV driving record clearance. Please see instructions attached to complete DMV clearance if you haven't done so. Thank you for serving as a volunteer for our school.



**PARADISE
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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Academy Day

All 7/8th graders are invited to Paradise Adventist Academy for Academy Day this coming Wednesday, January 24 from 9 to 12:30. Lunch & transportation will be provided. For more information contact PAA at info@mypaa.net or (530)877-6540



The second round of MAP testing is scheduled for January 29 through February 9. 1st through 8th graders will participate in the testing process. Please have your students well rested and well fed during testing weeks. Thank you.



Our annual Open House is scheduled for Sunday, February 25, from 3:30 - 5:30pm. Please mark this date on your calendars as this is an attendance day.

Chico Oaks ASB

January 26th ASB Vespers for 5-8th grade at the Stewarts.

Feb. 10-11 - Lock-In (5th-8th Gr.) More details to come.



Meet up with other Moms to pray!

Please stop by after drop off on Thursday mornings from 8-8:30am to connect with other moms by spending time together praying for our COAS kids, the staff, and families. Location: the room directly across the hall from the kitchen in the gym.

*For moms who have younger children, don't let that stop you from coming by. Bring the little ones! If any questions, text or call Jenn Clark at (530) 520-8401.

Home & School

Have a good week!



- Mr. Raj and I have been working on scheduling and organizing our first robotics event. We will be hosting an unofficial competition here at COAS on February 18th. We are inviting the Paradise Adventist Elementary robotics teams to compete with us. The community is welcomed to come and watch and support.
- This Friday all teams should stay until 1pm. Lunch will **not** be provided.



Junior High Basketball:

Hi, everyone! I hope you all had a great weekend. Just wanted to recognize our basketball coaches and say a big thank you to Coach Del & Coach Dan for putting in so much time & effort with our students. You are truly appreciated! Here is the schedule for this week:

Boys:

Wednesday—The game vs. Nord Country has been CANCELED

Thursday—Game vs. Lake B Team @ 5:00 (HOME)

Sunday—Practice 6:00-7:30

Girls:

Tuesday—Practice 3:15-4:30

Wednesday—Game vs. Achieve Charter @ 4:00 (HOME)

Thursday—Game vs. Lake B Team @ 4:00 (HOME)

Hope to see you at the games! Go Chico Oaks!!

Plan Ahead!

Please check the “Plan Ahead” section each week as the calendar is subject to change. Thank you.

Academy Day	Jan. 24
ASB 5th-8th Vespers	Jan. 26
MAP Testing Starts	Jan. 29
School board meeting	Feb. 8
MAP Testing Ends	Feb. 9
ASB 5th-8th Lock-In	Feb. 10 - 11
Presidents Day – No School	Feb.19
Open House – Attendance Day	Feb. 25
Spring Picture Day	Mar. 7
Movie Night	Mar. 9
Begin Daylight Savings set clocks ahead 1 hour)	Mar. 10
Lego Tournament	Mar. 10
7 th /8 th Grades Outdoor Ed.	Mar. 11-14
School Board Meeting	Mar. 14
Week of Prayer	Mar. 18-22
End of 3 rd Period (48 days)	Mar. 22
Spring Break – No School	Mar. 25 –29
Teacher in Service – No School	Apr. 1
Professional Enrichment Day –	Apr. 2
No School	
School resumes	Apr. 3
Parent-Teacher Conf. (Optional)	Apr.11
Noon Dismissal	
School Board Meeting	Apr. 11
5 th /6 th Grades Outdoor Ed.	Apr. 15-18
Administrative Assistant Day	Apr. 24
Education Sabbath	Apr. 27
MAP Testing Begins	Apr. 29
School Board Meeting	May 9
Teacher Appreciation Week	May 6-10
MAP Testing Ends	May 10
Skip-up Day	May 17
Spring Concert, Dinner & Auction	May 18
Memorial Day - No School	May 27

Homework & Class Information---

Music

Ms. May - Grades 1st - 4th
January 22 - January 26

Beginning Music and Motion: 1st and 2nd Grade
We will be getting our wiggles out with our new song, Higher than the Sky. We will also work on our ear training with a new solfege challenge.

