



November 1, 2019

# NEWS NOTES



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## From the Principal:



Hello Parents,

Thank you to our Home & School for the wonderful time we had at Fall Festival last night. Each of you did a wonderful job, and we appreciate you beyond words. Thank you parents and students for your wonderful support. You are what make OAS a special place.☺

Just a reminder, to move your clocks back one hour this weekend. One hour extra sleep, YAY!

Next week we are having our fall Week of Prayer. Our guest speaker is Pastor David Craig, Ark.-La. Conference Youth Director. We are excited to hear the message he has for our students.

Just another reminder, our 'lost & found' is overflowing. Please check if you are missing a garment, backpack, or lunch box. Items left will be donated at winter break (12/23-1/3). So check it out when you get an opportunity.

Keep warm, and may God continue to bless you and your wonderful families.

-Janet Lopez

## Pre-K & Kindergarten Mrs. Beth Kobliska



### Outdoor Play

I just want to remind you that with colder weather arriving, coats, hats and gloves/mittens are helpful at recess time. We like for the students to be outside for exercise and fresh air so we will be having playtime outside as much as possible. Let's keep them happy and comfortable during recess!

### Reading Logs

I've been seeing a lot of great reading happening on those reading logs. Many of you are reading much more than the required 75 minutes per week. As we get into the busy holiday season, remember to keep carving out time for this important activity with your child.

### Theme Book

This week we will continue with our book *Sam and the Lucky Money*. It's the story of a boy celebrating the Chinese New Year with his family, enjoying the cultural traditions and learning to think about the needs of others. We will learn a little more about China and also talk about how families celebrate together. Our Bible story is the story of the Israelites crossing the Red Sea and how Moses' sister Miriam leads them all in songs of thanksgiving. The memory verse is: "Praise the Lord, for the Lord is good; celebrate His wonderful name." Psalm 135:3

### Letter of the Week

This week we will be studying the letter **Nn**.

### Snack Schedule

Monday Nov. 4: Cruz  
Tuesday Nov. 5: August  
Wednesday Nov. 6: Charlie/Dale  
Thursday Nov. 7: David

## 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mrs. Kay Sutherland



I enjoyed meeting with most of you this week. Thank you for adjusting your schedules to meet this Monday instead of last Monday. Please contact me to get an update on your child's progress if you haven't yet done so.

### Our treasure verse for next week is:

Exodus 6:7 "I will make you my own special people, and I will be your God. And you will know that I am the LORD your God who has rescued you from your slavery in Egypt." (NLT)

### We had a wonderful time at Fall Festival.

Thank you to home and school for all your planning and work to make it special for us.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Mrs. Eva Hill



☺ Thanks so much to our fourth grade moms—Ashlyn's mom, Dregan's mom, and Jack's mom—for driving the fourth graders on their fieldtrip last Monday. The 4<sup>th</sup> graders had a great day!

☺ Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make Fall Festival such a great evening!!



☺ Spelling words from lesson 11 will be tested next Friday, November 8.

### ☺ MULTIPLICATION!

Students need to learn these facts to the point of almost instant recall.  
8's test – November 15  
9's test – November 22  
11's test – December 13  
121 fact test timed for 10 minutes – December 20

☺ Trail Keepers, an opportunity for us to help out in our community, is next Wednesday afternoon (Thursday, if the weather is bad on Wednesday). If you can help drive/supervise from

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1:00 to 3:00 that afternoon, please let me know.

## ☺ We go outside for recess and PE

every day, unless it is raining, since the exercise in the fresh air is so good for us. As the weather begins to change and get colder, children will need winter wear like coats, hats, and gloves/mittens for warmth outdoors.

## 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Mrs. Janet Lopez**



Prophets of God continues to be our Bible theme. We have been reading and studying about Prophets and Protestant history. Pastor Franco came again this week to study the Bible with us.

In English we are studying/reviewing grammar in the context of literature. (The Book of Jonah) We named parts of speech in sentences and talked about literary language, prose vs. poetry.

The 6th graders are graphing coordinate pairs on a coordinate plane and 5th grade is multiplying decimals.

In Science we talked about and drew Protein Synthesis We also talked about cell division and did a paper plate project to draw each cell at every stage. In Social Studies we have traveled through history to the time when Christopher Columbus traveled to America. This is leading up to the first Thanksgiving.

In PE the students played tag game variations and tetherball. In Art we painted a leaf collage and continued to learn about negative and positive space.

Science test over chapter 3 is next Friday along with MV, spelling, and vocabulary. Remember to read and take AR tests.

## 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Mrs. Lisa Tonack Mrs. Tonda Smith



### Test Schedule:

Wed. S. S. Test 7  
Thurs. Spelling Test 12  
Fri. Memory Verse Quiz



### FALL FEST:

Thank you so much for helping with our drink booth and bake sale. Thank you for your donations of drinks and food, too! OUR PARENTS ARE AWESOME! Our Home and School is awesome, too, for all the special things they planned for our Fall Fest. Thank you!

## Library

**Mrs. Jeanie Davis**



### NEW BOOKS:

This week we have some new books in the Library for Kinders and 2<sup>nd</sup> Graders.

“The Baxter Family” series books: Redemption, Remember, Return, Rejoice and Reunion will be coming in this next week for 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

Also we are getting in 3 books from the “National Treasure” series for the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

We have 48 new books of the “Who Is?” or “Who Was?” series coming in for 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

Be sure to look for these new books coming in the next 2 weeks.

**Travel the USA without leaving home:** Next week we will learn about Indiana, Kentucky and Vermont. This week’s winner is Ally.

See you in the library!  
Mrs. Jeanie ☺



The Live Walk-Through Nativity, “From Christmas to the Cross”, will be held on Friday, December 13, from 6:00 - 9:00 PM and also Saturday, December 14, from 3:00 - 6:00 PM at Ozark Adventist Academy.

This nativity, with a fully costumed cast of 100+ members, will take groups on a journey from Bethlehem to the cross as they experience 13 different scenes from Jesus’ life.

If your child would like to participate (and parents are welcome to be in the nativity as well), we would love to have you. Also even if you are unable to be there on both days, that is ok also—one day helps too. There are many ways to be involved in the nativity -- villager or shop keeper in “Bethlehem City”, angels in the choir, shepherds (with real sheep to “watch over”), or part of the crowd in the Feeding of the 5,000 scene which is new this year.

If this is something you or your child would like to be a part of, please fill out the form that will be available this coming week in the office and give it to the front desk or your child’s teacher. You can also contact Judy Fetters at (804) 874-9430 or email: [euglena1370@yahoo.com](mailto:euglena1370@yahoo.com) Any little bit helps and I know that God will multiply our efforts as we seek to share the true meaning of His life at Christmas time with our fellow neighbors!

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