



SRCS Paw Print
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Please plan to attend the Parent meeting Tuesday night, 7pm, in Merlo theater.

Veterans Day Chapel, Tuesday, November 10, 9am

Santa Rosa Christian School is proud to host its 4th annual Veterans Day Chapel. The public is cordially invited to attend this free, non-political event. The program will include a military color guard, patriotic music, and a video tribute to our Armed Services. Two active duty service members will share stories that you will not want to miss.

We are still asking families to submit a photo for our “Wall of Honor”, but it must be turned in by next Monday, Nov. 9th. If you have friends or family who’ve served or are currently serving in the military, please send a photo of him/her with name and rank. Pictures may be dropped at the SRCS office or emailed to bwillcox@srchristian.org.

Spirit Week is back ...

Monday Nov. 9 – Friday Nov. 13

Monday...Pro Sports Day

Tuesday...Patriotic “Red, White, & Blue” Day

(Veteran's Day Chapel @ 9:00 a.m. - Parents & Guests Welcome)

Wednesday...NO SCHOOL OR DAY CARE

Thursday...School Spirit (Black and Gold) Day

Friday...Hawaiian Day (No flip flops)

(Friday at 2:00pm: Staff vs. Students Flag Football Game)

For each of the days above, students need not wear SRCS logo wear. However, students will still be expected to be within the dress code guidelines of modesty and appropriateness.

Teacher Appreciation Dinner....

Nov. 13, 2009...6pm...Veterans Memorial Building...there’s still time to sign up!

Don’t miss out on a great time of fun and games...a gathering together for good food and fellowship...at this special time of year when we begin to list those things for which we are grateful! Our teachers, families and friends top the list!

\$\$\$-Raising Opportunity

The Vander Sluis family has donated recycling containers to the school. Presently the Vander Sluis's are emptying them on behalf of the Cross Country team. However, any SRC program that has a volunteer to collect the recyclables 2x/wk may take a rotation to benefit their program. Perhaps a class, or a department – music, drama, or tech? Or another of our sports teams? A team could also sign up to take one to a game/meet and return it the next day. Contact Kate Vander Sluis 528-4311- kvandersluis@srchristian.org

From the Lunch Lady...

I will be discounting lunches to \$3.00 for any student who purchases for the entire month, (not just on specific days). Since kids are generally simple eaters, I will then rotate the most popular items more frequently, since that is what they like to order anyway. If the discounted program is received well, I may adopt the discount through the end of the year. Thanks!

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The Lunch Lady
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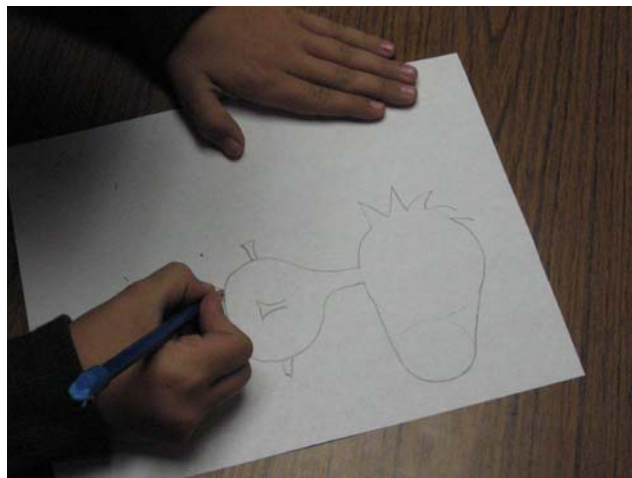
3rd Grade Explores San Francisco's National Park of Ships!

By Jan Cooper

- ◆ Our adventuresome 3rd Graders climbed aboard the Balcultha at Hyde St. Pier under the watchful eye of a special Park Ranger who shared that this is the only National Park of ships in the U.S.! Some of the ships sails were so large that it required all 22 sailors to help hoist the rigging!
- ◆ The "mates for a day" also pretended to be passengers on the largest wooden ferry still afloat! They were amazed to find that not only people, but cars, trains, and also cows floated across the San Francisco Bay.
- ◆ After lunch at Aquatic Park the inquisitive learners "sweetened their day" by watching chocolate being made at the Ghirardelli Chocolate Factory and enjoying some of the tasty samples!

Charlie Brown comes to 5th Grade?

For the next four weeks, 5th grade is partnering with WFC and the Charles M. Schulz Museum. We will be exploring the world of illustration and animation. We will learn about famous American illustrators and will be able to create their own stop-motion film that connects with our social studies curriculum.



Julie Paro
Santa Rosa Christian School

Library Opening

Hooray! Our School library will open on November 9th on a volunteer basis for K-5 classes to visit on Mondays. (Grades 6-12 will hopefully be included in the near future, probably on Wednesdays.) Interested volunteers please contact Kate Vander Sluis at 528-4311, her staff mail box, or email (kvandersluis@srchristian.org). Thank you!

Thank You!

Many thanks to all those who keep bringing in their box tops, soup labels, and ink cartridges, and thanks to John Sonderman for faithfully keeping count of box tops for us. Please keep 'em coming, everyone!

MS and HS Student Service opportunity!

Friday "house-keeping"...each and every Friday we are looking for two students to stay after school and vacuum classrooms. This earns 1 to 1 ½ hours. It is a great way to help out the school and complete your service hours! For more information, and to sign up, please contact Mrs. Robertson at thedoublebranch@yahoo.com

Sport Spot:

November 10 4pm Elementary Girls Volleyball @ Twin Hills

November 12 1:15 Cross Country leaves for CMC Championship at Willits

4pm Elementary Girls Volleyball, Home vs. Willowside (Old Campus Gym)

What's Coming?

November: 7th Techno Turn-About Dance (High School)

10th Veteran's Day Chapel 9am

11th Veteran's Day, No School or Day Care

13th Teacher/Staff Appreciation Dinner 6pm

24th Grandparent's Day

25-29 Thanksgiving Break

December: 1st Fall Sports Dessert (note: this has been moved from November 30).

Broken FM

There will be a youth rock concert November 10th at Santa Rosa Alliance Church at 5 PM, sponsored by Broken FM. The bands playing are The Wedding, Old Man Shattered, A current Affair, I Am Empire, Blood and Water and Dilemmachine. The concert is just \$5, and wedding cake will be served courtesy of *Your Sweet Expectations*. For more info, go to www.broken.fm

Since the kids have no school on Wednesday, Nov 11 (Veterans Day), this works out great for SRCS students.

Wanted: A Few Good...Brooms?

High School PE needs 9 new brooms for those rainy days when "broom ball" is in order! Sounds like fun!