

**BUENA VISTA
SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST SCHOOL**

CALENDAR

- **Sept. 3—Labor Day, NO SCHOOL**
- **Sept. 4—Home & School Meeting, 1:45pm**
- **Sept. 5—Fall Fund-raiser Kick-Off**
- **Sept. 11—1st Turn-in Date for Fund-raiser**
- **Sept. 12—Picture Day**
- **Sept. 13—All-School Breakfast**
- **Sept. 13—Fair Day, Noon Dismissal**
- **Sept. 14—Track & Field Day**
- **Sept. 17-18—Iowa Testing**
- **Oct. 3—7th/8th Grade to Jr. Achievement**
- **Oct. 3-5—6th Grade Outdoor School**

Italian Sodas
For Sale
Wednesday

Thursday Thoughts

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Menu September 3 - 7

<u>Sept. 3</u> NO SCHOOL	<u>Sept. 4</u> Lasagna, Tossed salad, Carrots	<u>Sept. 5</u> Chik nuggets, Roasted potatoes, Salad, Dinner roll	<u>Sept. 6</u> Pizza, Salad, Pudding	<u>Sept. 7</u> Chik burger, Tater tots, Applesauce
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Fundraising Notes



Buena Vista is reaping the benefits of last year's fundraisers! Did you know that our new front doors were paid for with Run2Educate funds? Our new

school van was purchased with funds raised at last year's International Food Fair/Fun Fair. We would love to keep the momentum going this year. Our fall fundraiser starts next week, so watch for information that will come home on Wednesday. Fun Fair is scheduled for October 21st, and we could use a lot of help to make it a success. Come to the Home & School meeting September 4th to see how you can help. Donors are also greatly appreciated. If you have the means to donate on a larger scale, please contact the office. Thank you for your support of our school!



Dismissal Information

Our dismissal procedure is a bit different this year. Parents who want to enter the building to wait for their child will be allowed in at 2:55pm (Preschool is 11:25am). Please be sure that the teacher knows that you have taken your child.

Dismissal times have changed a bit as well. Here is this year's dismissal schedule:

Grades K-4: 3:00 M-Th, 1:45 F
Grades 5-8: 3:20 M-Th, 1:45 F

Students will have 20 minutes at their dismissal door before they are taken to After-School Care.

School Closed



Buena Vista will be closed on Monday, September 3rd, in observance of Labor Day. Enjoy your 3-day weekend!

Volunteers Needed

Are you a parent who would like to help out at Buena Vista? We have two upcoming events that need help from parents:

1. **All-School Breakfast**—We need parents who can help serve food at the All-School Breakfast on Thursday, September 13th. Volunteers are needed from 8:00am until everything is cleaned up. You can even receive a free breakfast!
2. **Track & Field Day**—Friday, September 14th, is our track and field day. Parents are needed to help with the different activity stations. Volunteers are needed at the school at 8:30am and will be finished around noon. All parent volunteers will be treated to a free lunch.



If you are able to volunteer for one or both of these events, please contact the school office. Thank you!

Home and School

The first Home & School meeting of the year will be held Tuesday, September 4th, at 1:45pm. They will be discussing Fun Fair/International Food Festival coming in October, as well as other ways they can help the school. This meeting is open to all parents. If you would like to be involved with activities at the school, please feel free to come to the meeting.



Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. Joshua 1:9



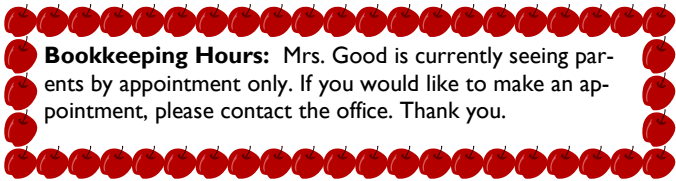
Fair Day

On Thursday, September 13th, Buena Vista will have a half day of school so that families can have an opportunity to attend the Washington State Fair in Puyallup. Each student age 6 and older will be given a free admission ticket to the fair on Thursday, August 30th, so please watch for it to come home. Children 5 and younger are free! The ticket is good for any day of the fair, not just on the 13th, and families are not required to attend the fair. BV simply wants to give families an opportunity to enjoy the fair on a day when crowds are light and Dizzy Passes are available for cheaper amusement rides. Please visit www.thefair.com before September 2nd for info on discounted Dizzy Passes.

Parent Prayer Ministry



"The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much" (James 5: 16). The prophet Elijah prayed earnestly that it would not rain and it didn't rain on the earth for three years and six months. Then he prayed again and the sky poured rain and the earth produced it's fruit. Can you imagine what our school, our teachers and our students could accomplish if they had people praying on their behalf? The possibilities are endless! Buena Vista's Tuesday morning prayer group is for just this purpose. Please join other parents in the band room each Tuesday at 8:15am to lift up our school, teachers, and students in prayer. All parents and school supporters are welcome to be a part of this prayer ministry.



Bookkeeping Hours: Mrs. Good is currently seeing parents by appointment only. If you would like to make an appointment, please contact the office. Thank you.



8th Grade Fundraiser

The 8th Grade Class of Buena Vista is raising money for their end-of-year class trip and graduation. Here are a couple of ways you can support them:

Italian sodas are for sale every Wednesday during lunch time. Small is \$1.50 and large is \$2.50.

Buy Brown Bear carwash tickets for \$7.00 each. You may purchase them from any 8th grader. This is a great way to get your car clean and support our kids!



Eighth grade is selling chocolate and caramel suckers from Sees Candy for \$1.00 each. They will be for sale throughout the year. You may purchase them from any 8th grader.

Child Care Needed

A Buena Vista family is in need of childcare for their toddler a few mornings a week. They prefer someone who can come to their house (located one block from school) but are also open to dropping him off in Auburn or Kent. If you are interested in more information, please call Noelle at 509-200-6115.



Carpool Needed

A Buena Vista family is looking for carpool assistance. They live in south Federal Way, east of I-5 and south of Hwy 18. If you are interested in sharing carpool duties, please contact the school office. Thank you.