



SANTA YNEZ VALLEY CHARTER SCHOOL

January Newsletter

Mrs. Million's Message

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Important Dates To Remember!

8th—Coffee with the Director, 8:00

11th—PTSO Meeting, Monday, 3:15

12th—Budget Committee Meeting, 4:00 PM

18th—Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday—No School

19th—Tuesday, 6 PM Board Meeting, Room 310

22—Family Movie Night, 6 PM, SY Gym

February

5—Coffee with the Director, 8:00

12-15, Presidents Day Weekend—No School

DRAGON GEAR STORE

Closed for the month of January. The store will open up again in February. Look for the flyer in February.

**Martin Luther King Jr.—Holiday
Monday, Jan. 18th**



Dear Families,

Happy New Year to All!

December seems like such a long time ago, but it was filled with so many wonderful events for all. I want to thank the students, teachers and parents who worked so hard to make our holiday show so wonderful! Every month I learn more about the amazing Traditions such as this one that make our school the great place that it is.

Please join me for coffee this Friday, January 8th at 8 a.m. I always enjoy talking to parents in this informal setting.

Family Movie Night is coming!!!

Friday, January 22nd, 6 PM

Family Movie and 5 minute student movies will be featured

ATTENTION STUDENTS

Show us your movie making skills

Submit your 5 minute DVD movie to the office by January 19th

Enrollment for 2010-2011

February is Open Enrollment for SYVCS. If you currently have a student at SYVCS who will be returning, **YOU MUST** complete an *Intent to Return Form* during the month of February. These forms will be sent home the first Tuesday in February. If you do not complete the form and return it to the office, we will assume there is a vacant spot and will enroll the next student on our waiting list. If you have another child whom you wish to enroll for next year, please fill out a **separate enrollment packet** during the month of February. If you have friends who are interested in enrolling their children for the 2010-2011 school year, please have them contact the office in February.

PTSO News

Thank you for participating in last month's fundraisers. The tamale fundraiser raised over \$500.00 and the Magical Holidays Catalogs raised over \$1,500.00.

Parking Lot Courtesy Reminder

Dear Families,

Not only must we respect our neighbors' request to keep the road clear, but parking in the *no parking* areas creates a safety hazard for our students. The preschool bus and large trucks cannot make the turn out of the drop-off area when cars are parked beyond the no parking signs. Please keep the end of the cul-de-sac clear and do not park beyond the no parking signs.

Thanks for your respect and cooperation!

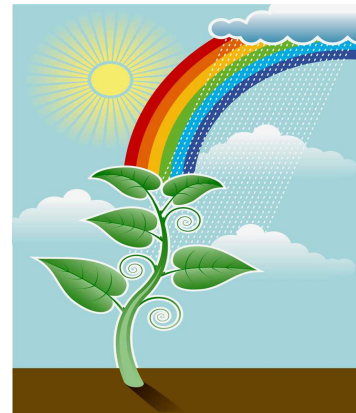
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Gardening Anyone?

We need volunteers to work in the garden.

Please contact Tonya @ 686-9388 or

Email her @ rc@silcom.com



From the Lunch Committee

Parents,

Please make sure that **you** drop off your child's lunch order to the office to make sure that the order is received on time. Orders have been found late in Tuesday Folders, Binders, and classrooms.

We don't want any children to go without lunch!

Thanks for your cooperation.

Character Counts

Character Counts is a character development program based on six pillars of character: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship. This month we are focusing on the pillar of *Fairness*. This can be defined as playing by the rules, taking turns, sharing and listening to others. Please help us as we teach students to treat others fairly.