



Valley Newsletter

April 2021



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Superintendent Notes—Mr. Anderson

2021-2022 Calendar

Our school board has ratified next year’s calendar (2021-2022). The calendar looks very similar to this year’s calendar. Wednesday, August 18, 2021, will be the first day of school, and the last day of school will end on Friday, May 20, 2021. Student contact days, quarters & semesters all remain about the same as past calendars. The new calendar can be viewed on our website, valleyvikings.org

Calendario 2021-2022

Nuestra junta escolar ha ratificado el calendario del próximo año (2021-2022). El calendario se parece mucho al calendario de este año. El miércoles 18 de agosto de 2021 será el primer día de clases y el último día de clases terminará el viernes 20 de mayo de 2021. Los días, trimestres y semestres de contacto con los estudiantes permanecen casi iguales a los calendarios anteriores. El nuevo calendario se puede ver en nuestro sitio web, valleyvikings.org

Valley Wrestlers

Valley qualified five wrestlers to State this year (February 2021). James Meyer (120 lbs.), Evan Allen (126 lbs.), Jesse Cardenas (132 lbs.), Hunter Henstock (170 lbs.), and Kadya Buhler (182 lbs.) all wrestled at the Idaho Center in Nampa. We appreciate and recognize their hard work and determination to make it to state competition.

Kindergarten Registration—Mrs. Kohtz

We will be having Kindergarten registration on April 21st from 12:00-5:00pm, and again on April 22nd from 8:00am-12:00pm. You can stop by at any time between these hours. A short 15-minute screener will be given to the students while parents fill out registration papers. To meet Kindergarten age requirements, your child will need to turn 5 on or before September 1, 2021. Masks are required inside the school building.

Tendremos registro de kindergarten el 21 de abril de 12: 00-5: 00 PM, y nuevamente el 22 de Abril de 8: 00 AM -12: 00 PM. Puede pasar en cualquier momento entre estas horas. Se les dará a los estudiantes una breve evaluación de 15 minutos mientras los padres llenan los papeles de registro. Para cumplir con los requisitos de edad del jardín de infantes, su hijo deberá cumplir 5 años el 1 de Septiembre de 2021 o antes. Se requieren máscaras dentro del edificio de la escuela.

SCHOOL BOARD

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ON THE WEB

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Spring Standardized Assessments – Mrs. Hardy

ISAT testing will be for grades 3-11 after spring break. SAT for all Juniors will be ALL DAY, beginning at 7:45 on Tuesday, April 13th.

Like always, please make sure your child has good attendance. They need to be at school on time and NOT leave early. Please make sure they are well rested and have good nutritious habits. IF your child will be gone, please notify the office as soon as you know they will be absent. It is difficult for students to stay caught up on assignments. During the testing season, when they are absent, it is even more difficult because they need to make up classroom work, as well as any standardized tests they may have missed.

Las pruebas ISAT serán para los grados 3-11 después de las vacaciones de primavera. El SAT para todos los Juniors será TODO EL DÍA, comenzando a las 7:45 el martes 13 de abril. Como siempre, asegúrese de que su hijo tenga buena asistencia. Deben llegar a la escuela a tiempo y NO salir temprano. Por favor asegúrese de que estén bien descansados y tengan buenos hábitos alimenticios. SI su hijo no estará, por favor notifique a la oficina tan pronto como sepa que estará ausente. Es difícil para los estudiantes mantenerse al día con las tareas. Durante la temporada de exámenes, cuando están ausentes, es aún más difícil porque necesitan recuperar el trabajo en el aula, así como cualquier examen estandarizado que se hayan perdido.

Book Drive—Mrs. Beames

Old books, new books, used books! Valley Elementary is collecting book donations through the month of April. We would love to have more books in our classrooms and in the hands of our students. If you would like to donate books, there will be a blue bucket outside the front doors of Valley Elementary for you to place them into.

Spring Driver's Ed Thank You – Mrs. Lamun

The Spring Driver's Education class would like to thank Tyler and Natalie Pierson for putting on a great class about driving in and around semi-trucks. It makes it so much more "real" when you can see it for yourself. We appreciate them donating their time and expertise for the good of our community. We also would like to thank Gary Amoth Trucking for allowing Mr. Pierson to bring his truck and trailer over to our school.



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Valley Greenhouse—Mrs. Meyer

Spring is here! We would like to thank all those who have supported the greenhouse through the years. Your support has benefited the high school sciences. This year our students have started jalapeno peppers from seeds. Our tiny plants are looking good. In addition, we have beef steak tomatoes, roma tomatoes, and some cherry sweet tomatoes. For flowers, we have moss roses, geraniums and petunias. The students are currently seeing if they can grow other varieties of flowers and vegetables from seeds. Check the Valley website for the order form and updates on what we have available, or come by and see for yourself. Hope to see you this spring!

BPA State Leadership Conference – Mrs. Gordon

The 2021 State Leadership Conference was held virtually on March 10th and 12th. This year the students had the opportunity to learn from a nationally known actor, author, motivator, Jesse LeBeau, also known as “The Celebrity Teen Coach”. They also participated in valuable workshops such as Interview Preparation & Skills, 4 C’s of Leadership, & Healthy Financial Habits. Congratulations to Angelica Beltran, Madyn Black, Vicky Chaires, and Adam Lukes for earning 5th place in Video Production Team. Congratulations to Henry Talbot for earning 5th place in Fundamental Spreadsheets Application and qualifying for National Leadership Conference. Valley BPA appreciates all the support from school administrators, parents, and the community to get us this far every year. Thank you to Mrs. Anderson for allowing us to take over her classroom and to Booster Club for providing snacks.

Mark Your Calendar! - Mrs. Lukes

The Family Wellness Night will be on Thursday, April 15th from 6:30-8:00pm. Vern the Viking mascot will lead us in a march around the elementary track. While inside there will be Olympic themed stations along with stations about nutrition and mental health. Come join us for the first fun family night of the year!

Boys Basketball—Coach Hardy

I would like to thank our community for all the support this year. Also, thank you to all the parents that helped take stats, video our games, announce, help with team meals, and travel to support your kids. Last, thank you to these players. I know we didn’t win our last game and the losses sting, but you were the most unselfish group of young men I have ever coached. We finished 19-4 and had some great moments together. I wish more people would have been able to see the way you played as a team. Thank you for your hard work and effort and for representing Valley High School in a positive way on and off the court. LEO!