




Valley Oak Elementary School
Wildcat Weekly

Julie Duwe, Principal

Courtney Wicks, G.I.S.

Monday 12/17	Tuesday 12/18	Wednesday 12/19	Thursday 12/20	Friday 12/21
<p>Drama Auditions 4th- 6th Gr. 7:15am-8:15am Rm. 19 & 12:30pm During Lunch Rm. 19</p> 	<p>DI-SPCA Wish List Collection 7:55am-8:15am MPR</p> <p>Drama Auditions 4th- 6th Gr. 7:15am-8:15am Rm. 19 & 12:30pm During Lunch Rm. 19</p>	<p>DI-SPCA Wish List Collection 7:55am-8:15am MPR</p> <p>Early Release Times 1st - 6th 1:45pm KAM @ 11:05am KPM starts @ 11:00am</p>	<p>DI-SPCA Wish List Collection 7:55am-8:15am MPR</p> <p>Student Council 7:45am Rm. 9</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"></p> <p>“Pajama Day” In dress code. Slippers in class only, shoes for outside.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Holiday Class Parties</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;">School Starts Tuesday, January 8th!</p>
	<p>SPECTRUM 7:45am LMC</p>	<p>The Gathering @ 8:25am MPR Character Count Day Wear your shirts!! CC Recognition Grades 4 - 6</p>	<p>Wednesday/Friday Lunch Schedule (Due to Game Day) Grades 1 -3 @ 11:30am Grades 4 -6 @ 12:05pm</p>	
	<p>Pre-School Winter Program 8:30am-10:00am MPR</p>	<p>Science Fair Meeting 7:45am Rm. 18</p> <p>If you have any questions, come and get help.</p>	<p>Snack Bar</p>	
	<p>1st Grade Intervention 3:20-3:50pm Rm. 2 & 5</p>		<p>Study Table & Detention 3:15-4:15pm Primary Rm. 9 & Upper Rm. 19</p>	
	<p>Oral Interpretation 3:15-4:15pm Rm. 3</p>		<p>1st Grade Intervention 3:20-3:50pm Rm. 2 & 5</p>	
<p>Winter Sports Practice Basketball & Wrestling</p>	<p>Winter Sports Practice Basketball & Wrestling</p>	<p>All Cheer Practice Cheer @ 3:00-3:30pm MPR</p> <p>Competition Squad 3:00pm - 4:30pm</p>	<p>Home Game Day VO vs. Pinedale Basketball & Wrestling *A-Team Boys BB. @ 2:15pm *A-Teams Girls BB. @ 3:15pm B&C Teams @ approx. 2:30pm</p>	<p>No Sports Practice</p>
<p>Corn Dog Cheesy Pull Apart Bread w/Marinara Ketchup Mixed Vegetables Baby Carrots Apple Slices</p>	<p>Turkey Gravy Chicken Bites Soft Wheat Roll Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Mandarin Oranges Holiday Cookie</p>	<p>Cheese Filled Bread Sticks w/ Marinara Chicken Patty Sandwich Green Garden Salad Baby Carrots Apricot Fruit Cup</p>	<p>Ham & Cheese Melt on Bun Garlic Cheese French Bread Corn Steamed Broccoli Fresh Apple</p>	<p>Homestyle Chicken Strips Ketchup or BBQ sauce Quesadilla Chili Beans Fresh Salsa Strawberry Cup</p>
<p>Math Cats Rm. 1 Emery R. Everett J.</p> <p>Rm. 16 Mark B. Kaylee W. Austin G.</p> <p>Rm. 8 Alejandro I.</p>	<p>Quote of The Week</p> <p>“If you don’t know what is beautiful about yourself, you will not see all the beautiful things around you or the goodness in others. Find what’s beautiful about YOU.”</p>	<p>Upcoming</p> <p>12-24 – 1-04 Winter Break</p> <p>1-07 Staff Development Day- No School for Students</p> <p>1-08 Students return to school</p> <p>1-18 End of 2nd Quarter</p> <p>1-21 Martin Luther King Day- No School</p> <p>1-25 Mother Son Dance 6-8pm MPR</p> <p>2-01 2nd Quarter Academic & Athletic Awards Primary @ 1:15pm & Upper @ 2:15pm</p> <p>2-11 Lincoln’s Birthday- No School</p> <p>2-18 Washington’s Birthday-No School</p>		

Principals Message

Dear Wildcat Families,

We have been so fortunate to see the goodness in many things this holiday season. Mrs. Gregory's class, along with the other 6th grade classes, collected many goodies to share with one of our own Valley Oak parents, Mr. Conlan, who is currently deployed in Afghanistan. He along with his troop will be receiving these items soon. We appreciate the generosity of Mr. Louie Brosi, owner of the Fieldhouse restaurant, who supported us by paying the shipping cost of the items, which is very pricey. Our families have donated items for the blessing bags, coats for kids and canned food items that will be donated to those in need. This week we received a brand new bike that was built by students at Gateway High School as part of a grant they received. We would love to donate this bike to someone in need in our very own community. If you or someone you know from our community could use some extra cheer this season, please contact Mrs. Wicks or myself. We would love to have this wonderful donation given to someone in need this holiday season.

