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"Love is in the Newspaper"

Philosopher's Query

Is it easier to love or be loved?

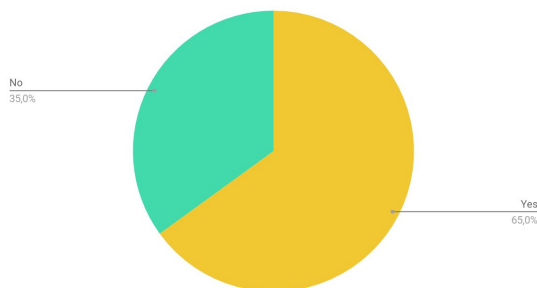


Written by: Zoe

Monthly Poll

Are you going to banquet?

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Yes: 65% No: 35%

Written by: Isadora

Announcements

March 6 ~ Pizza Hot Lunch

March 13 ~ Casual Loonie Day & High School Class Challenge

March 16 ~ Spring Break!

March 30 ~ School Reopens

Written by: Harnoor Bagri

Riddles and Jokes

1. Feed me, and it will give me life. But give me a drink, and I will die. What am I?
2. I exist only when there is light, but direct light kills me. What am I?
3. It only increases and never decreases. What is it?

Two cats are having a swimming race. One is called "One two three," the other "Un deux trois." Which cat won?

"One two three" because "Un deux trois cat sank."

Written by: Adriana

Trivia

Where does the word "love" come from?

A: St. Valentine invented it.

B: The Old English word "lēof," which means "dear".

C: Hallmark invented it in 1910.

D: None of the above.

Written by: Max

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Q and A

"What is your favourite part of Valentine's Day?"

→ "Being kind!" Gabriel, Jasraj and Serenity, grade 1

→ "Making cards!" Nikole, grade 1

→ "Sharing candy!" Kisha, grade 3/4

→ "Candy grams!" Kelly, grade 7

→ "I don't have a Valentine," Kacie, gr. 8

→ "Spending it with loved ones!" Avreen, grade 10

Written by: Soleina

Athletic Update

On February 8 and 9, our students participated in the annual CASA Volleyball Tournament hosted by Deer Lake School. Students from grades 6-10 played many other Adventist schools in BC.

Our B team made it all the way to the finals! They fell short against Okanagan Christian School, but still played amazing. Our A team placed third, losing against Cariboo Adventist Academy in the semi-finals. Our C team did incredible against their opponents as well!

On February 20, our boys played against another school for a chance to make it to the final four. Unfortunately, they did not

make it, but they had an incredible year overall. Our senior girls basketball team had a fun building year. Their season has come to a close, but they are excited to learn from their mistakes and come back strong next year!

Written By: Megan

Family Day

On Monday, February 17, FVAA had a day off for "Family Day," an extra day to spend time with family and friends. Here's how some FVAA students spent their Family Day.

"Going to Jungle Jac's and eating candy," Blayke, grade 1

"Playing video games and chilling at home," Jessica, grade 8

"Watching *Frozen* with my little sister," Jacob, grade 8

Written by: Chrislyn

Chapel

On February 20, Pastor Ben told high school students a story of when he was working at camp. He talked about how there was an intruder on the campsite and the staff members ran around trying to find the person, all while the other people were sleeping soundly, not knowing of the troubles happening. Pastor Ben says this relates to how God is protecting us every day, but we take it for granted, not knowing of his struggles to keep us safe.

Written by: Zoe



Spirit Days

This year, Pink Shirt Day, or Anti-Bullying Day, took place on February 26. Students at Fraser Valley Adventist Academy wore pink to symbolize that we will not tolerate bullying. Throughout the day, chapels were held at different times for elementary, middle school, and high school. In these chapels, students were encouraged to practice and spread kindness to everyone no matter who they are or where they come from. Everyone should be treated equally.



