



Warrior Newsletter

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Dates of Interest:

- 1/23: Homecoming Banquet, grades 9 - 12
- 1/29: End of 2nd quarter
- 2/1: No school, work day
- 2/4: World Seen Day, grades 9 - 12
- 2/5-2/6: Prayer Vigil
- 2/15: No school, holiday
- 2/17: Immunization exclusion day
- 2/19: Family movie night for grades K - 12 @ 7:00 pm in the gym

Immunizations:

Please provide the office with documentation if your child has had any immunizations since last year.

Do you have questions about what they need? Check out <http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ph/imm/school/index.shtml>

Wednesday, February 17th is exclusion day. Students lacking required immunizations will be excluded from school per Oregon law.

If you have any questions regarding your child's status, please call Carrie @ 503-393-5236.

We are delighted to announce that Mrs. Lisa Sanders and Mrs. Amber Garvey have joined the WVCS staff family. Mrs. Sanders has already proven to be a wonderful addition to our childcare center!

Mrs. Garvey has jumped right in to assist in the office. She has already proven to be a great blessing. If you have not yet had the chance to meet Mrs. Garvey, please stop by the office and do so.

What a blessing to see the ways that God has provided and answered prayers through these wonderful women.

We are very sad that it is also necessary to let you know that Mr. John Oglesby has resigned. The commute from Springfield, along with his wife's chronic health conditions have made continuing on at WVCS unfeasible. We have enjoyed having Mr. Oglesby on staff and will miss him greatly. We wish John and Cheryl all the best.

A Note To Parents of 7th-12th Grade Students:

This year we will again be submitting a basket for the auction, with funds donated by the students from the junior high and senior high classes. The theme of the basket will be determined in the very near future. The suggested donation is \$10.00 per student or \$15.00 per family. Your donations may be given to the office or to Mrs. Reichelt and are due by February 13th. Thank you for your continuing support of WVCS. If you have any questions please contact Elaine Vanderbrook or Vonda Smith.

Prayers needed!

Please sign up for our upcoming 24 hour Prayer Vigil, February 5-6, beginning at noon on Friday the 5th and ending at noon on Saturday, the 6th. Our goal is to have 24 hours of non-stop prayer on behalf of the school and our families.

Prayer warriors may commit to as small a slot as they wish or as large. The library will be our "official" prayer station, but for those who prefer to pray from other locations, no problem. Please notify the office, by phone or email, of the time frame in which you will be praying. Prayer requests may be submitted to the office. They will be carefully screened, then published on cards in the library as well as available by email per your request to mchapen@willamettevalleychristianschool.org. We are excited to see what God will do in response to our prayers.

Need Friends of the School hours?

Mrs. Gallagher is looking for someone to repair costumes that have been used over the years and are now starting to show wear. If you are handy with a sewing machine and would like to help, please contact Mrs. Gallagher at the school.

Parents are also needed to assist with the high school's production of Little Women, which will be performed on April 9th and 10th. Parental help is specifically needed in the areas of costuming, stage design, furnishings and props. In addition, a dessert coordinator would be greatly appreciated for both evening performances. Please call Mrs. Gallagher if you are interested in helping.

As faculty and staff we wish to extend our thanks, yet again, to all the wonderful families we have at WVCS. In ways big and small you each continue to bless us.

As always, the generosity of our families continues to amaze us. Thank you for being the hands of God and for joining us in our work of caring for your children.

Urgent need... During the very windy weather of the last couple weeks, a significant number of shingles blew off the roof on the north side of the main building. We have a company who is willing to help us complete the work. Several have made mention they would like to contribute to the financing of this urgent need and have suggested that others might be interested. We are grateful, as always, to our WVCS family who gather round when needs arise. If you are able to assist, contributions may be given to the office designated "roof fund." Your current donations have brought us 1/4 of the way to our goal.

THANK YOU!!

Movie night... Coming soon... Mrs. Ferguson is planning a Washington DC family movie night fundraiser. Movie to be shown will be announced soon. Tickets will be presold for \$2 and concessions will be available. Save the date... February 19th @ 7:00 pm.

A HUGE thank you to all who have donated concessions for athletics! It has been such a blessing to us.

For anyone who is interested, Friends of the School Hours are still available for donations to concessions. Contributors may receive one hour FOS credit, for every \$5.00 in donations. Receipts must accompany the item and both may be turned in to the school office. Tax donation credit may be received instead of FOS credit, if you prefer.

The following types of food items are needed for concessions.

- Pop: 12 ounce cans – Pepsi products only
- Water – 16.9 ounces
- Candy bars – any kind, regular size
- Pepperoni sticks

Auction update:

- * Callers are needed to start right away to follow up on donation requests .
- * Please visit the auction portion of the WVCS website for current and helpful information.
- * Additionally, please review the attached auction information and contact Karen Neill (skipnkaren@msn.com) or Becky Parks (beckyparks@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

Great news!

Governor
Kulongoski
proclaimed
February 4,
2010 as Private
Schools Appreciation Day.

Let's celebrate!