

The Valle View

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Warrior Pride

- This past week we did our Second Fire Drill and our First Reverse Evacuation. A reverse evacuation happens when the children are outside. If someone comes on the playground that is a danger, the teachers will blow whistles and the children pick the closest door and run inside. It is sad that we have to practice this but parents should know we are working hard to keep your children safe. We also practice tornado, earthquake, and intruder drills
- Each classroom has a small mission box for collecting all those pennies, nickels, dimes, etc. Students may ask to do a chore to earn a quarter for the missions. They might make a sacrifice and give up soda money to put in the mission box. This is a way that students are trying to show love to God and Others.
- Check out the Friday Folder this week for information about School Pictures, Free Flu Shots, Electronic Recycling Event, St. Vincent Food Drive, and the St. Francis of Assisi Pet Food Drive.
- "Cold Weather is Coming" Be ready to support Valle Catholic with cool weather gear. There are long sleeve T-shirts for Friday Spirit Days. Get ready for Friday night Football games, Volleyball games, and Cross Country Meets with hooded sweatshirts, 1/4 zips with long sleeves and more. Come check out the selection at the Scholarship, sponsored by Valle Catholic Schools Foundation.

Important Reminders

- Once a month the Valle Faculty will all gather for a faculty meeting, and this will be a late start day. The first late start is coming up on Friday, September 28. Late start is at 8:50 am. There will be adult supervision available in the cafeteria between 7:20-8:50 am.
- When a parent has a question about homework, tests, etc. parents should always talk to the teacher first to find out what is happening in class. The teachers know more about their class than Mrs. Blair. Please make that your first step. :)

Coming Soon...

September 17-21—**Iowa Test of Basic Skills** (Achievement tests) for students in grades 4, 6, and 8. Please make sure they get plenty of rest and eat a good breakfast.

September 22— **Trivia Night** for Grades 6,7,8.

September 17-27 **Canned Food Drive** led by Old Valle Stucco.

September 26—**Grade School Picture Day** Order envelope is in today's Friday Folder.

September 26—**Protecting God's Children** class will be at 6:00 pm in Valle cafeteria

September 29—**Electronics Recycling Event** from 9:00 until Noon on the Desert (parking lot behind gym) See flyer.

September 29- 23rd Annual Valle Schools Benefit **Golf Tournament**—3 person scramble, 12:00 Shotgun start at Ste. Gen Golf Course. Must be 21. Call Rick Sexauer @ 573-702-8934.

October 3—**Pet Blessing** at 2:30 pm on the desert in honor of St. Francis of Assisi. Pet Food Drive October 1-5.

October 5—**Homecoming** and early out at 12:50 pm.

October 9—**Flu Shots** for students - Permission slip is in today's Friday Folder. Permission slip due Oct. 2.

Prayer Corner

Please pray for Miles Woodward. Pray for the people on the East Coast of the United States that are suffering due to flooding and Hurricane Florence.

Pray for missionaries everywhere.

Did You Know?

- Students sometimes come to school feeling very tired. A new trend is that students text or play games such as Fortnite after their parents go to bed. Something new to watch for with children.
- Students in grades 3-8 have assignment books this year. They should be writing down daily work and long range due dates for projects. This is an organizational skill we are trying to teach our Valle students.

