

January 18, 2023

Chico Oaks
Adventist School



News Notes

Prayer Kids



Wednesday

Ella H. & Audrey H.

Thursday

Joshua J. & Audalie M.

Friday

Caroline M. & Logan S.

This and That

Good Morning,

Today is the start of the 3rd Quarter. Teachers will be turning in their grades at the end of the week and on Monday or Tuesday of next week you will be receiving an email with your child's report card.

Have a great week!

Blessings,

Mrs. Bartsch

~Project Share~

Offering for Yaretzy

The 3rd & 4th grade class collected \$20.50 for November & December.

Thank you for your support!

(January: 5th & 6th Grade)



Meet up with other Moms to pray!

Please stop by after drop off on Thursday mornings to connect with other moms by spending time together praying for our COAS kids, the staff, and families. We will start this Thursday, January 12, for a trial run from 8-8:30am.

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.



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

Wednesday, January 18

~Potato Chowder~

Home & School

Take some time to go cheer on our school's basketball teams at their games. If you go, wear some COAS paraphernalia to show your support! Remember each Friday is school spirit day, send your kid in their COAS shirt and/or sweater!



Our annual Open House is scheduled for Sunday, February 26, from 4:00 - 5:30pm. Please mark this date on your calendars as this is an attendance day.



Academy Day

All 8th graders are invited to Paradise Adventist Academy for Academy Day. January 27 from 9 to noon. Lunch & transportation will be provided.



March 5th - Silicon Valley Adventist Robotics Qualifying Tournament

Considering the time the tournament starts, the plan will be to drive the evening before with some fun activities and return to school the evening of the 5th.

As the date sneaks on us, we are asking that students stay extra time on Friday's to continue working and preparing. This week, we are asking that students stay till 1pm, an extra hour. Please bring a snack.



The second round of MAP testing is scheduled for January 30 through February 10. 1st through 8th graders will participate in the testing process. Please have your students well rested and well fed during testing weeks. Thank you.



Is scheduled for Thursday, February 2. See attached flyer for more details.



Good morning, everyone! John & I are gone this week for our oldest son, Jenner's, Senior Class Trip in Hawaii. Thank you to all those who are filling in to make sure the games happen today!

Here is what is happening this week:

Boys:

Wednesday (TODAY)—Game vs. Vina Elementary @ 5:00 (HOME).

Coach Del will text us re: the next time we will hold practice.

Girls:

Wednesday (TODAY)—Game vs. Vina Elementary @ 4:00 (HOME).

Sunday - Practice 2:00-3:30. (Coach Dan will be out of town, but we have other people helping to run practice.)

Basketball - Continued

For today's game, please encourage your players to continue to be courteous & kind. The last time we played Vina it was a little rough, partly due to only having ONE official & lots of fouls happening without being called. Let's reset the slate & try again! Chico Oaks will continue to demonstrate good sportsmanship no matter the circumstances. Thank you! Aloha!

Plan Ahead!

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

PAA Academy Day - Jan. 27

Kindergarten Roundup - Feb. 2

School Board Meeting - Feb. 9

MAP Testing - Jan. 30 - Feb. 10

School Spirit Day - Feb. 14

Presidents Day – No School - Feb. 20

Open House/Language Arts Fair - Attendance Day - Feb. 26

Spring Picture Day - Mar. 2

School Board Meeting - Mar. 9

Movie Night - COAS hosts PAA/PAE—Mar. 11

Begin Daylight Savings Time - Mar. 12

Week of Prayer - Mar.13-17

End of 3rd Period - (48 days) - Mar. 24

Spring Break - No School - Mar. 27-31

Teacher In-Service - No School - Apr. 3

Professional Enrichment Day - No School - Apr. 4

School Resumes - Apr. 5

Parent-Teacher Conferences (Optional) -Noon

Dismissal - Apr. 13

Education Sabbath - Apr. 22

5th/6th Outdoor Ed - Apr. 24-27

Administrative Assistant Appreciation Day - Apr. 26

Teacher Appreciation Week - May 1-5

Homework & Class Information---

Music

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Ms. May - Grades 3 & 4

Beginning students are continuing to review their C scale. If you are able to go over it with them, that would be very helpful, as the few who are having the most trouble have not been practicing regularly. Your involvement will let them know that you expect them to do the work.

They are also continuing to work on their arpeggiated chords for Wiegenlied, and should be doing hammer-on and pull-off drills. A couple of future rock legends are already doing very well in this regard ;)

Intermediate students have been doing a great job with both parts on Wiegenlied, and will be starting the F Scale in second position this week. Since this was a short week, with only one day of ukulele, it may prove frustrating initially. They will have a chart to remind them of their finger positions, and should not hesitate to use it to find the new position of each note.

I am still looking for fun, positive song suggestions, so feel free to email me and/or have your children let me know during the homework portion of class.

Mr. Eli Rolfe - Band

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Happy 2023! The students did such a good job on their Christmas concert. It's time to move on from Christmas music and start preparing for the spring concert. I've selected a little bit harder music for the advanced band, so it will be essential that the students practice. I'm looking forward to this semester.

Mrs. Moon – Kindergarten

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Bible Story: "Through the Sea" Exodus 13:21-22; 15:1-5. **Bible Verse:** "Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good; celebrate his wonderful name." Psalm 135:3

Math: We are finishing Unit 7 and will enjoy playing some math games.

