

February 5, 2024



Newsnotes

Chico Oaks Adventist School

Prayer Kids

Monday
Xiomara E. & Ames H.



Tuesday
Dawson M. & Miisa E.

Wednesday
Kaylie K. & Julian M.

Thursday
Michael M. & Ellie S.

Friday
Rhys S. & Jenna W.

This and That

Good Morning,

Have a good week!

Blessings,

Mrs. Bartsch

~Project Share~

The 1st/2nd class will be collecting offering for the month of February.

3rd/4th Grade collected \$40.30 for the month January.

Thank you for your support!

(March: TK/K Class)



MAP testing continues 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.

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, Feb. 5

~Waffles~

Leilani & Zeny

Wednesday, Feb. 7

~Alphabet Soup~

Tiffany & Tawny.



School Board will meet this Thursday, February 8 at 7:00pm in the small group classroom. Parents are welcome to attend.



Presidents' Day Holiday

School will not be in session Monday, February 19, in honor of Presidents' Day.



Save the Date!

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.



Spring Picture Day is coming up!

Spring Picture Day is scheduled for Thursday, March 7th. A flyer with more information will be coming soon!



The school maintains a Lost & Found cage for items gone missing that belong to students. This week it will be located in front of the gym, you can't miss it. Please check it now and then claim any items belonging to your students. Thank you.

Chico Oaks ASB

5th - 8th Grade: Feb 10-11th ASB Lock In. There will be games, food, and snacks. Some specialty items will be for sale.

Location: Chico Gym 8pm-8am

Home & School

Spirit Day 2/14

Wear Red, Pink or Purple!



February 18 Chico gym all robotics participants should arrive before 9:30 am. Judging starts at 10:00. This will take most of the day we are scheduled to be done by 3 pm. Please bring a lunch or money to pay for a meal. The money raised with food and snacks will be a fundraiser for our robotics program. Families are welcome to come to observe.

As usual all teams should stay after school on Friday from 12 to 1. I am willing to stay longer than 1 if there is a team or two that is willing to stay. There are only two more times we meet before we compete so all need to be present.

Thank you all,
Mr. Selby



Junior High Basketball:

We are down to our last two weeks of the season for basketball. Thank you to everyone who has supported our student athletes by coming to their games. I'd also like to say thank you to those who have been stocking and running the snack bar. We appreciate your help in raising some of the funds for the basketball program. Thank you to Melissa Jones & Stacy Grau for organizing that & all the parents & siblings who have helped.

This Wednesday, February 7, we will have 8th grade night following our games with Plaza. There will be a simple meal of pizza & salad for our athletes, coaches & their families as we honor our 8th grade players.

Here is the game schedule for the rest of the season:

Boys:

Monday (TODAY)—Game vs. Nord Country @ 5:00 (HOME)

Wednesday—Game vs. Plaza @ 5:00 (HOME). Following the boys' game we will have 8th grade night.

Monday, 2/12—Game vs. Chico Jr. 7th Grade A team @ 5:30 (AWAY)

Wednesday, 2/14—Game vs. Marsh 8th Grade B team @ 7:30 (AWAY)

As you can see the boys will have their last two games AWAY, although they will be in town. If your student needs a ride with another family we just need to make sure that driver is cleared by Carina to drive for school events. Also, don't be surprised if you are charged an entry fee at these two away games. That is often how the schools raise money to pay for officials.

Girls:

Monday (TODAY)—Game vs. Nord Country @ 4:00 (HOME)

Wednesday—Game vs. Plaza @ 4:00 (HOME), followed by the boys' game & then 8th grade night.

Monday, 2/12—Game vs. Achieve Charter @ 4:00 (HOME). This is a re-scheduled game from when Achieve Charter was sick.

The girls' game on February 12 will be the last HOME game of the season for both teams. Let's finish the season strong! Go Chico Oaks!

Plan Ahead!