Ukulele 1 (Beginners): 3rd and 4th grade
We will be continuing to work on our music writing exercises to explore how to hear, count, and write with quarter, half, and whole notes.

We will also begin working on developing our right hand's skill level with Wiegenlied, and if we have time we will check our beginner chords with He's Got the Whole World in His Hands on the left hand as well.

Ukulele 2 (Intermediate): 4th grade
We are doing quite a bit of work on understanding music theory lately!

We will review our homework on the Circle of 5ths, key signatures, and our music writing exercises in different keys. We will be discussing how scales are built, which is a second way of understanding how our key signatures came to exist.

We will also review the difference between Major and Minor scales, and how they are related through the circle of 5ths.

We are writing short exercises in multiple keys, and will work on exploring how to transpose our work from one key to another using our second position pattern up and down the ukulele.

We will also continue to work on Hall of Fame chords, and intro picking.

Mrs. Poblano – Choir/Stick Ministry/Drama
January 22 - January 26

Mr. Hearn – Band
January 22 - January 26

Mrs. Moon – TK/Kindergarten
January 22 - January 26

Bible Story: Jesus takes good care of me.
Psalm 23 Bible Verse: "I made you, and I will care for you." Isaiah 46:4

Character Trait: this quarter we are learning about emotional intelligence. We will be spending a bit each morning we will be learning new vocabulary for our emotions. We will discuss a different emotion each day. We are also reading a wonderful book I have that teaches us how to understand our own emotions and recognize how others are feeling.

Math: In the next few weeks we will be learning addition.

Reading: We will continue working on letters and sounds, but we are also mapping out the sounds we hear to read and write words.

Theme: We are all about penguins for this week and next. I am sending home a packet for each student to do a penguin report. We will share our reports with the class on January 31 and February 1.

Show and Tell: Connor, Xiomara, Ames, Dawson, Asher

Ms. VanHook – Grades 1 & 2
January 22 - January 26

VIP: No VIP this week.

Read-a-thon Classroom Party: Congratulations to 1st and 2nd grade for getting the highest number of sponsors! ***This Thursday, January 25*** we will be having a class pizza party. Pizza and fruit will be provided for lunch for everyone in 1st & 2nd grade. You will not need to send a lunch with your child that day.

PE Shoes: Please remember to send a pair of tennis shoes for your child to wear during PE time. They should not wear boots, crocs, sandals, etc. for PE. If they wear shoes other than tennis shoes during the day I will give them time to change into their PE shoes.

Bible: This week students will need to memorize this entire verse. They learned the first part last week. ***Treasure Verse:*** "I love the Lord because he hears my voice and my prayer for mercy. Because He bends down to listen I will pray as long as I have breath." Psalm 116:1, 2

Math 1: Addition facts up to 20

Math 2: 2-digit addition

Spelling: Please have your child practice these words each evening. We will have spelling tests on Friday.

1st grade: he, she, me, we, see, feet, eat, each, he's, we'll

2nd grade: paint, pay, plays, pray, rain, say, stay, today, train, way, birthday, praise, stayed

Reading: For reading this week please have your child read two books in their level up section of RAZ Kids. They should also do one book recording in RAZ Kids.

Science: Weather and Seasons

Mrs. Miceli – Grades 3 & 4
January 22 - January 26

Memory Verse: "So now we can rejoice in our wonderful new relationship with God because our Lord Jesus Christ has made us friends of God." Romans 5:11 We are finishing up our unit about Jesus being a friend to the friendless.

Spelling: Tests on Friday.

Level C: copy, fork, careful, key, kept, quilt, cover, quiet, queen, October, track, quick, quite, rack, rake

Level D: growl, tower, bounce, pound, outdoors, scout, county, aloud, owl, noun, trout, frown, underground, household, stout, gown, powder, however

Level E: Antarctica, Arkansas, hardship, artery, radar, argument, bargain, department, snarl, chart, partner, harbor, compartment, hearty, carton, dart, artichoke, cardiac, cartilage, harmony

Spelling Sentences: Write sentences using your spelling words. Requirements: A minimum of 8 words in each sentence. Begin each sentence with different words. Underline the spelling words. Use correct punctuation and capitalization. Due on Friday.