Mrs. Moon - Continued

Reading: We will continue learning digraphs and sounding out short vowel words.

Writing: Each day we work on our January writing journal. The students are doing a great job.

Theme: We are starting our learning on penguins. Last week, each student brought home a paper about a specific penguin to research and give a report in class on January 27.

Field Trip: Savor Ice Cream is willing to host us for a field trip. February 17, at 10:00. We also have a tentative date of March 9, at 10:00 for a play time at the Chico Children's Museum.

Show and Tell: Ava, Jake, Hannah, Brooklyn, Toby, Emmy

Mrs. Miceli - Grades 1 & 2
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Due to the short week, there are **no Memory Verse or Spelling Tests** this week.

Math Homework: Usually once a week (mostly Mondays), I will send home math homework that reinforces the concepts we are working on at school. Please have your child return the homework the next day for full credit.

The **100th Day of School** is fast approaching, coming up on January 31st. Please have your child count out 100 items to bring to school that day. Some ideas could be pennies, marbles, Legos, blocks, etc. They must fit in a small or large baggie.

Our **Open House/Language Arts Fair** will be coming up on Sunday, February 26th. This is an attendance day. Your child will be participating in a project to present. More details to follow soon.

Mrs. Bartsch - Grades 3 & 4
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Memory Verse - *"May you always be filled with the fruit of your salvation - the righteous character produced in your life by Jesus Christ - for this will bring much glory and praise to God."* Philippians 1:11 (NLT)

Mrs. Bartsch - Continued

Spelling - No Spelling this week

Yellow Book - Chapter 4 - Lessons 4.6 and 4.7

Orange Book - Chapter 4 - Lessons 4.4 and 4.5

Science - This week we are going over Lesson 3 - *What Is Your Immune System?* We will be having a test on January 26, which will cover all of Chapter 4.

Social Studies (Mr. Selby) - We are done with the missions section of our curriculum. All of the students did a fabulous job on their projects. With that said, I am also sure that some of the other teachers would like to use some of the space in the library before too long. So please make sure that you pick your child's mission up from the library this week.

Handwriting - Lesson 6 (3rd), Lesson 19 (4th)

AR - AR goals will be reset by Friday. On Wednesday I am going to have them take the STAR Reading test again to see how much their reading levels have improved. After they have completed the test I will set new goals based on their new reading levels.

Mr. Raj – Grades 5 & 6
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Important date to keep in mind: Leoni Meadows Outdoor Ed. May 1-4th There will be more information coming your way separately regarding fundraising.

Science: Continuing our lessons on rockets. We will begin rocket building soon.

Bible: Parables will be focused on this week and writing their own to support understanding of parables.

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

Green Math Textbook: We'll begin chapter 5.

Red Math Workbook: Chapter 5 Lesson 6

ELA: We have started a new book, Crispin, The Cross of Lead. It is set during the 1300s in England and is a great combination of History

Mr. Raj - Continued

and faith. Students will have some activities to support the reading. A new vocabulary unit starts next week. All ELA papers will be on Google Classroom for the week they are assigned. This is the first place to go to get copies of missing assignments.

AR: We are re-taking the STAR reading assessment this week. New reading goals will be set from the new test.

Social Studies: Thursday - Ch 6 Lesson 1 (part 2) guided notes

Mrs. Lauderdale – Grades 7 & 8

Mr. Selby

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Google Classroom/Parent Corner: There is a new Parent Corner on Google Classroom that reviews all the expectations and assignment policies for each subject. Please contact either of us with any questions or concerns. Starting this quarter, copies of assignments will be available on Google Classroom. If your student is missing an assignment and needs it reprinted, they should go there before asking the teacher.

Language Arts Fair/Open House: The Language Arts Fair/Open House is coming up February 26th. Students will be working on an African Fable which they will be presenting during that time. More details will be provided as we get closer to the date.

Laxson Auditorium Field Trip Tuesday

January 24: We will be going to Laxson Auditorium to watch Jazz at the Lincoln Center. We have 3 available driver/chaperone seats. If you would like to attend please make sure your volunteer clearance is up to date. We are still looking for 1-2 more parents to drive for this field trip. Please contact Mrs. Lauderdale for more information.

Bible: Continue through Gospel according to Matthew

MAP Testing: We will be doing MAP testing the week of January 30th. I will be sending out a sign up for snacks for the classroom. It really helps the students get through the testing if they know there are snacks and treats to keep them going. As a reminder, we use the results from these MAP tests to help guide our planning and instruction for the quarter. It is important that your student does their best on the tests.

Mrs. Lauderdale & Mr. Selby - Continued

ELA: We are reading, *The Hiding Place* by Corrie Ten Boom. We will finish Chapter 1 and have an assignment to support the reading. While the topic of the Holocaust is difficult to discuss, the insight she brings to her role and how God directed her is inspiring.

Science: We will explore Chapter 9.3, and have time to work on Egg Launch.

History: Thursday Ch 19 quiz review. - Ch 20 Guided notes

Math:

Green Book – We'll begin chapter 5

Red Book - Wednesday - 5.4 Lesson

Thursday - 5.5 Try its

Friday - Mobi Math

Blue Book - Wednesday - 4.7 Try its

Thursday - 4.7 practice