The Royal Review

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"Autumn Skies and Pumpkin Pies; Get Good grades and Don't Tell Lies!"

AEA Fair

The AEA Fair, on October 9, was an opportunity for grades 10-12 to learn about Adventist post-secondary education. University representatives travel from the United States and Canada to pitch their schools to students. Fair-goers can collect info on schools they're interested in by picking up brochures and paraphernalia at the various booths.

Written by: Emma

Philosopher's Quiry

Why are humans so confident in beliefs that can't be proven?

Written by: Vivienne

Riddles & Jokes

Why did the police arrest the turkey?

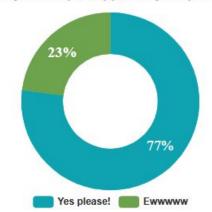
What begins with a T, ends with T, and has T in it?

What's the best thing about Switzerland?

Written by: Max

Monthly Poll

Do you like pineapple on your pizza?



Written by: Isadora

Be Greater

For this month the SA has picked "Acceptance" as the sub-theme.

Acceptance means to encourage one another to be open and accepting the way God accepts us as we are. The Bible speaks often about God's acceptance of us and how we should be accepting of others. When Jesus walked on earth, He was our perfect example of accepting others, no matter their sin or choices. Jesus extended grace and forgiveness to all and we are commanded to do the same!

Announcements

Nov 3 Daylight Savings
Nov 8 Report Cards and 9-12/ Decades day
Nov 11 No School (Remembrance Day)
Nov 12 Remembrance Day Assembly
Nov 20 Hot lunch by Grade 9
Nov 21-23 Burman Northern classic
Nov 22 Dress Down Day

Nov 25-29 Week of Prayer Dec 12 Christmas Concert

Written by: Chrislyn

WWU Fall Classic

Both volleyball and soccer teams went to the annual Walla Walla Fall Classic tournament on October 2nd. Our soccer team won 1st place and became the first Canadian team to make it to finals! Our girls volleyball team came 6th place but still had lots of fun playing and participating. Many people came to support and watch. We are very proud of our volleyball and soccer teams for working so hard. It was a very fun trip for everyone!



Written by: Miriam

Elementary Events

On October 11, grades K-8 had crazy hair day. The kids showed up with all kinds of crazy hairstyles such as colourful hair, bottles of Pepsi and other kinds of pop in their hair, and a bunch of colourful hair ties in their hair. A lot of kids participated in this event and had lots of fun showing up to school with silly hairstyles!



Written by: Harnoor

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Parent-Teacher Interviews

On Thursday, October 24, 175 total parent-teacher interviews were held. Grades K-8 didn't have school that day, so the teachers started their interviews at noon. All the interviews from grades K-8 took place from 12:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m., and all the interviews from grades 9-12 took place from 2:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

Written by: Max

Athletics Update

On November 7, the senior boys volleyball and Seniors Girls, will be heading to Harry Jerome, in Burnaby for the GVISAA finals ending the volleyball season. Later on in November, both teams will be heading towards Burman University to participate in the Northern Classic tournament. We send prayers and blessings for safe travels. Basketball season will be starting soon, and so far there have been tryouts. We look forward to the many games and their Walla Walla Friendship tournament in January.

High School Throwback Day

October 11th was high school throwback day. Students and some teachers dressed up as their younger selves. The people who dressed up carried a picture of themselves when they were younger, and they recreated that photo. Everyone looked adorable in their outfits. It was a very fun day!



Student Work



Mrs. Graham's class worked on layering drawings in art class.

(Left) Katherine Gr. 7, (Right) Marianne Gr.7



The Grade 5 class worked on an art project showing what they are thankful for just before Thanksgiving.

Josiah gr.5

Written by: Soleina

Q&A

What do you usually do for Thanksgiving?

