

# THE GOOD NEWS

## VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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### Parent Teacher Fellowship

Hello VCA Families:

**\*Texas Roadhouse Dine to Donate Night, Tuesday, March 11 from 4pm-8pm! Take the night off from cooking and come enjoy fellowship and food.**

**\*FUN FRIDAYS ARE BACK! Volunteers are still needed for April 4th and April 25th. If you would like to help please contact Kari (951)315-4870.**

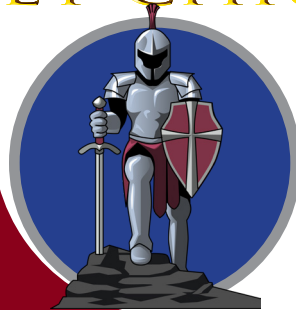
**\*Our next PTF meeting is March 13, 2025 at 3:30pm in the 4th grade classroom.**

**\*SCHOOL DANCE is MARCH 22! Flyers were sent home with an attached signed agreement. Please return before March 21. Donations for water bottles, juices and sodas would be a blessing. Please just leave them in foyer bench.**

**\*Dine to Donate at BJ's Thursday, April 17th from 4-8 PM.**

Blessings,

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5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; 6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths.

—Proverbs 3:5-6

### Wednesday Stop & Shop - Middle School Fundraiser:

Proceeds from this fundraiser are going to the Middle School end-of-year field trips. We will be offering snacks, waters, & even some school supplies for prices ranging from \$1-\$3. Store hours are 9:45am-1:00pm.

### Yearbook Advertisements

Spots are available to celebrate your child or advertise your business in the VCA yearbook. Order forms and examples are available in the school office. The cost is: full page \$250, half page \$125, quarter page \$65, eighth page \$40 the due date has been extended to March 14th.

### Moms In Prayer

We are looking for moms that are interested in being part of Moms in Prayer. If you would like more information please talk to Mrs. Peacock

### 5th Grade Pizza, Nacho, and Hot Dog Sale this Thursday, March 13th!

This Thursday is our P-N-H Sale! Please sign up via online to pre-order; cash orders are accepted! Visit the following link <https://valleychristianacademy.futurefund.com/store> to place your order!

### Congratulations Students of the Week

Pre-K Victoria Vitulli  
Kinder Ezekiel Quevedo  
First Mateo Bryson  
Second Bellisse Umali  
Third Violet Vasquez  
Fourth Jillian Tapia  
Fifth Anthony Cruz  
Sixth Rachel Rojas  
7th Lucas Melendez

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
03/10/2025	03/11/2025 Texas Roadhouse Dine & Donate from 4-8 PM	03/12/2025	03/13/2025 PTF Meeting @ 3:30 PM	03/14/2025
03/17/2025	03/18/2025 Pre-K & K5 Trike-a-thon for St. Jude's Children's Hospital	03/19/2025 Pre-K & K5 Trike-a-thon for St. Jude's Children's Hospital	03/20/2025	03/21/2025
03/24/2025	03/25/2025	03/26/2025 Spirit Day - Crazy Hair/Hat Day	03/27/2025	03/28/2025 End of 3rd Quarter Minimum Day
03/31/2025 Standardized Testing Grades 1 - 8	04/01/2025 Standardized Testing Grades 1 - 8	04/02/2025 Standardized Testing Grades 1 - 8	04/03/2025 Standardized Testing Grades 1 - 8	04/04/2025 Standardized Testing Grades 1 - 8
04/07/2025	04/08/2025	04/09/2025	04/10/2025	04/11/2025

# FROM THE TEACHERS:

## Pre-K

Hello parents and grandparents! I hope you didn't get washed away by the rain! How beautiful the snow capped mountains are! God is so good! What gorgeous pictures he paints for us! We have the Trike-a-Thon coming up! March 18th and 19th! They must wear helmets to participate. They may bring their own tricycle from home (or bicycle), and if you'd like to come help we'd certainly love it! We will do it at 10:00 a.m.

## Kindergarten -

Hello Kindergarten Families!