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

MAP Testing Starts	Jan. 29
School board meeting	Feb. 8
MAP Testing Ends	Feb. 9
ASB 5th-8th Lock-In	Feb. 10 - 11
Spirit Day	Feb. 14
Presidents Day – No School	Feb. 19
Open House – Attendance Day	Feb. 25
Spring Picture Day	Mar. 7
Begin Daylight Savings	Mar. 10
Lego Tournament	Mar. 10
7 th /8 th Grades Outdoor Ed.	Mar. 11-14
School Board Meeting	Mar. 14
Spirit Day	Mar. 15
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
Mall Art Display	Apr. 8-29
Parent-Teacher Conf. (Optional)	Apr. 11
Noon Dismissal	
School Board Meeting	Apr. 11
Administrative Assistant Day	Apr. 24
Education Sabbath	Apr. 27
MAP Testing Begins	Apr. 29
5th/6th Grades Outdoor Ed.	May 6 - 9
School Board Meeting	May 9
Teacher Appreciation Week	May 6-10
MAP Testing Ends	May 10
Skip-up Day	May 17
Spirit Day	May 17
Spring Concert, Dinner & Auction	May 18
Memorial Day - No School	May 27

New
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Correct Dates

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Homework & Class Information---

Music

Ms. May - Grades 1st - 4th
February 5 - February 9

Beginning Music and Motion: 1st and 2nd Grade

We will continue to learn and practice a variety of cross-body motions this week. They will also be singing and memorizing songs that will help them with identifying music notes. Right now we have two that we alternate between, both about EGBDF, the names of the lines on the treble clef staff.

Ukulele 1 (Beginners): 3rd and 4th grade

We are continuing our fingerpicking and arpeggio practice with Wiegenlied, and preparing to duet by counting through and working on the melody.

This class has some students whose siblings have been learning Higher than the Sky in the 1st/2nd grade class, and they have expressed interest in learning to play it on the ukulele. We may start working on chords for this song if we have time this week.

Ukulele 2 (Intermediate): 4th grade

We will work through our transposition homework this week, and look at the different voicings that are created by changing keys on the ukulele.

We are practicing a new fingerpicking pattern, and strengthening the forefinger muscles in our left hand in order to be better able to make bar chords. This will determine the song choices available to us for the spring concert.

Mr. Hearn – Band February 5 - February 9

Hello 5-8 graders in band!

Here are the songs/exercises to work on this week at home:

Beginner Band

Review: #31, #33, & #35 (p. 10)

Learn: #36 & #37 (p. 11); #42 (p. 12); #44 (p. 13)

Intermediate Band

Review: #41 & #43 (p. 10)

Learn: #50 (p. 11); #58 (p. 13)

#54 (p. 12) is ONLY for Trumpets, Trombones, and Flutes

Advanced Band

Please practice measures 52-end for the piece "Afterburn." and "Leaning On the Everlasting"

You all are working so hard, and it's showing during rehearsal. Keep up the good work!

Mrs. Moon – TK/Kindergarten February 5 - February 9

Bible Story: "Working Together" Exodus 2-5.
Bible Verse: "Offer each other a helping hand." Galatians 6:2

Phonics: I have been doing assessments with students and I will finish them this week. TK is working on letters and beginning sounds. Kindergarten is working on reading CVC words.

Math: We will be enjoying some number activities using candy hearts. Kindergarten will also continue addition.

Theme: This quarter we are learning about our emotions and the emotions of others. We are reading a book on how we should act when we feel angry. Each day we are talking about a different emotion.

Valentine's Party: I love Valentine's Day and we will have a special party on February 14. Each student will bring a Valentine for their classmates.

Show and Tell: Rhys, Jenna, Finnley

Ms. VanHook – Grades 1 & 2 February 5 - February 9

We had such a fun 100th Day of School celebration on Friday. Thank you all for helping your child with their creation using 100 things. We have such a creative class!

VIP: Jackson C. is our VIP this week. We are so blessed to have him as part of our class.

MAP Testing: We will be doing MAP testing Monday-Thursday this week. Not every child will do MAP testing every day but please make sure your child gets plenty of rest and has a good breakfast on each of these days.

Valentine's Day: Your child may bring Valentines to school on Wednesday, February 14. I just ask that if they decide to bring any Valentines they must bring one for everyone in the class. Here is a list of everyone's name if they would like to personalize them.

Student Names: Brooklyn B., Jackson C., Javi, Lily C., Brooklyn E. (Brookie), Grayson, Dayanara, Jake, Lily G., Estefania, Ben, Finn, Asher, Tobias, Lucia, Chandi, Ava, Jackson N., Maddox, Makana, Kaia, Harvey, Hannah

Bible: Please have your child memorize the following verse. There will be a test this Friday.
Treasure Verse: "A friend is always loyal."
Proverbs 17:17

Math 1: Addition and Subtraction Facts

Math 2: This week we are focusing on "regrouping" which is the same as borrowing and carrying.