- "Play with my family."
- -Ethan, Kindergarten
- "We bake stuff and people come over."
- -Blayke,gr.1
- "Play games with my friends."
- -Haley,gr.2
- "Friends come over and we eat."
- -Hailey,gr.3
- "Our cousins come over to our house.We eat and we all go outside to play."
- -Ava,gr.4
- "We have a feast and spend time with my family."
- -Jay,gr.5
- "I have fun with my family and play games and watch cool movies."
- -Noel,gr.6

- "We usually go to my cousins house and eat turkey and have a lot of fun."
- -Shaan,gr.7
- "We gather with my family at my house and eat and play games."
- -Kacie, gr. 8
- "Eat turkey or chicken and have family over."
- -Joseph, gr.9
- "Chill at home with my family and give thanks."
- -Adriana,gr.10
- "Eat and spend time with my family."
- -AJ,gr.11
- "Hang out with my friends and eat food with my family."
- -Dayana,gr.12

Written by: Miriam

Jr. Football Tournament

Our school's A and B football teams went to Kelowna to play against other schools from Thursday, October 18th to the 20th. On Friday we headed to the fields to play our games. We all played very well, and both teams made it to the finals. On Saturday morning we all got together for worship. After we were all done singing and listening to the preacher, we did a little game that got us to meet new people. On Saturday night A ended up winning against SAA and placing first while B team lost against PCS and placed second. Our ride back was eventful. It rained, snowed and even was sunny for a bit. While we were driving we almost hit a moose and we also picked up a Chinese tour group on the side of the road and dropped them off in Hope. Overall it was an awesome time! Our C teams had their tournament on Friday. Both C1 and C2 lost two and won two games. The kids on the team said they had lots of fun playing against DLS and they can not wait to try out for B team next year!







Written by: Celeste

Comic by Dora and Mia



Fall Fest

Fall Fest puts the fun in fundraiser. Different grades, teachers or electives can choose to set a booth up. Booths consist of food, snacks, activities or games. It's a great way to have a fun and festive day and earn some money at the same time, and it runs from 12-3pm. This year we had a great turn-out, not just from parents and students, but from the community as well. Some popular booths were the crepes, the hayride, and the Indian food.





Written by: Emma

Chapel

Pastor Ben talked to us about labels and how quickly we may obtain them. He gave us a chance to think of all of the things that we valued about ourselves, compared to the things we dislike about ourselves, to show that often it is easier to see the bad in people rather than the good. Pastor Ben explained to us how we need to work to look past the labels, seek the good in people, and accept them, because labels can be long lasting and affect people.

Dania Pandala gr.11, gave our second chapel, and we broke off into small groups to immerse into controversial questions and to share our points upon them. After this we looked at a section in the Bible and broke it down, asking what it meant, or how we could apply it to everyday life.

Written by: Soleina

Guest Speaker

David Hill, also known as cage fighter Nico the Dragon, came in to give a presentation to the high school on our early dismissal day. He spoke on his story of how he came into a relationship with God through tough times. David told everyone how he had originally come from a hard home life which led him into cage fighting and acting in fighting/action films. Then after hearing some tough news regarding a family member, he went down a dark path of substance abuse, but he came out when he heard the Holy Spirit. He began to follow God, which led him to giving inspirational speeches such as this, filled with support and prayer. He provided hope for those who may have been in his place before or felt some of the same ways he had.



Written by: Soleina

Chaplain's Corner

Hey everyone, month two of our school year went by so fast yet so slow. It feels like it should be Christmas already. I just want to give a huge shout out to our soccer team and our Jr. football teams for their huge successes at their respective tournaments. I am so blessed to be pastoring such amazing kids.

The text I want to focus on is Matthew 15:23. It says "But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, 'Send her away, for she is crying out after us.'

Not everyone can hear God like we can, not everyone has the same spiritual experience as us, not everyone makes the same "right" choices as us – but do we accept them or send them away? When a lady came to beg God to do something, the disciples wanted to send her away, and I believe that God never wants us to do that to anyone.

If you're reading this, I know that there is someone who feels rejected, or judged, or is not able to fit in that you know of. I want you to reach out to that person. I want you to try to make them feel safe and acknowledged. God's asking us to do that wherever we are – to not send people away, but to bring them in.

Let's make FVAA the place where people fit in.

- PB. (Pastor Ben)

Answers to Riddles &

Jokes:

They suspected fowl play; A teapot;

I don't know, but the flag is a big plus!