

Events/News

Computer Club

Computer club ends at 3:15

January 5 – Group 3

January 8 – Groups 2 & 4

December Break is from 12/22 through 1/2/15. Enjoy your time off and we will see you on January 5th, 2015!

The P.T.C.C. is hosting a Movie Night during the December Break, details are on the flyer!

Welcome to Ms. Chesney! She comes to BVS with many years of experience teaching students in many different settings. She has joined Mrs. Whitman in the IMU as Mrs. Nichols retires. We wish Mrs. Nichols all the best in her retirement and we welcome Ms. Chesney to our community.

Physical Education:

In Physical Education class students have just completed their Badminton Skills Unit developing their hand-eye coordination, physical motor skills, and game strategies which were all used during small lead-up games and our middle school "Badminton Tournament." All students now are involved in a Lifetime Sport Activity Unit. Students in grades K-5 are participating and developing their Bowling skills in partners or small groups. Students in grades 6-8 are learning and developing their skills in the game of Volleyball.

Keep on Moving!

Mr. McKeen

Early Primary News:

K/1 read the book, Me On The Map, by Joan Sweeney. The students learned where they are in the world in relation to their home, town, state, country, continent, and world. They learned what their town, state, country, and continent's names are. They also worked on the directional words north, south, east, and west.

EEE News:

EEE will continue working on winter activities. Students are learning letters, practicing writing their names, and recognizing numbers 1-10.



With cold and flu season underway, it's an important time to do extra teaching about proper hand washing. Washing hands is one of the top ways to prevent illness from spreading. Hands should be washed at the following times:

- before eating and cooking
- after using the bathroom
- after cleaning around the house

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- after touching animals, including family pets
- before and after spending time near sick people
- after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing
- after being outside (playing, gardening, working with animals, etc.)

Here are the steps of proper hand washing:

1. Wash your hands in warm water when possible. Make sure the water isn't too hot for children's hands.
2. Use soap and lather up for about 20 seconds (antibacterial soap isn't necessary - any soap will do). Make sure you get in between the fingers and under the nails where germs hide. Make sure to wash wrists as well.
3. Rinse and dry well with a clean towel.

Hand sanitizer is less effective at killing germs and should not be used when hands are visibly soiled, but it can be used in the event that washing with soap and water is not an option. Don't underestimate the power of hand washing! The short time spent at the sink could save you from making trips to the doctor's office instead of doing fun activities.



Dates to remember:

12/22-1/2 ó December Break

12/30 ó Movie Night, 6:30

1/13 ó School Board Mtg., 6:30

1/15 ó Winter Concert, 6:30

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Movie Night

On

December 30th at 6:30 pm

The movie choices are:



Percy Jackson: Sea of Monsters

Rated PG

Though Percy (Logan Lerman), the half-human son of Greek god Poseidon, once saved the world, lately he's been feeling less than heroic. However, he doesn't have much time to brood -- the enchanted borders that protect Camp Half-Blood are dissolving, and a horde of mythical beasts threatens the demigods' sanctuary. In order to save Camp Half-Blood, Percy and his friends embark on a journey to the Sea of Monsters -- aka the Bermuda Triangle -- to find the magical Golden Fleece.

OR



The Secret of NIMH

Rated G

Mrs. Brisby (Elizabeth Hartman), a widowed mouse, must move her children out of their home in a field before the local farmer starts plowing. Unable to leave because her son is ill, Mrs. Brisby seeks the help of nearby rats, who have heightened intelligence after being the subjects of scientific experiments. She receives an unexpected gift from the elder rat, Nicodemus (Derek Jacobi). Soon Mrs. Brisby is caught in a conflict among the rats, jeopardizing her mission to save her family.