Julie Duwe
Principal



Check Writing Procedures

Please make checks payable to: "Clovis Unified School District", unless otherwise noted. Please do NOT write checks to CUSD. A few examples: School Field Trips, Read-A-Thon, Jog-A-Thon, Yearbook and Campus Catering. Several things will come home from the "Valley Oak Parent Club". Checks for the Valley Oak Parent Club should be made out to: "VOPC". This is a Bank Policy throughout Clovis Unified School District.

Lost and Found

Please check the Lost and Found weekly. All items not picked up by **Friday, December 21st will be donated to charity.** Please be sure to put your child's name on their belongings ~ lunch boxes, instruments, sports equipment, coats, sweaters, backpacks, etc. This is a great help if something gets lost, it sure helps us get the lost item back to its owner. Thank you!

Birthday Messages on the Marquee

Birthday messages are available for purchase to be presented on our marquee. Messages are \$25.00, payable by cash or check made out to "Valley Oak Parent Club." See Mrs. Valentino in the main office if you are interested in purchasing.

Clovis West Corner

The CW Varsity Pep & Cheer squads both took first place in the CIF Invitational Competition. Saturday. Folklorico and KPOP will perform at the PAC in a district sponsored performance called "Our World Through Dance". Friday, December 14, CW will host a Better Together event to celebrate Buchanan HS Senior, Aleeza Hasan. Clovis West looks forward to collaborating with BHS and to celebrate student success as part of #TheWestMovement and would like to extend an invitation to anyone interested in this event. Happy Holidays to all!

Clovis Recreation

2019 Spring Softball League 10 Games

Girls 4 to 18 yrs. When: March 11 – May 18, 2019.
Cost: \$140.00 (\$160.00 after March 4, 2019)

Divisions: Pre K-Kind (Mondays & Saturdays

1st/2nd (Tuesdays & Saturdays 3rd/4th (Wednesdays & Saturdays)

5th/6th (Thursdays & Saturdays) 7th/9th (Mondays & Saturdays)

2019 Spring Boys Baseball League 10 Games

Boys 4 – 8 yrs. When: March 11 – May 4, 2019

Cost: 6/7 yrs. \$120.00 & 8/12 yrs. \$120.00 (\$140.00 After March 4, 2019)

Divisions:

5U. (Mondays & Saturdays) 6U. (Tuesdays & Saturdays)

7U. (Wednesdays & Saturdays) 8U. (Thursdays & Saturdays)

2019 Spring T-Ball League 6 Games

Boys & Girls 3 to 5 yrs. Where: TBA

When: April 1-May 13, 2019.

Cost: Option 1: 1 day a week \$75.00 (\$95.00 after 3/25/19)

Option 2: 1 Night a week Plus Saturday Game \$95.00 (\$115.00 after 3/25/19)

Clovis Kickers Spring League 2019 Session 1 6 Practices/Games

Boys & Girls 3 to 6 yrs. Where: Community Day School

Cost: \$95.00. (Late FEE \$115.00 After February 25, 2019)

When: Saturdays - starting March 2 – April 6, 2019.

Divisions: 3U & 4Uyears

5U & 6U years

9:00am or 11:30am 10:15am or 12:45pm

2019 After School Golf Location TBA

Boys & Girls T-Kind – 6th. When: February 12- March 21, 2019.

Where: TBA

Cost: \$120.00 *Limited: 15 Students each location/time.*

2019 Rugby

Boys & Girls 6-12 Yrs. When: March 11 – April 29, 2019.

Where: Maple Creek 4:00pm-6:00pm. Cost: \$50.00

ALL registration is done online at www.clovisrec.com, please call

When to keep your child home

When should I keep my child home? If your child is ill, please keep them home from school. This will help keep our school a healthier place for everyone! As a parent, it's often difficult to determine whether your child should be kept home or sent to school. The following are some guidelines provided by our school nurse to help make the decision a little easier!

It's best to keep you child home if he or she:

- Has a fever of 100 degrees or higher. Please keep your child home until the fever has been gone for 24 hours and without the use of medication.
- Has vomited in the last 24 hours.
- Has excessive tiredness or lack of appetite due to illness.
- Has a productive cough, sneezing or congestion with a green runny nose.
- Has a headache, body aches or earache.
- Has a sore throat, particularly if accompanied by headache and/or upset stomach.

Reminder: All absences *must* be cleared with the front office.