Reading Homework: Reading A-Z - a minimum of two books and their quizzes. 4th grade Literature Group: Read Chapters 4 -6 in A Family Apart.

Book Orders: Books to purchase are available with Scholastic Book Club. Flyers are going home today. The orders are now online only. If

you would like to order, scan the QR Code on the flyer. An advantage to online ordering is that you may see more of a book selection; for example, books from other grades as well. The orders are due before January 30th.

Project Share Offering: This is our month to collect the offering for our sponsorship of Yaretzy. Thank you

Art: We will have art class with Mrs. Philips this Tuesday.

Pizza Lunch will be provided for our class this Thursday, January 25th. This is our prize for first place in the Read-A-Thon.

Upcoming Events:

Field Trip to Bidwell Mansion on Tuesday, February 13th - Tour at 9:30

Open House/Science Fair: Sunday, February 25th at 3:30. I will be sending out information about our Science Fair in the next week or two.

California State Railroad Museum in Sacramento - Tuesday, April 9th

Mr. Raj – Grades 5 & 6
January 22 - January 26

Science. The science fair is scheduled Feb. 25th. A parent letter will be posted on Google Classroom, sent, and students have received. This week we will focus on getting students started on their projects.

Bible: The format for Bible will be reading from the Bible on Tuesdays and Thursday spending time to relate that The Chosen. All videos shown in class will be screened prior.

Memory Verse: For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind. - 2 Timothy 1:7

Red Math Workbook (5th): 5.9 Chapter review and test.

Green Math Textbook: We will be reviewing chapter 4 this week, it will include a practice exam and reviewing the practice exam. The math test will be **Monday 29th**.

History: Introduction to our new history simulation that will happen in sequence with what we are learning in each respective lesson.

Language Arts: We didn't get to begin the research paper process last week, though we will begin this week. Finding a topic, how do research, and cite sources.

Handwriting: L 20 handwriting.

Vocab: Vocab Uni 16 this week. Though we will introduce vocab this quarter, future assessments will include past lessons within the quarter.

Grammar: Editing practice will be done during class hours.

Reading Comp: This gets done during class hours

Literature: Continuing through *Small Steps The Year I Got Polio* - Peg Kehret

Cooking Class Elective: Welcome new cooking students! Mrs. Lauderdale is looking forward to making delicious snacks with the kids. If you have a favorite dish you'd like to teach the kids how to make, please reach out to Mrs. Lauderdale.

ELA: Lesson 17. Pretest Monday, sentences Wednesday, Test Friday.

Literature: We will be watching *The Giver* in class Monday and discussing the similarities and differences between the book and the movie.

Social Studies: Country reports

Science: Human Anatomy and science project

PE: Fitness and Basketball

Cooking: Welcome new cooking students! I am looking forward to making delicious snacks with the kids. If you have a favorite dish you'd like to teach the kids how to make, please reach out, I am always happy to have help!

Mrs. Lauderdale – Grades 7 & 8

Mr. Linhares

January 22 - January 26

Character Trait Corner – Emotions are tough. Each of us can have different emotions in response to the same situation. While none of our emotions are wrong, it is sometimes important for us to take a step back and think if that was the best way to handle or respond to a situation. We have all seen the poster with the word THINK in a classroom as some point. While we can ignore what it says when we see it all the time, it is good to remember what it stands for. T – is it true? H – is it helpful? I – is it important? N – is it necessary? K – is it kind? Whenever a situation arises, it is important for us to stop and THINK before responding. This can help us deal with our emotions in a better way and maybe not hurt someone else in the process.

Academy Day: THIS WEEK. We will be leaving the school at 8:30 and arrive back at 2pm.

Albion: March 11-14. We will be needing Chaperones for this trip. If you haven't been to Albion, it is a beautiful location. More details to come

Bible: We are continuing with Exodus. This week students are memorizing the verse for Integrity.

Math 7: 5.6 & Ch 5 Self-Assessment. Ch 5 test on 1/30

Math 8: Ch 5 test Monday. 6.1-6.2