



# Warrior Newsletter

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## Dates of Interest:

- 5/18: Board meeting 6:00 p.m.
- 5/18: Track pictures 3:15 p.m.
- 5/20: 12th grade Marion Co. Court-house visit
- 5/21: Elementary track meet
- 5/27: MS track districts
- 5/28: No School
- 5/28: Graduation practice 9:00 a.m.
- 5/28: High School graduation 7:00 p.m.
- 6/1: Kindergarten graduation 7:00 p.m.
- 6/1-6/2: 1st grade Dad's Day

## Host Families needed

for the 2010-2011 school year to house International Students. Stipend available. If interested, contact Mandi Chapen at [mchapen@willamettevalleychristianschool.org](mailto:mchapen@willamettevalleychristianschool.org)

## FIREWORKS SALE Assistance Needed



Our fireworks tent has been secured, and we are in need of much help for this important summer fundraiser. Our sale will begin June 27 and run through midnight on July 4 at Westgate Assembly of God. **We are in need of a coordinator** to head up this event, many people to sell the fireworks, and night security personnel. Please contact Amber Garvey in the office if you are available to assist. Thanks everyone, for your support of this event.

## Retirement Open House for

### Arlyce Peterson

Mrs. Peterson will be ending a 32 year career at Willamette Valley Christian School at the end of this school year. We will be honoring her faithful years of excellent service to the families and students of WVCS. Please plan to attend. Open house will be June 2 from 3:30 - 5:00 in the gym.

It's HERE! You have requested it and we are ready! You may now use your debit/credit card in the office. Visa/MC/AE payments are now accepted in the office.

## REVISED CALENDAR

No School—HS Graduation	May 28
No School	May 31
Last day of school (full day)	June 2
No School—Work Days	June 3/4

## Candy Needed for Iris Festival Parade

PACT is in need of individually wrapped small candies for the Iris Festival Parade. FOS hours are available for donations. Candies may be turned in to the office or placed in the big orange plastic bin in the teacher workroom. Thanks for your support!

Thank you to all who have worked diligently to bring your financial accounts current. As explained at our last parent meeting, we cannot pay our bills, including faculty/staff payroll, if we do not receive payment from our families. We are dependent on tuition income to meet our financial obligations. It is of utmost importance that all tuition and childcare payments are brought current. If you are struggling to meet your obligation, please contact the finance office. We value our wonderful families and desire to work with you to resolve outstanding accounts.



Re-enrollment is now open. You may download forms from the website, pick them up in the office, or request them to be sent to your address.



We are excited about the coming year! Please remember that if you recommend a family who enrolls in the school, you will receive **\$200.00 off tuition**. In order to receive credit, a referral form must be completed and turned in to the finance office. You may pick up a referral form in the main office.

We sincerely apologize for an error that was printed in the last newsletter. Last Friday's Warrior Newsletter contained information that needs to be clarified. Canyonview Camp is NOT having a fund-raiser to assist Dale Price, who is battling cancer. The Golf Marathon is to benefit the ongoing ministry of Canyonview Camp.

### Summer Student Workshops and Seminars



Planning is underway for a number of fun summer elementary classes.

Flyers will be out shortly. Watch for info.

### Dear WVCS Parents,

Our wonderful teachers enjoyed a great week of "Teacher Appreciation" sponsored by PACT last week. PACT willingly and graciously took on the responsibility again this year, as has been the case in the past. Each day the faculty and staff were showered with blessings. The lunch provided, the breakfast made by Moms in Touch, and the other surprise treats provided throughout the week were of great encouragement. Thanks to this generous parent group for serving the school and our teachers in this way.

An invitation has been extended to all of our parents to also "appreciate" our dedicated teachers and staff. With that in mind, Monday, May 17, (or any day next week) has been designated as the time to bless your teacher.

In the past, specific days have been designated for specific blessings: flowers or plants, favorite Bible verses, notes from students, or small supplies for the classroom. Please consider what might be meaningful for your family to share with your child's teacher. On Monday, the 17<sup>th</sup>, send that special gift to the teacher. Our teachers will be truly blessed by your kindness.

If you have questions, please call Marie Campbell at 503-390-0842.

### Middle School Kick-Off

Planning is underway! Our next meeting for parents of students currently in grades 5-6-7 will be in August. We are planning a family barbecue and kick-off. Watch for info. If you have questions or concerns, in the mean time, please talk with one of the principals or teachers.

### June Yardsale

We are planning a June yard sale so please save items. This year we would like to move our sale "to town" and are looking for a place that would be adequate for the volume of merchandise we typically have and would also be in a high traffic area. If you know of any appropriate place that might be available, please call the office. 503-393-5236. We are also looking for many helping hands.

### Elementary Track Invitational

The Santiam Christian Elementary Track Invitational will be May 21, at Linn - Benton College in Albany. Our entire elementary, with the exception of kindergarten, will be attending this full day event. Many parents will be needed that day, so please mark your calendars.

A very big and heartfelt **THANK YOU** from the faculty/staff to PACT and those who assisted with the Teacher Appreciation activities. We looked forward to each day's "surprise" with great anticipation and enjoyed every single offering. We are much appreciative!