

**BUENA VISTA
SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST SCHOOL**

Thursday Thoughts

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MAY 2, 2024

CALENDAR

- **May 3—8th Grade Fun Day #1**
- **May 6—Kindergarten Field Trip to Nisqually**
- **May 8—4th Grade Field Trip to Catawault Adventure Park**
- **May 9—2nd/3rd Grade Field Trip to Renton Carco Theatre**
- **May 10—8th Grade Fun Day #2**
- **May 13—Fun Run Fundraiser Kick-off**
- **May 13 & 15—Library Book Fair**
- **May 15—5th Grade Field Trip**
- **May 21—Fun Run**
- **May 23—Spring Program, 6:30pm AAA Gym**



Don't forget to "Like" us on Facebook, fb.com/bvsdascbool, for additional BV info and pictures.

Menu May 6 - 10

May 6
Alfredo pasta,
Salad,
Carrots

May 7
Asian fried rice,
Chik nuggets,
Pineapple

May 8
Pizza,
Salad,
Pudding

May 9
Haystacks,
Corn

May 10
Hotdogs,
Tater tots,
Applesauce



BV Fun Run

We are excited to kick off our Buena Vista Fun Run today. Our goal is to raise \$12,000 for school wide flooring & improvements and to strengthen our school community. Our school has always relied on fundraising to provide exceptional opportunities to enhance student learning and we need YOUR HELP registering your student(s) and sharing with friends and family.

Mark your calendars for the Buena Vista Fun Run fundraiser kicking off soon! Key dates to remember:

- Registration Opens - 05/10/2024
- Fun Run Kick-Off Assembly - 05/13/2024
- Event Day - 05/21/2024

Volunteers may be needed to help direct students. If you are interested in helping, please contact the school office.

Spring Program



Mark your calendar for this year's Spring Program, It is on Thursday, May 23rd, at 6:30pm in the Auburn Adventist Academy gym. It is required for every student to be at the program. Get there early for a good seat!



BV Garden

Now that spring is here, it is time to begin the Buena Vista garden. We are seeking donations of gardening supplies, such as topsoil, seeds, gloves, etc. If you would like to help our students experience the joy of gardening, please consider donating to the project. For more information, contact Mrs. Lewandowski at Kennita.lewandowski@bvsda.org.

Garage Sale Success!

The BV garage sale last weekend was a great success. We raised \$7,700 for our school! Thank you to everyone who donated, volunteered, and shopped. Your participation has made a huge impact on our school. Be sure to save your items to donate to our sale next spring!



Spring Piano Recital



Mrs. Choi's private-lesson piano students will present their spring recital on Thursday, May 9th, at 6:00pm in the BV library. All are invited to hear them perform.

Are you interested in signing up your child for private piano lessons? Mrs. Choi is currently registering students for the 2024-2025 school year. Contact Mrs. Choi at gracehychoi@gmail.com for more information.

Seattle Mariners Game

Now that baseball season has begun, it's time to start thinking about BV's Day at the Ballpark! 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.



NOTE: Starting May 1st, remaining tickets will be advertised at our constituent churches. If you plan to attend the game with BV, purchase your tickets right away!

As for me, I look to the Lord for help. I wait confidently for God to save me, and my God will certainly hear me.
Micah 7:7



Scholastic Book Fair

Buena Vista will host a spring book fair to kick off your child's summer reading! The book fair will be held May 13th & 15th from 9:00am-3:30pm in the library. Shop our great books to have plenty to read over the summer!

Bible Book Challenge

Mrs. L's Bible Book Challenge for each classroom will take place on Friday, May 17th, during chapel. Each class will recite the books of the Bible in their own unique way. Classes will be judged on knowledge and the number of participants, with the winners receiving a Krispy Kreme donut party. Start studying now so you can do your best!

FUN DAY Last Day of School

The last day of school is May 31st Buena Vista plans to celebrate with games, activities, and treats for the kids before saying farewell at noon. BV is looking for parent volunteers to help with the different stations. If you are available to help at our event, please contact Mrs. Ellis in the office.

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 17th-August 9th, 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.

Referrals and Discounts



Buena Vista has an incentive referral program for new students in the 2024-2025 school year. The family referring the new student will receive \$100 at the end of each semester completed by the new student (2024-2025 school year only). Please be sure to notify Mrs. Ellis if you have referred a new student to Buena Vista.





**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 17, 2024—AUGUST 9, 2024

Monday - Thursday: 8am to 3pm

Fridays: 8am to 1:30pm

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

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Fundraiser

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