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Upcoming Events

Monday, January 4:

2021/22 REGISTRATION —families now & K (see registration letter that was sent home January 4)

Thursday, January 14: **REGISTRATION/ RE-ENTRY FORMS RETURNED if possible**

Friday, January 22:

Next Newsletter

Thursday, January 28:

REGISTRATION/ RE-ENTRY FORMS ARE DUE

Friday, January 29:

PAC Meeting cancelled



Welcome Back

A warm and hearty welcome back! We are happy to be back and together again in our happy school home. We wish all of you a happy and productive new year in 2021!

Re-entry & Kindergarten Registration Forms

Re-entry forms & the \$75/student pre-registration fee for next year are **DUE BACK** on **Thursday, January 14 if possible**. The PVCA School Board will be using this information to determine any spaces available for the 2021-2022 school year. We are asking all families who plan be with us next year, to register their children. (Forms were sent home on Monday. Forms for Kindergarten 2021-22 are available in the office.)

PVCA Virtual Christmas

Our Virtual Christmas Performance is completed. If you would like a copy of this year's performance, please contact Mrs. Little. Even though this was very different than our previous Christmas presentations, it was still fun preparing and singing beautiful Christmas music together. Your children sound wonderful!

PAC Meeting

Thank you to the parents who have teamed up with us to develop and nurture a culture of participation.

The next PAC Meeting is **Friday, February 26 @ 8:30am**.

PROJECT REQUEST

We have just installed a **new light (with a day/night sensor)** for our school sign located at the beginning of our walkway. The light assembly is attached to the big rock in front of the sign.

Is there any parents/family/friends that might be able and willing to build a steel cage around this light? This cage would need to have mesh steel to allow the light sensor to work. PLEASE CONTACT **RALPH BERDAN @ 306-536-5151** if you are willing and able to do this project.

Skiing & Swimming

Please note, there will be **no school sponsored skiing or swimming lessons** this year. Neither the Vernon Recreation Center nor Silver Star Mountain are offering lessons to school groups this winter/spring. We are very sad!

Manila Envelope

Parents, please **be on the lookout** for a large manila envelope that will be sent home with your students. Inside there will be an Evaluation Survey that we need you to fill out and return in the 'confidential' envelope. Coming soon!

Wise Words

"Cooperation should be the spirit of the schoolroom, the law of its life."

~ Education p285



JANUARY Birthdays



Principal's Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursdays:
11:00am - 5:00pm

Outstanding Bills

Parents, please be sure to settle any outstanding fees for registration, logos or fleece jackets.

Newsletter Link

<http://www.pleasantvalleychristian.com/>



Drop off/ Pick Up

HAS CHANGED!!!! We now have the students picked up at the entrance. Thank you, everyone for the transition over to dropping off and picking up your children AT the entrance.

Introducing ~



Mrs. Pattie Sweet

My name is Pattie Sweet and I am the Teaching Assistant in the Grade 2/3 classroom.

Perhaps my greatest blessing is having Jesus in my life and in my heart. I begin each and every day by simply asking Jesus to lead me in the path he has chosen for me. "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." - Philippians 4:6-7.

I was born in Edmonton, Alberta. I moved to the North Okanagan in 1969. I graduated from Vernon Senior Secondary School in 1980. I went back to school several years later when I attended the University College of the Cariboo (now Thompson Rivers University) in Kamloops. I majored in Psychology and Sociology. Unfortunately I was not able to complete my Bachelors degree when my husband became terminally ill.

Little did I know the big plans that God had for me. From 2004 till 2016, I spent my life raising my beautiful step-granddaughter, Corrina. When she was 4 yrs old, It was Corrina's pure, natural faith that led me to start my journey to Christ. In fact we were baptized together at the Grandview Seventh-day Adventist Church in 2012. What an amazing journey it has been.

One of the most amazing answers to prayer I have received was coming to PVCA to work as a Teaching Assistant. I am in my second year here and am grateful each and every day to be able to share Christ with the students and staff here at PVCA. All of this by simply asking Jesus to lead me to where I should be!