



News Notes



April 5, 2024
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Next Week's Lunches: Mon. 8th Sandwiches • Tues. 9th Pizza • Wed. 10th Vegeburgers • Thurs. 11th Hot Dogs

Dates to remember:

- Apr. 9 Muffins with Moms
- Apr. 12 PreK-Kindergarten Visitors Day
- Apr. 13 Education Sabbath at Springtown SDA Church
- Apr. 14 OAS Family Fun Run

Ozark Adventist School VISITORS' DAY FOR NEW STUDENTS PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN

FRIDAY - APRIL 12
9:30AM-11:30AM

Parent meeting:
11:00A in the library



Education Sabbath

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

10:45 AM WORSHIP WITH THE STUDENTS AND STAFF OF OZARK ADVENTIST SCHOOL.



SPRINGTOWN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
12444 FAIRMOUNT ROAD
GENTRY, AR

Health Tip Mrs. Martia Metcalf

"By practicing temperance in eating, in drinking, in dressing, in labor, and in all things, we can do for ourselves what no physician can do for us." *Temperance*, p. 139

We love our kids and want to see them happy and healthy! Many people don't realize that sugar is 8x more addictive than cocaine and it's hidden in many different products that we don't even know about. Fructose, maltose, lactose, dextrose, sucrose, and glucose are all forms of sugar found in packaged foods. The negative effects it can have on kids include lowered concentration levels, suppressed immune systems, diabetes, eczema, asthma, allergies, and weakened eyesight just to name a few. Some healthier, natural alternatives are honey, maple syrup, fruit, and stevia. Our children can still enjoy a sweet treat without suffering for it later!

Chia Seed Pudding (serves 4, 10 minutes prep)

Ingredients:
1/2 cup chia seed
2 cups coconut milk
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 tablespoon honey and 1 teaspoon stevia leaf powder
1/2 cup berries

Pre-K Mrs. Joanna Davis



I was so happy to see everyone after break. It sounds like everyone had a wonderful spring break.

Our letters were V and W, and our number was 14.

We did a science experiment with eggs. You will have to ask your child about it.

Our Bible story was about Joseph and his dreams.

We are in our last semester of school so most will be moving up to kindergarten. So, we have stepped up the game so kindergarten will be easier. We are learning how to sit

without talking for 10 minutes at a time and working on working quietly at our desks. The school year has gone by so fast.

Visitors' Day: Next Friday, April 12, our PreK and Kindergarten classes are inviting anyone to come visit if they are interested in possibly coming to our school next year. Please let your friends and family know. They can come from 9:30-11:30 AM with a parent meeting with the principal at 11:00 AM.

Please make sure you have your calendar marked for Saturday, April 13. We will all be at the Springtown SDA Church for Education Sabbath. The whole school is involved.

Kindergarten Mrs. Yossy Castillo



This week, the students compared pioneer times to current times. We talked about things that are necessary to take on a trip and some other things that are nice to take if there is room. They wrote words with the letter 'q.'

During math, the students identified and described two-dimensional and three-dimensional shapes. In science, we learned about different kinds of flowers, and in social studies, we learned about different types of transportation, pioneer toys, tools, and food.

Next week's letter: Aa
Our Bible verse:

'The Lord is our God, and we will worship... only him.'
Joshua 24:24"

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1st & 2nd Grades Mrs. Jamie Short



Hello parents!

This week in Math the first graders are working on an understanding of place value, counting by ones and tens, and comparing numbers. Second grade took their test over chapter 7 and we are looking ahead to more adding and subtracting within the hundreds this time.

In Science we have been studying weather and this was a good week for that. We talked about how to use certain weather tools and used them to track the weather for three days.

In Bible we talked about what qualities make a good leader or messenger. While many in the class felt that a strong person would be needed for the job, we read in the Bible that God's power is made perfect in our weakness. We have read several stories about young Ellen White and we are beginning to see all the ways that God uses the weak and unlikely people, animals, and circumstances to do His will.



3rd & 4th Grades Mrs. Eva Hill



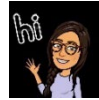
☺ We're looking forward to the Solar Eclipse next Monday. We'll celebrate this rare event with some special activities as well as safely viewing the eclipse.

☺ **Our field trip to the Oklahoma Aquarium** is next Wednesday! Students may wear field trip shirts and jeans. They should bring a lunch that does not require refrigeration or a microwave. Money for the gift shop is optional.

☺ **Spelling words from lesson 28** will be tested next Friday. For at-home study, the word list is stapled to your child's progress report in the white envelope.

☺ **Treasure verse next week:** Rather than a fill-in-the-blank quiz, students are learning the Beatitudes, Matthew 5:3-10 to say aloud.

5th & 6th Grades Mrs. Tania Miller



Dear Parents/Guardians,

We had a great week back from spring break!

Our last book report of the school year is due at the end of this month, please encourage your child to read, read, read!