Our Trike-a-thon will be held on Wednesday, March 19th. We have not received many permission slips, please remember that your child will not be able to participate in this event if we do not have that slip returned. The Spring Dance will be held on March 22, there is also a permission slip that needs to be returned. Lastly, our class is running low on wipes and water bottles. If you are able to donate it will be greatly appreciated. Hope you all have a blessed week!

## First Grade -

In Bible this week in first grade we will be learning about Mary, Martha, and Lazarus, Jesus' special friends. Martha felt serving was important and Mary felt listening to Jesus was meaningful. We will also learn about Lazarus and how Jesus raised him from the dead, and Mary's gift of perfume. In language we are continuing to learn about A-B-C order, rhyming words, and syllables. In math we are finishing shape attributes and beginning hundreds, tens, and ones; three digit numbers. In science we continue our study of animals focusing on the robin's life cycle. Animal reports are not due at the end of March, but on May 27.

## Second Grade -

Thank you to everyone who was able to come to Open House! As we are getting closer to Easter we are now switching from the old testament to the new testament. This week we are learning how Jesus is merciful. We will have our 4th science test this week and we are finishing our reader, "Growing Up in Early America". Have a blessed week everyone!

### BIBLE VERSES

Pre-K Luke 19:10

Kindergarten John 10:27

First 1 John 1:9

Second Micah 6:8

Third Acts 4:31

Fourth Matthew 6:6

Fifth 1 Peter 3:8

Sixth 2 Timothy 4:7-8a

Seventh & Eighth Romans 12:1-2

## Third Grade -

Thanks to everyone who participated in our science fair or came to our open house last week. I was so blessed by all your effort! This week on Tuesday, we have a math test, and our PTF Texas Roadhouse fundraiser in the evening from 4 to 8 PM. On Wednesday, we have a language quiz over contractions and a science test over chapter 5. Thursday is our PTF meeting after school at 3:30 PM. On Friday our class will be reciting their poem, "My Shadow" in chapel if you would like to attend. Remember to continue reading and taking notes for your next book report on "Secret of the Maple Tree."

## Fourth Grade -

The students did such a great job presenting their Science Fair projects! It was great seeing so many of you at Open House last week. This week, we will be having a language test on Tuesday, and a science test on Wednesday. The students will have a new type of spelling homework this week. They will need to look all of their spelling words up in a dictionary or online. The assignment will require them to write out the part of speech, the definition, word endings, and use the word correctly in a sentence. We will start out slowly, they will do part of the words over 2-3 days. Our class is in need of notebook paper, if you would like to donate some.

## Fifth Grade -

Thank you to all the families who came to Open House and visited the 5th grade classroom. It was great to visit with each of you. Awesome job on your Science Fair projects as each of you worked hard and it showed. This week, we will have a math and language test. Please prepare by studying past activity pages. Any 5th grade families that would like to donate towards the pizza for our pizza fundraiser this Thursday, please see Mrs. J.

## Middle School -

I absolutely loved everyone's Science Fair projects! It was lovely to get to speak with so many of you at Open House last week as well. This week PTF is sponsoring a fundraiser with Texas Roadhouse on Tuesday from 4-8 pm, and I hope to see many of you there. Tests and due dates for the week are as follows: Monday: Fundamentals of Math Quiz 6A; Tuesday: 7th History Ch. 10 Test; Friday: 7th English Ch. 10 Test. Have a blessed week.

—Ms. Wong

The tests and due dates for the week are as follows:

Monday: 6 Byzantine Empire Test; Wednesday:

7 Lit Terms Test; Thursday: 7/8 ASL Test;

Friday: 7 Lit Unit Test. The 7th and 8th

grades should be finishing their assigned

books this week. Their respective book

reports are due on March 21. 7th and

8th are learning the song "Mission 3:16"

by Carman in ASL. Their test will be

on April 25. Please have them practice

daily. An extra credit opportunity will

also be available with this song on

April 25 at 6:45 pm at the Elementary

Spring Play "Nic at Night", where the

7th and 8th grade students will have

the opportunity to sign the song

before the play. Please let me know if

your child will be able to attend.

—Miss Michelle

