BUENA VISTA
SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST SCHOOL

Thursday Thoughts

WE TREASURE EACH CHILD AS A GIFT FROM GOD

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OCTOBER 26, 2023

CALENDAR

- Oct. 30—1st
 Grade Field Trip
- Nov. I & 2—
 NOON DISMIS-SAL, Parent!

 Teacher Conferences
- Nov. 3—OCC Shoebox Turn-in
- Nov. 3—8th Grade Dedication, 7pm, AAA Church
- Nov. 4—AAA Movie Night, RSVP needed
- Nov. I I—AAA Fall
 Festival, 7pm
- Nov. 13-16—Week of Prayer
- Nov. 17—NOON
 DISMISSAL
- Nov. 20-24— Thanksgiving Break



fb.com/bvsdaschool, for additional BV info and bictures.

Menu October 30 - November 3

Oct. 30 Mac & cheese, Green peas, Salad Oct. 31
Potato casserole,
Salad,
Carrots,
Cookie

Nov. I NOON DISMISSAL No hot lunch Nov. 2 NOON DISMISSAL No hot lunch Nov. 3 Hotdogs, Tater tots, Applesauce

Upcoming Conferences



Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, November 1st and 2nd. School will dismiss at noon on

Wednesday and Thursday. Appointments can be scheduled through the office until tomorrow, October 27th. Appointments made after tomorrow must be scheduled with the teacher directly. Please schedule your appointment right away to ensure a time that works for you.

Due to the noon dismissal, there will be **no hot lunch** served on November 1st &

2nd; however, pizza will be sold by

Home & School as a fundraiser. The

cost is \$2 per slice, and payment is

due each morning in the classroom.

After School Care will begin at 12:20pm on both days. There is no lunch served at After School Care, so please make arrangements accordingly.

Thank You Families!

Buena Vista wants to extend a huge THANK YOU to everyone who supported us during our Fun Fair last Sunday. We are excited to report that \$7,494.92 was raised for our classrooms and school! Whether you donated money or food, or you volunteered to help decorate, organize, cook, serve, and/or clean up, we greatly appreciate everyone's participation.



In addition, the total raised during our fall fundraiser last month was \$5,074.60. That money will be a huge help as we raise funds to replace the flooring in the school.

Thank you for your support of our school!

Operation Christmas Child

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to needy children around the world. Buena Vista will kick off this year's OCC donation



drive in chapel tomorrow. You can participate by packing a shoebox with gifts for a girl or boy, and include \$10 for shipping. Shoeboxes are available to pick up in the office (one box per student to start), but shoeboxes from home are also accepted. Please visit http://www.samaritanspurse.org/index.php/OCC/ for more information on how to pack a shoebox and other information about Operation Christmas Child. An instruction envelope will be sent home tomorrow. Bring your packed shoeboxes and donations to chapel on November 3rd.

8th Grade Dedication

On Friday, November 3rd, Buena
Vista will dedicate the class of
2024. The ceremony begins at
7:00pm at Auburn Adventist Academy Church.
Everyone is invited to attend and support the class.
For those who cannot make it, the service will also be live-streamed on the Auburn Adventist Academy Church YouTube site.

J2B Cider & Cookies

Journey to Bethlehem is currently collecting donations of cider to be served to guests at the end of their J2B journey. If you are able to donate cider, please bring donations to the AAA Church office or BV office. Cookie donations will begin closer to the start of the event. Watch for more information here.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a huge crowd of witnesses to the life of faith, let us strip off every weight that slows us down, especially the sin that so easily trips us up. And let us run with endurance the race God has set before us.

Hebrews 12:1



Sports News



Planning is underway for this year's BV basketball teams. Watch the newsletter for updated information regarding the season and tryouts.

For those interested in flag football, BV has a middle school team through Auburn Park & Recreation. This co-ed team will be coached by Brandon Eckblad. For more information, or to sign up, contact Auburn Park & Recreation at 253-931-3043

Carpool Help Needed

A Buena Vista family from Sumner needs help taking two children home every Friday. One child attends

AAA and finishes school at 2:00pm. The drop-off location is downtown Sumner. If you are interested and able to help, please contact the office. Thank you.

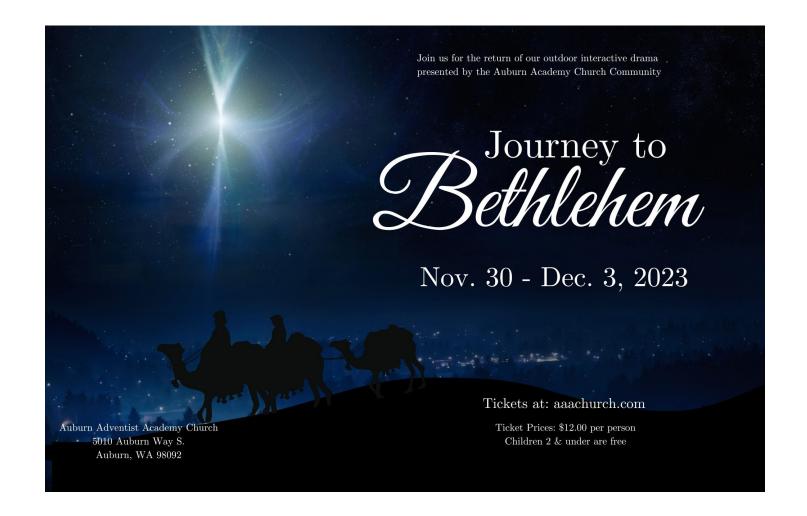
Morning Drop Off



In an effort to keep morning drop-off running smoothly and safely, we ask that you please be sure to do the following:

- Have children exit vehicles from the drop-off lane or a parking stall. Please do not stop in the road or the entryway of the parking lot to have children unload. This blocks traffic and can be dangerous.
- Stay with your vehicle at all times if you are in the drop-off lane. If you need to come into the school, please find a designated parking spot first.
- As a courtesy to our neighbors, please do not park in their yards or driveways. We do not want to damage their lawns or block them in.

Thank you for helping keep our students safe and tempers calm.



WHEN: NOVEMBER 4 @ 7 PM
WHERE: DOWER AUDITORIUM @ AAA

-FREE ADMISSION WITH CONCESSIONS FOR SALE-





PLEASE RSVP BY OCTOBER 31



AT THE CITY CHURCH

DIVINE SERVICE • 11A

Dr. David Lindsey, Professor of Biology Walla Walla University

PICNIC LUNCH • 12:30P

All Our Welcome!

AFTERNOON SEMINAR • 2PM

Dr. David Cowles, Professor of Biology Walla Walla University

AC KIDS AFTERNOON ACTIVITY • 2:30P

Reptile Man, Scott Peterson will showcase some super cool reptiles!

SABBATH EVENING ACTIVITY • 7PM

Gym Night at Auburn Adventist Academy Gym



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MR. SCOTT AND HIS REPTILE FRIENDS ARE ON THEIR WAY TO AUBURN CITY FOR CREATION SABBATH! YOU DON'TWANT TO MISS OUT! KIDS PROGRAM STARTS AT 2PM WITH REPTILE MAN STARTING AT 2:30PM SEE YOU THERE!