Please note that next weekend- April 13th- is the Education Sabbath at Springtown SDA Church and students are strongly encouraged to attend. Students are asked to wear a white shirt and black bottoms.

The next day, April 14th, is the Annual OAS Family Fun Run! All students and families are encouraged to attend. Hope to see you all there!

Grade reports have been sent out in student folders. Missing assignments are listed on the grade reports at the bottom. Students are encouraged to take home incomplete assignments this weekend and return them when we get back on Monday. Please sign the outside of the folder to show you received the grade report and graded

papers for this week. You may keep the grade report at home.

Reading: Please help your child do their very best in school and encourage them to read 20-30 minutes from their AR books every evening. It is our last quarter and students need to earn 10-15 AR points by May.

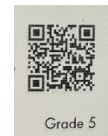
***Memory Treasure Verse for next week:**

*"Oh, Sovereign Lord! You made the heavens and earth by your strong hand and powerful arm. Nothing is too hard for you."
Jeremiah 32:17.*

***Spelling words:** Our spelling program individualizes student learning. The students take a pre-test online at myzbportal.com and based on their results, their spelling list is determined.

We take a pretest on Thursdays and send home your child's list in their Friday folder.

Please scan the barcode to access the spelling list and to practice with the online tutor. Select the diamond, square or circle depending on the list your child is assigned. (The shape will appear on the list sent home)



Grade 5



Grade 6

Have a blessed weekend!

7th & 8th Grades Mr. Demetrius Bell Mrs. Tara Bailey



We are thrilled to share the exciting adventures our students embarked on this week. The 7th graders ventured to

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Modern Mission, while the 8th graders explored New Life Ranch. Both groups embraced the challenges of team-building activities, learning invaluable lessons in strategy, trust, and collaboration. Through these experiences, our students not only strengthened their bonds with one another but also discovered the power of unity and perseverance in accomplishing a mission.

In the classroom, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to Mrs. Heibert for her dedicated service as a substitute teacher this week. Her passion for education and love for our students have truly been a blessing to our class.

We were also honored to have Mr. Summers join us for a stimulating session of Kahoot, challenging our 8th graders with thought-provoking questions rooted in the timeless truths of the Bible. His visit was a powerful reminder of the importance of grounding ourselves in God's Word and applying it to our daily lives.

Furthermore, we extend our appreciation to Mrs. Zambrano for her inspiring gardening lessons. It brings us immense joy to see our kale plants thriving under her guidance. Through the art of gardening, our students are not only cultivating plants but also nurturing a deeper appreciation for God's creation and the stewardship entrusted to us.

Mrs. Crystal Beierle



4/4/24 AR Points

Kindergarten

1st Grade: Nick 15.5, Theo 21.3
Bailey 25.9

2nd Grade Micah 20.1, Vivienne 50.0

3rd Grade: Zayde 25.3

4th Grade: Beckon 27.0, Banner 51.8

5th Grade: Jed 81.7, Jony C. 204.6

6th Grade: Lena 22.4

7th Grade: Elijah 57.7

8th Grade: Jack 75.7,
Sammy C 128.8

STEAM CLUB

If you have not heard the word, here it is! The Skyhawks Steam Team won the Champions award (1st place out of 11 teams) at their qualifying event in Athens, TX, at Lonestar Camp. Now they head to the National event held at Forest Lake Academy in Apopka Florida, May 5th. Please congratulate Katrina, Kali, Skylar, Lucy, Lyric, Boston, Jed, Jonny, Zac, and Elijah.

OAS ROBOTICS FUNDRAISER

STEAM
science technology engineering arts mathematics

OUR TEAMS ARE RAISING MONEY TO GO TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP ROBOTICS TOURNAMENT IN ORLANDO, FL ON MAY 5

How to help our teams get to Florida:
Purchase a Dominoes Pizza discount card! Buy online and it will be mailed to you directly.
Don't like pizza or don't have a participating Dominoes close to you? Consider making a Donation thru the OAS Website

OAS Home & School

OAS Family Fun Run: Sunday, April



14, 8:00 AM. Please pre-register by MARCH 17. We'd love you to use the above QR code to connect to Race Wizard to register and pay. You can also register and pay in the office.

MUFFINS with MOM

TUESDAY, April 9TH
7:15-8:00 AM
Where: OAS Youth Center

Please join us For this special event for Mom, Grandma, Aunt, or another special person in your child's life!

We will have a yummy variety of Muffins and we hope to see you there!

Sponsored by the OAS Home & School

Sleepy Hollow Store



Sleepy Hollow store is offering freshly baked entrees. Available Thursday afternoon and Friday until 5:00 pm. Call ahead to ensure your dish, or just drop by. They can make lasagna, Special K loaf, enchiladas, and chicken divan (Fri-Chik & broccoli) They can make 5X8 (\$9.99) and 9X13 (19.99) casseroles, Give them a call at 4797362320.

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