

**BUENA VISTA
SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST SCHOOL**

CALENDAR

- **May 13-16—
Donation Drop-
Off for J2B Garage
Sale**
- **May 18 & 20—J2B
Garage Sale**
- **May 18—5th
Grade Progressive
Dinner**
- **May 21-25—
Library Book Fair**
- **May 22—3rd
Grade Field Trip**
- **May 24—Spring
Program, 7pm**
- **May 28—NO
SCHOOL, Memo-
rial Day**
- **May 29—
Kindergarten
Graduation, 6pm**
- **May 31—NOON
DISMISSAL**
- **May 31—8th
Grade Graduation,
7pm**

Italian Sodas
For Sale
Wednesday

Thursday Thoughts

WE TREASURE EACH CHILD AS A GIFT FROM GOD.

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Menu May 14-18

May 14
Spaghetti,
Salad,
Carrots,
Garlic bread

May 15
Veggie burger,
Potato salad,
Fruit

May 16
Haystacks,
Corn

May 17
Italian chicken melt,
Salad,
Carrot sticks

May 18
Hotdogs,
Chips,
Applesauce

Spring Book Fair

Buena Vista will host a spring book fair to kick off your child's summer reading! The book fair will run May 21st-25th in the library at the following times:

May 21st—3:00-3:30pm
May 22nd—3:00-3:30pm
May 23rd—8:00-8:30am
May 23rd—3:00-3:30pm
May 24th—8:00-8:30am
May 24th—3:00-3:30pm
May 24th—6:00-6:45pm & 45 minutes following the spring program
May 25th—8:00-8:30am.



For a greater selection of books, shop online at www.scholastic.com/fair. Online purchasing is open May 13th-21st. All sales benefit our school and classroom libraries! Teacher wish lists will be available May 21st-25th.

Volunteers Needed

Would you like to help with Book Fair? Volunteers are needed to work the week of the sale. If you would like to help, please contact Mrs. Pen in the library.

Instrument Collection

If your family has a band or orchestra instrument that you or your children never plan to play, consider a donation to BV so that another student can use it in our future band/orchestra program. Tax credit is available. Thank you!

Bookkeeping Hours: For the week of May 14th-18th, Mrs. Good will be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 15th and 16th.

Registration Reminder

Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is underway. There is a \$50 discount per student on the registration fee for current students who register by June 15th. Registration must be paid in the office. No online payments are accepted for registration. If you do not have a registration packet, please contact Mrs. Ellis in the office. **PLEASE NOTE:** A waiting list has already started for next year's 8th grade class, and Kindergarten is almost full. Please do not wait until after June 15th to register as your child's spot may no longer be available. Current students have priority registration until June 15th. After that date, registration is open to everyone.



Spring Program

Mark your calendar for this year's Spring Program, *Jungle Jaunt!* It is on Thursday, May 24th, at 7:00pm in the gym. All students are to wear safari clothing (khaki shorts/pants, etc.) or animal print shirts with nice jeans or khaki pants. It is required for every student to be at the program. Get there early for a good seat!



Summer Tutoring

In the lazy days of summer, students can forget as much as two months' worth of information they learned during the school year. If you would like to help your student stay ahead of the game for next school year, Destiny Woods is providing math tutoring here at Buena Vista again this summer. If you would like more information, please call Miss Woods at 253-217-7467.

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance.
James 1:2-3



May Chapel Text



Our May Chapel Promise Text is Revelation 22:1, 2, 5, 7, 11, 12, 14, 17, & 20. Each class will memorize one verse (assignments to be decided).

Verse 1 (3rd grade): *And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the lamb.*

Verse 2 (4th grade): *In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.*

Verse 5 (5th grade): *And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light: and they shall reign for ever and ever.*

Verse 7 (2nd grade): *Behold, I come quickly: blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of this book.*

Verse 11 (Kinder): *He that is unjust, let him be unjust still: and he which is filthy, let him be filthy still: and he that is righteous, let him be righteous still: and he that is holy, let him be holy still.*

Verse 12 (7th grade): *And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be.*

Verse 14 (1st grade): *Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.*

Verse 17 (8th grade): *And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.*

Verse 20 (6th grade): *He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus.*

Please take some time during the week to go over the designated text with your child and help them learn about God's promises to us.

J2B Garage Sale



The Journey to Bethlehem garage sale will be held here in Buena Vista's new gym on Friday, May 19th, and Sunday, May 21st, from 9am-4pm.

If you want to shop early for the best items, you can pay the early bird fee of \$5 and shop from 8-9am on the 19th. On the 21st the bag sale will be from 12-2pm, and from 2-4pm you can fill your truck, car, or van with items for a special sale price. J2B will also be collecting items for the sale, so bring donations to the gym on Sunday, May 14th, from 11-4pm and Monday -Wednesday, May 15th-17th, from 8:00am-4:00pm. Questions? Contact June Siapco at 253-797-4908.

Preschool Registration



Preschool registration is now open for Little Vistas Preschool! This program will be for children who are three years old by August 31, 2018, but not old enough to start kindergarten. Each program option would be open to both three- and four-year-old children. The program options are as follows:

M/W/F 8:30-11:30am (\$175)
T/Th 8:30-11:30am (\$130)
M-F 8:30-11:30am (\$285)

For more information or to receive a registration packet, please contact Mrs. Ellis in the school office.

Summer Reading Program



Why: Reading just 4 to 5 books over the summer months can help prevent the "summer slide," the tendency for students to lose some of the academic gains they made during the school year. (Plus, reading should be FUN!)

When: June 1-August 24, 2018

Who: All current Pre-K through 7th grade BV students

How: Reading Bingo cards will be sent home with students the last week of school. Have an adult mark off the reading tasks as you complete them, then turn the cards in to the BV library or office during the first week of school in August. Every BV student who turns in their Bingo card will earn a small prize, and those with one or more completed Bingos will be entered into a drawing for more fun stuff, including Menchie's gift cards, Barnes and Noble gift cards, and the GRAND PRIZE: a Kindle Fire!



15 school days until summer vacation!