

Message from the Principal

Greetings SVAE family,

Basketball season is in full swing! We hope you have a chance to come see a couple games. As a reminder, students are not to be left at games to watch unsupervised. Also, it is a time to enjoy the games, not wander around or play outside!

The Booster Club cards were a great success! Students raised over \$8800! Top sellers were Luis Cristian with 48 sold; Ella Gratton sold 46! Congrats to them!

Blessings,

Mr. Hammond



Talent Show will be Saturday night, February 3 at 6:30 p.m. A sign-up sheet is in the front hall of the school on the glass window. We want to have a lot of variety in the show. Please encourage your children to participate either by performing or by attending the show.

Annual Ski Day sign-up for Feb. 8 at Canaan Valley was sent home yesterday with all children in grades 1-8. **All 5th -8th grade students are encouraged to attend. No student will be left behind because of finances.** Students in 1st-4th grade are welcome to attend with an adult chaperone. For those students who are not planning to participate, alternate activities will be planned at school. This is considered a school day and attendance will be taken. We will have a 12 p.m. dismissal. Skiers will return in the evening.

Upcoming Calendar Events:

January 15	No School/Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 15-Feb. 2	MAPS testing
January 16	Basketball game @ HHBA Girls @ 5:30, Boys @ 6:30
January 17	Basketball game against NFMS @ SVAE Girls @ 5:30, Boys @ 6:30
January 18	Basketball game against VAA @ SVAE Girls @ 5:00, Boys 6:45
January 22	Basketball game @ Cornerstone Boys @ 4:30, Boys @ 5:45
January 23	Basketball game against EMS @ SVAE Girls @ 6:45, Boys @ 5:30
January 24	Pre-K & Kindergarten Children's Museum
January 27-28	SVAE Basketball Tournament
January 31	Parent/Teacher Conferences—No School
February 3	Talent Show @ 6:30 p.m.
February 5	Basketball game @ EMHS Girls @ 5:30
February 7	Basketball game against HHBA @ SVAE Girls @ 6:30, Boys @ 5:30
February 8	Ski Day/ 12pm dismissal for Pre-k -4 th
February 9	No School
February 14	7 th -8 th field trip to Washington D.C.
February 16	Career Day

Intent for Re-Enrollment form for the 2024-2025 school year will need to be submitted by **February 29**. The paper-work will go home next Friday. It will also need to be accompanied by a \$35/child or \$75/family minimum deposit which will be applied toward the \$300/child early registration fee with the balance due by June 15, 2024. This early deposit will lock families into the \$300 registration fee rate until June 15th. All families that register between March 2nd and July 1st will pay a \$350 registration fee. Families that register after July 1st will be charged a \$380 registration fee.

Inclement weather closing/delays
We use WHSV to list our closings and delays. Please visit them via TV or their website. An easy way to do this is to visit our website, svaelementary.org, and click on the WHSV School Closings & Delays link under the family resource tab. If you do not see our school's name on the list, then school is in session. If school status changes from delay to closed, it will be posted on the WHSV website. We will also send parent-alert text messages for school closings/delays. If you are not receiving them, please stop by the office to ensure that we have your correct phone number. **If you feel that the roads are too treacherous for you to travel to school safely, please keep your child at home, or bring him/her when the roads are clear.** Absences & tardies can be excused for weather related issues.

SCSL Spring 2024 Soccer

Registration: After a great Fall 2023 soccer season by our U12 team, it is time to start thinking about Spring 2024 Soccer Registration which opens December 1 and goes through February 10. Don't forget that the SCSL online system (www.shenandoahcountysoccerleague.com) allows you to pay online, keep track of your family's teams/schedule, and easily re-register your players on a season-to-season basis. The earlier you sign up, the better so that we can know whether we'll have enough for multiple age-group teams. For more info, please contact Kyle Harrison at 202-340-7309.

After School Care will close at 4:30 p.m. on Fridays until after March 18th so that our staff has an opportunity to prepare for the Sabbath, which begins at sunset each week.

Practice Schedule 1/15-1/19

Bell Ensemble
3:30-5:00 Tuesday & Thursday

Girls' Basketball

Coached by Emmanuel Rivera
Mondays @3:30-5:00
Wednesdays @ 5:30-7:00
Friday @ 2:00-3:30

Boys' Basketball

Coached by Spenser Briggs
5:30-7:00—Monday & Tuesday
Friday @ 12:30-2:00

Box Tops for Education

Use the new Box Tops app to scan your receipt. Box Tops are still worth 10 cents for your school. The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school's earnings online.



ADS

Two level townhouse in cul-de-sac, amazing view of mountains, quiet neighborhood on Pelham Dr, New Market. Rent is \$1100 plus deposit. Includes dumpster service, mowing and snow removal. No pets or smoking. Three bedrooms and 2.5 baths. New dishwasher and washer. For more info text 540-630-2152

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FOR SALE

Honda Push Mower \$120
Para Body 350 Weight Lifting Machine \$150 (Have a personal gym at home)
Hard Wood Table 3 x 5 ft (with extension attached to table = 5 x 5 ft) with 4 chairs, \$ 350
64 gallons Totter Hard Plastic Trash Can \$50
Leptzig Piano \$500
2 Ski helmets: youth S & M \$50 each, \$75 both
32 each flat screen TV w/ remote \$80
Smart TV VIZ10 D-Series 32 inches w/ remote \$125
*For questions or pictures text 540-630-2152

Hot Lunch Menu

1/15 - 1/19

Monday – Martin Luther King Day/No School

Tuesday – Grilled cheese and tomato soup (PFE fundraiser)

Wednesday – Spaghetti, salad and bread (PFE Fundraiser)

Thursday – Pizza, salad, and applesauce (8th grade fundraiser)

Friday – No hot lunch 12pm dismissal

We are pleased to offer healthy options that will include fresh fruits & vegetables, whole grains and fewer processed foods.

Small=\$3.50 (Available for Pre-K – 2nd)
Large=\$4.50 (Available for Pre-K – Adult)

BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

January

17-Irie Rodriguez
20-Kaden Holsinger
21-Manney Waller-Long
22-Mrs. Cristian
23-Grace Mihalache
31-Mrs. Reinoehl

February

3-Mrs. Reedy
5-Chance Osborne
13-Joshua Long

March

7-Daniel Sanchez
16-Yahru Clarke
18-Mila Little
22-Benjamin Cristian
23-Caleb Richardi
30-Ella Gratton

April

5-Hailey Jovel
6-Jacob Lipscomb
7-Zion Bonar
9-Sophia Juncal
10-Daniel Torres
12-Michael Hernandez Morales
14-Nayomi Siever
15-Hadley Good
21-Christian Briggs
29-Liam Gratton