CVMS April 19, 2024 CVMS ETTER

From the Principal

Good afternoon, Bobcat Families!

I hope you will join me in celebrating CVMS student, Sammy S., who was just awarded not one, but TWO Gold Keys in the Regional Scholastic Writing Competition and will go on to compete at the national level. The competition includes entries from 7th - 12th grades and only ~5-7% of entries are awarded Gold Keys. Sammy won two...and against High School competition. We couldn't be more proud.

Thank you to all of the parents who came to Coffee with the Principal. I really appreciate the dialogue and I look forward to expanding our communication efforts to be able to engage with even more of our Bobcat community. Additionally, I would like to acknowledge and thank our tireless PTSA leadership for all of the support throughout the school year. Without the dedication of our PTSA, CVMS would not be able to do many of the extraordinary things we do every day.

Have a great weekend! Go Bobcats! Grrrrr...

Adam Bishop Principal

Upcoming Events

4/22 Late Start - Classes start at 9:45 am - Try not to be late on a late start!

4/22 8th Grade Promotion
<u>Application Available</u> for speech and singing auditions

4/22-23 Knotts Ticket Sales Extended

4/24 Bobcat Brag Party during PAW

4/24 Math League Awards Ceremony 6:00 p.m.

4/24 ML Learner Parent Meeting 6: - 7:30 at Earl Warren M.S.

4/25 Career Speakers during PAW

4/25-26 SBAC testing in Science

4/25 Family Fun Night 6-8 pm

5/1 No Place for Hate Event with students

5/1-4 CVMS presents Beauty and the Beast

5/3 School Lunch Hero Day - say thank you to our food service staff

Every Tues/Thurs:

Academic Power Hour (tutoring) in the





Donate to CVMS

Thank you to everyone who has already donated. If you haven't please consider donating to Carmel Valley Middle School! Every dollar helps support programs on campus!

cvmsptsa.square.site/fundraiser





ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Good Morning CVMS 8th Grade Families!

WE ARE EXTENDING THE DEADLINE TO PURCHASE KNOTT"S TICKETS TO TUESDAY, APRIL 23

Please review these important reminders regarding the 8th grade Knott's Berry Farm Trip on May 29.

- 1. Ticket sales window is open for two weeks (April 8 April 19) and cost \$118 (KBF entry, food voucher, and round trip transportation)
- 2. Tickets will be sold before school, during lunch, and after school as well as on the CVMS Webstore
- 3. Sales are final; refunds cannot be issued
- 4. Both forms attached here must be signed and submitted for student to attend the trip
- 5. In order to attend, students must maintain good citizenship leading up to the trip date

If you have any questions, please contact Xi Chen at xi.chen@sduhsd.net or Roberta Blank at roberta.blank@sduhsd.net.

We're looking forward to a great day and a great way to celebrate the (near) completion of 8th grade at CVMS!

Sincerely, Nathan Molina Assistant Principal

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

Families of any student who earned a "D" or "F" on the first semester report card or at the April progress report for English 7 or 8 or Math A or B were sent a summer school information and an application this week. Applications should be returned to the CVMS Counseling Office via email or in person by May 17th. Applications were also sent for our English Langauge Development Students as well. If you have any questions about summer school or need another application, please refer to the district summer school page or contact your counselor.

On Monday, our Bobcats completed an <u>advisory on lesson on stress</u> and effective strategies to deal with the many different types of stress they may experience. We wanted to share it with you so that you can use it as a discussion starter with your Bobcat. We also encourage you to look through the presentation so that you can have resoruces when you are helping your Bobcat deal with their stress. Slide 17 has some great resoruces for anyone to use to help refocus and reset.







ASB & GENERAL NEWS



ASB Events

Today we wrapped up Wellness Week with PJ day and bubbles!

8th Grade Knott's Berry Farm Tickets on Sale - April 15-19. Tickets will include entry to the park, transportation, and a meal ticket. The cost of the trip is \$118. Permission slips MUST be turned in or your student will NOT be allowed on the bus, and there will be NO refunds. Please see the information letter attached here for more information.

Beauty and the Beast, May 1st through 4th! The performance on May 1st is at 3:30pm for your convenience, and all others are at 6:30pm. On Thursday night, there will be an alternate cast of lead performers, so check with your friends to see which show they are performing in. Tickets are \$10 and are available through the finance window now or \$15 at the door.

Please come and be our guest!

Attention 8th Grade Families - Would you student(s) like to write and read a speech or sing the National Anthem for Promotion? If yes, please complete <u>this form</u> and submit it to the front office by Friday, May 3rd.

Make sure you mark your calendars for the audtions which are on Thursday, May 9th at 3:00 p.m. in Room 230.

ML Learner Parent Meeting April 24 from 6-7:30 p.m. at Earl Warren Middle School. There is an optional parent meet and greet from 5:30 -6 p.m. All English Learner family members are welcome; there will be refreshments, and a reclassification ceremony.

Yearbook wants to thank you for your photos all year. We are now finished creating the book and it's off to print! We only have 30 remaining to sell - go to <u>Jostens.com</u> to buy yours today! We will not be able to order extras and online ordering will soon close.





PTSA NEWS



Light Up the Night is coming Thursday April 25th from 6-8pm. There will be a DJ, Photobooth, Sparkler Machines & a LED Dancer performing. Admission is FREE! Bring your friends and family. Flippin Pizza & the Yummi Tummi ice cream truck will be selling food, drinks and snacks. See you in the quad!

The CVMS PTSA Membership Drive has started! By joining the CVMS PTSA, your dues support our school and students. PTSA members can vote on the PTSA budget and PTSA Board Officers. Memberships are \$25 per person. Joining the PTSA does not mean you are obligated to volunteer or make other commitments at our school. To sign up for a PTSA Membership visit: <u>PTSA Membership</u>.

Shop to Support - In addition to our annual fundraiser that is coming up, there are other easy ways you can support CVMS every day. Shop these retailers and the CVMS PTSA receives donations when you make a purchase.

Ralphs Community Contribution Program – link your Ralphs card account and they will send a donation every time you swipe your card. <u>Click here</u> for instructions.

CVMS MUSIC BOOSTERS



We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming End of the Year Concerts - <u>Wednesday, May 22nd</u> (*String Orchestras*) and <u>Thursday May 23rd</u> (*Bands and Jazz*)

Volunteers: The CVMS Music Boosters are always looking for volunteers to assist in making instrumental music available to all CVMS students for years to come. If you are interested, please take a moment to complete this <u>volunteer form</u>.

Please consider a tax deductible <u>donation</u> to our Music Department! Your generosity ensures a robust music program like no other for this year and beyond!



RESOURCES AND LINKS

CVMS Website
CVMS Calendar
CVMS PTSA

CVMS Bell Schedule SDUHSD Website

Carmel Valley Middle School 3800 Mykonos Lane San Diego, CA 92130

Website: <u>cv.sduhsd.net</u> Phone: 858-481-8221 Fax: 858-481-8256

REPEATED NEWS

PE & Spiritwear: PE clothing & spiritwear items are still on sale at the Finance Window or through the CVMS webstore <u>link</u>. New reversible sweatshirts in new colors are available.

Carmel Valley Library News - click here for their flyer.

Job Opportunity at CVMS: We have a job opportunity for a part-time Campus Supervisor at Carmel Valley Middle School. The hours are 11:06 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Please visit the job posting for more information: Click here





