

**BUENA VISTA
SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST SCHOOL**

Thursday Thoughts

WE TREASURE EACH CHILD AS A GIFT FROM GOD

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FEBRUARY 22, 2024

CALENDAR

- Feb. 25—Lego Robotics Tournament
- Feb. 27—7th Grade Field Trip to Gates Foundation
- Feb. 29—Kindergarten Round-up, 1:00pm
- Feb. 29—Talent Show Intent Forms Due
- Mar. 1—WA Conf. Arts Festival @AAA
- Mar. 4-8—Week of Prayer
- Mar. 6—Grades K & 1 Field Trip to Children's Museum
- Mar. 14—4th Grade Field Trip to the Zoo
- Mar. 15—TK Field Trip to Fire & Police Station
- Mar. 18-22—Spirit Week



Don't forget to "Like" us on Facebook,

fb.com/bvsdascbool, for additional BV info and pictures.

Menu February 26 - March 1

<u>Feb. 26</u> Mac & cheese, Salad, Broccoli	<u>Feb. 27</u> Baked potato, Cottage cheese, Pineapple, Banana cream pie	<u>Feb. 28</u> Pizza, Salad, Peaches	<u>Feb. 29</u> Garlic pasta, Green beans, Salad, Dinner roll	<u>Mar. 1</u> Hotdogs, Tater tots, Applesauce
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Registration 2024-2025



Registration for the 2023-2024 school year is now open for returning students! A link was sent out yesterday through Jupiter that will help you through the process. Current students will have priority enrollment until March 15th, at which time registration will open to new students.

Do you have a kindergarten or TK student for next year? Please contact Mrs. Ellis in the office right away. We want to make sure all siblings enroll before new families register in March. These classes can fill quickly, and we want to make sure no siblings are turned away due to space.

Please note that due to current class size, 4th grade, 7th grade, and 8th grade will be full classes next year. If you have a student entering one of these classes in 2024-2025, be sure to register prior to March 15th. You don't want to lose your child's place in their class.

Kids Heart Challenge

Buena Vista's Kids Heart Challenge officially kicks off today! Information was emailed to parents in grades TK and 1-6 earlier today with details on how to participate. Our school's goal is to raise \$3,000 by March 22nd. Money raised goes to the American Heart Association to fight against heart disease and stroke.



American Heart Association

Congratulations Winners!



Congratulations to the winners of our 2nd-4th Grade Spelling Bee! Our winners are:

- 1st Place—Kai Kubo (3rd Grade)
- 2nd Place—Zephaniah Jeremiah (3rd Grade)
- 3rd Place—Leily Tellez (2nd Grade)

We also want to congratulate our other finalists: 2nd graders Ellie Mathieson & Barry Conner; 3rd grader Julian Diga; and 4th graders Adalynn Thompson, Sarah Bennett, and Cassie Wilson. Great job everyone!

Kindergarten Round-Up

Buena Vista announces Kindergarten Round-up for all incoming Kindergarten students for the 2024-2025 school year! Round-up is on Thursday, February 29th, from 1:00-2:30pm. Children will get acquainted with the teacher and school, and parents will receive helpful information regarding Buena Vista and the registration process. If you have a child who will be 5 years old by August 31st, 2024, contact the office to sign up for Round-Up! If you know someone who has a child entering Kindergarten in the fall, please tell them about our wonderful program!



No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and His love is brought to full expression in us.

1 John 4:12



8th Grade Snack Shop

The class of 2024 is raising funds for their Fun Days at the end of the school year. They are selling items every Wednesday. One week will be various

snacks and drinks, while the next week will be popcorn. Snack items range from \$1.00-\$3.00. Popcorn is \$2.00.

Wednesday, February 28: Snack Shop
Wednesday, March 6: Popcorn

Send a few dollars with your child on Wednesdays, and help support the 8th grade class!

Seattle Mariners Game



Buena Vista has purchased 120 tickets for our families and friends to attend the Seattle Mariners baseball game on Sunday, June 16th, at T-Mobile Park. If you would like to purchase tickets, please do so in the school office. The cost is \$10 per ticket (cash or check only), and it will be first come first served. If you want to sit with friends, please purchase the tickets together. Contact the school office if you have any questions.



Buena Vista's Spirit Week is March 18th-22nd. The themes are:

- Monday**—School Spirit Day
(wear your BV gear)
- Tuesday**—Twin/Triplet Day
- Wednesday**—Pajama Day
- Thursday**—Class Color Day
(watch for teacher info)
- Friday**—International Day

We look forward to all your creative ideas. Just make sure you keep it modest and appropriate.

Talent Show 2024



Mark your calendar for this year's talent show, BV's Got Talent. This exciting event takes place Sunday, April 7th, at 6:30pm. Students who are interested in performing in the show must submit an intent form no later than Thursday, February 29th. Auditions take place the week of March 8th, and dress rehearsals will be April 4th & 5th. Entry forms are available from Mrs. L and are also in the office. We are eager to see what talent will be on display this year!

Summer Boost Camp



Buena Vista is happy to report that the Buena Vista Summer Boost Camp will take place again this summer for students entering grades 2-5 in the fall! The goal of Boost Camp is to introduce fun, unique ways to incorporate learning, community service, relationship building, and trouble shooting into our daily lives.

Learning curriculum will include group and individualized math and reading. A strong emphasis will be placed on social/emotional support. Additional curriculum will include Bible, art, physical education, nature education, and gardening.

The camp takes place at Buena Vista June 10th-August 2nd, 2024. Hours are 8:00am-3:00pm M-Th and 8:00am-1:30pm on Fridays. The cost is \$125 per week. After-school care is available for an additional cost. Contact camp director Kennita Lewandowski at kennita.lewandowski@bvsda.org or 253-282-8170 if you have questions or want to sign up.



BV Spring Garage Sale

It may just be February, but spring will be here before you know it! Buena Vista will hold a fundraising garage sale in April and will be needing donations. Any items you can save for our sale will be greatly appreciated. Donation collection will be April 21st-24th. The sale takes place Friday, April 26th and Sunday, April 28th. Watch for more information and volunteer opportunities.

Do you have an event or fundraiser you would like to advertise in Thursday Thoughts? Just contact Mrs. Ellis to have it included in the weekly newsletter.



**INTERACTIVE
GAMES**



**COMPREHENSIVE
ACADEMIC SUPPORT**



**SOCIAL EMOTIONAL
LEARNING**



FIELD TRIPS

**BUENA VISTA SDA
SUMMER
BOOST
CAMP 2024**



**NATURE WALKS &
PLANTING**



PRICE PER WEEK

**2nd, 3rd,
4th, and
5th**

Grade Levels



**Available for
Additional Cost**

JUNE 10, 2024 - AUGUST 2, 2024

Monday - Thursday: 8am to 3pm

Fridays: 8am to 1:30pm

For more info email: kennita.lewandowski@bvsda.org

Auburn Adventist Academy
Fine Arts Presents

Beauty
And The
Beast

March 16th, 2024 @ 7:45pm
March 17th, 2024 @ 1pm and 5pm

Tickets - \$10



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253-939-5000

Movie Night at Auburn City Church

Showing

The Secret of the Fossil





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FUNDRAISER DATE: MARCH 7, 2024

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KIDS TALENT SHOW

SHARE YOUR GOD GIVEN TALENT WITH
THE WORLD!

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WHEN: SATURDAY MARCH 9TH 3-5PM

REFRESHMENTS AND
GAMES 5-7PM

SING, PLAY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT, SPOKEN
WORD, MEMORY VERSE ETC
THE AGE RANGES FOR CHILDREN FROM 4-17



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