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

1st grade: may, day, away, play, made, make, take, grade, pray, came

2nd grade: air, bear, eye, fine, fire, like, line, their, where, write, beside, care, while

Reading: For reading this week please have your child read every evening for 20 minutes and fill out their reading log. 1st graders must be reading and not just listening at least 10 of the minutes for it to count. Also, they should read two books in their level up section of RAZ Kids sometime during the week as well as recording one of the books.

Science: Weather and Seasons. We will be working on our projects for the science fair in small groups during class time. If your child would like to work on a separate project on their own at home like the 3rd-8th graders do, they are welcome to do that. Just let me know and I will send information about it home for you. This, at home project, is not required for 1st and 2nd grade but it can be a fun option to challenge them.

Mrs. Miceli – Grades 3 & 4
February 5 - February 9

Memory Verse: "You gave me life and showed me your unfailing love. My life was preserved by your care." Job 10:12

Spelling: Tests on Friday. No Spelling Sentences due this week.

Level C: February, marry, honey, meal, heavy, field, twenty, leave, busy, creek, team, angry, carry, mean, deep

Level D: carpet, farther, spark, cart, harsh, hardly, harm, starve, barber, carnival, farmer, garden, barnyard, scarf, yarn, marbles, cardboard, garbage

Level E: haiku, biceps, coyote, migrant, crisis, device, entice, iceberg, fiery, aisle, eyeing, compile, crime, climate, dining, combine, decline, pride, aspire, imply

Reading Homework: Grades 3 & 4 - A minimum of 2 Reading A-Z books (with quizzes). Grade 4 Literature Group: Read Chapters 10 and 11 in A Family Apart.

Science Fair Project Form is due on Wednesday, February. Project boards will be given out that day.

Valentine's Day: Your child may bring Valentines to school on February 14th. We have 20 students.

Upcoming Events:

Field Trip to Bidwell Mansion on Tuesday, February 13th. No cost. Leaving school at 9:10.

Science Fair/Open House - Sunday, February 25th at 3:30

California State Railroad Museum in Sacramento - Tuesday, April 9th. We will be leaving school at 8:15 and return by 3:00. No cost for school groups.

Mr. Raj – Grades 5 & 6
February 5 - February 9

As we continue working through MAP testing, some subjects may have less work to provide time to MAP test.

Science. This week we will focus on learning how to organize data when conducting experiments and how to outline what project students are doing as well as how a materials and procedures list should look like.

Bible: As we continue studying Jesus' life on earth through the gospel books and watching parts of 'The Chosen' part of what will be graded are small quizzes that are open notes and/or open Bible quizzes.

*Memory Verse: They all ate as much as they wanted, and afterward, the disciples picked up twelve baskets of leftover bread and fish.
Mark 6:42,43*

Red Math Workbook (5th): 6.3 - 6.6

Green Math Textbook: Chapter 5.1 and 5.2

History: We've begun our history simulation. The game play is reflective of content from the book. In class there will be some activities to help our learning of the exploration of the America's or assess students' understanding.

Language Arts: Having started working on research papers, in-class time is being provided to work on this.

Handwriting: L 22 handwriting.

Vocab: *Vocab Unit 18 this week. Though we 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*

on their Science Fair Project, significant time will be spent in ELA supporting the writing portions of their report. Scientific writing is different from fictional writing and it is a great skill to learn.

Literature: Students are in literature groups and have the assignment for week 1 due on Wednesday. The books are: *Unlikeliest Hero, Hatchet, Streams to the River River to the Sea, The Case of the Monkeys that Fell from the Tree.*

Mrs. Lauderdale – Grades 7 & 8

Mr. Linhares

February 5 - February 9

Character Trait Corner – We are reviewing our *feeling* cards. Sometimes it may be hard to share how we are feeling, but it really is helpful to ourselves and our classmates to be honest with a safe person. Hopefully this classroom becomes a safe place for our students.

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 Grit

Math 7: 6.1-6.3

Math 8: 6.3-6.4, Chapter Review

ELA: Lesson 19, Pretest Monday, Sentences Wednesday, Test Friday. As students are working