



# News Notes



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## Dates to remember:

Feb. 27- Mar. 2 "We Are One" event at OAA – Grades 5-8

Mar. 2 "We Are One" Concert at Gentry Church 3:00 PM

Mar. 4-8 Spring Week of Prayer

Mar. 8 Track & Field Day  
End of 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter

## Pre-K

### Mrs. Joanna Davis



It's hard to believe that Feb. is already over. We loved the weather for the first part of the week. We got to take extra time outside.

Our letter and number for this week was A and 11. We are working our hand muscles by cutting. Our Bible story has been about David and Goliath.

Please look at this month's calendar. A lot is going on in March.

## Kindergarten

### Mrs. Yossy Castillo



March is here! This week during Bible class we studied about the Feeding of the Five Thousand; we learned that God will always help us with our needs. In math class, we counted from 0-50 and identified the missing number. They did a wonderful job! This week for language arts we talked about words that start with the letter O. During science and social studies, our focus was on Alaska. I will be sending your child's March reading log. Please don't forget to send back the February reading log. Thank you.

Our letter for next week: Uu  
Our Bible verse:

"Even children are known by the way they act." Proverbs 20:11

## 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grades

### Mrs. Jamie Short



Here is a little of what we have been up to this week:

In math, we are still working on subtraction strategies. First graders have been solving equations with unknown numbers. And second grade is still working on mastering their regrouping when subtracting.

In science, we moved from looking at rocks and minerals to the ways that land is always changing due to weathering and erosion. We even got to experiment with this using sand and water. It was messy but fun!

In Bible class, we have gone piece by piece through the furniture in the sanctuary. After reading about each item, we discussed what that item teaches us about Jesus and then we participated in a prayer activity.

Instead of a treasure verse please continue to practice the Lord's Prayer at home.

## Treasure verse next week:

"Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and he will give you everything you need. So don't be afraid, little flock. For it gives your Father great happiness to give you the Kingdom." Luke 12:31-32 NLT

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

### Mrs. Tania Miller

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This week we had a lot of fun at Ozark Adventist Academy!

Please take note, for tonight (Friday, March 1st) students will need to be picked up at 5:30 in the cafeteria. If they would like to stay for the evening program, a parent chaperone will need to stay with them. There will be no supervision.

Tomorrow, March 2nd, the students have their Music Festival Concert. This will be held at the Gentry SDA Church. Please arrive 15-20 minutes early so we can have the students ready for the program. Please have your child wear a white shirt and black bottoms. If any information changes, I will be sure to contact you.

We encourage you and your child to stay the rest of the evening and join the fun after the music program. It's going to be a great time! (Please take note, there will be no supervision after the music program, and parents are responsible for their children after 4 pm.)

## 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grades

### Mrs. Eva Hill



☺ In Bible the last few weeks we've been discovering how Jesus prayed and how he has taught us to pray. We are hoping that each student will participate in a regular prayer journaling experience. "Prayer Diaries" that can be used as journals are in the Friday envelope today.

☺ Spelling words from lesson 24 will be tested next Friday. Your child's lesson 24 word list is stapled to the progress report in their Friday envelope.

Thank you for keeping our parking lots safe.





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## 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Mr. Demetrius Bell**  
**Mrs. Tara Bailey**



Greetings from OAS, where the spirit of unity and growth in Christ permeates every activity and accomplishment! This week has been nothing short of remarkable for grades 7 and 8 as we embarked on various endeavors, fostering our faith and camaraderie with fellow students from different schools. Here's a glimpse into our adventures:

### "We Are One" Event

The inaugural "We Are One" event at the OAA brought together students from diverse educational backgrounds across our conference, including homeschoolers, to celebrate unity in Christ. It was heartening to witness the bonds formed and strengthened through shared experiences and faith.

### Outdoor School Activities

Amidst the serene backdrop of nature, we delved into the History Bee, putting our knowledge to the test in an unconventional setting. The outdoor environment invigorated our learning experience and reminded us of the wonders of God's creation.

### Music Festival Preparations

Under the guidance of Mr. Blotor and Dr. Marc Élysée, a guest conductor from Andrews University, we eagerly rehearsed for the upcoming Music Festival. It was inspiring to witness how swiftly we could learn new songs, a testament to our collective dedication and passion for music. We eagerly anticipate sharing our harmonious melodies during the much-anticipated concert on Sabbath afternoon in the Gentry church at 3:00 PM.

### First Lego League Robotics

Excitement filled the air as we witnessed the ingenuity and creativity of numerous robotics teams, including our own, at the First Lego League competition. Cheering each other on, we marveled at the inventive designs and collaborative efforts displayed on the obstacle course table.

### Academy Days Activities

Our problem-solving abilities were put to the test as we collaborated to construct paper trebuchets, aiming for precision and accuracy. Additionally, we unleashed our artistic flair in designing the logo for future "We Are One" events and next year's t-shirt, showcasing our talents and creativity.

As we reflect on the past week's endeavors, we are reminded of the importance of growing by faith in Christ, not only individually but also as a community. Each activity served as an opportunity to strengthen our bond with one another and deepen our relationship with God. As we look forward to the upcoming week, let us continue to embrace every challenge and triumph with unwavering faith, knowing that our journey at OAS is guided by the loving hand of our Savior.

## **OAS STEAM CLUB**

### WINNERS' T-SHIRTS:

The Rock Smashers are selling their t-shirts in the school office for \$25! These can be worn on Fridays. They are a great way to join the fun, celebrate a win, and support their tournament.



Please congratulate our Rock Smashers Steam Team, Cruz, Aaron, Banner, Orion, and

Chase on their 1st place win at the Ozark Tournament yesterday! They have qualified for Nationals in Florida.

Thank you for keeping our parking lots safe.

We have so much to be proud of these boys, they worked very hard for this win! They displayed support and wonderful sportsmanship to all teams.



## **Mrs. Crystal Beierle**



### 2/22/24 AR Points

#### **Kindergarten:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade:** Denali 51.8

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Grade:** Isabel 16.7

**4<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Orion 20.1, Beckon 20.5  
Mia 20.9, Lily G. 25.2  
Melody 51.1

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade:**

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Katrina 15.5

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Michael 262.4

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Gabby 1.3, Rebecca 3.3,  
Myah 20.1

## **OAS Athletics**

### March 5: Basketball games

@Echo Knights

Girls: 4:30 PM

Boys 5:30 PM



## **OAS Home & School**

**Donuts with Dad** on Tuesday, March 12, at 7:30 AM.