Written by: Miriam & Vivienne

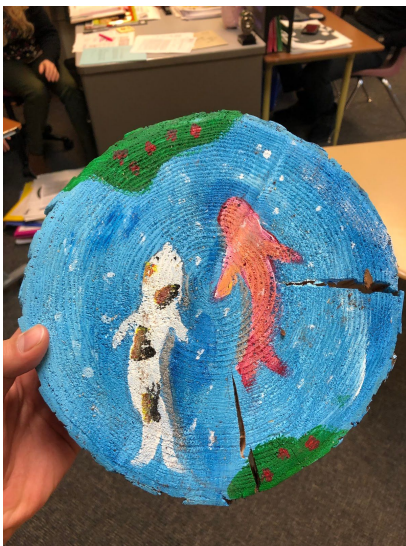
On February 6th, 13th, and 20th, kindergarten through grade 5 all went skating at Twin Rinks. All the kids that went said they loved the field trips. Kaelyn from kindergarten said she had lots of fun skating!

Written by: Celeste

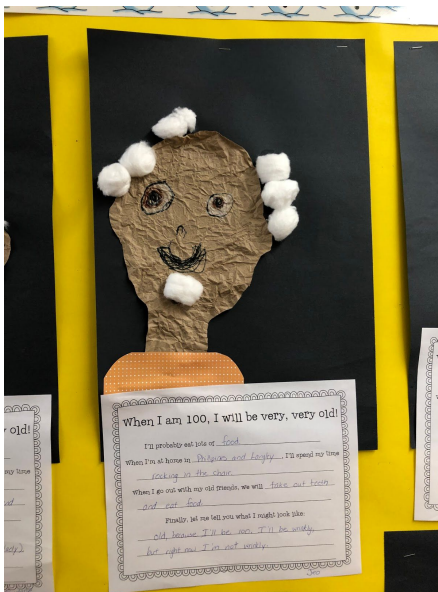
On February 27, new prospective students (and their parents) got a chance to see the kindergarten classroom and the elementary building. They got to ask questions, meet the kindergarten teacher, and determine whether or not FVAA would be a good fit for them. We hope to see them in September 2020!

Written by: Emma

learning how to write in graffiti. It was my favorite project so far!”



Gabriella Berdusco (grade 8) did this work in her art class. She said “I found this idea on TikTok. I really liked working on this. Thanks, Tiktok!”



This was created by Jeo in kindergarten. He was supposed to think about what he would look like when he is 100 years old. He said he will probably eat lots of food and be living in the Philippines. He said it was very fun and enjoyable working on this project.

Written by: Jinwon

1. Fire
2. A shadow
3. Our age.

B. The Old English word “lēof,”
which means “dear.”

On February 16, 2020, grade 9 to 12 spent their evening in the Langley Golf & Banquet Centre. Many talented students performed beautiful songs, and we also got to hear the piano and violin play. We had an amazing buffet, and the Student Association put out many entertaining games and a photo booth. The night went from 6pm until 9pm. Many titles were

given out. Zach won as best dressed guy, Mia won as best dressed girl, Brandon won as best proposal, and Velson and Avreen won as best compliments. The banquet theme was

“To all the friends I’ve loved.”



Written by: Dayana

Luke 13:6-9 tells us a story about a farmer who has a fig tree that has not been producing any fruit for three years. He was fed up, but as he was about to cut down the empty tree, his boss told him not to cut it down yet. He told the farmer to wait one more year, and after that year, he will know if he should cut it down or keep it. Life is a lot like this.

There are things in our lives that are not producing fruit. It could be trying to be an athlete yet always being on the bench. It could be studying hard for tests yet always getting bad grades. There are things in our life that no matter how much better we try to be at it, nothing changes. God is asking us not to give up immediately - to give it more time, at least a year. When the things we are trying for are not going our way, throwing in the towel right away is not it. We are to go at it again, try again, and only after giving our full effort one more time - will we be able to determine our next step. Keep grinding everyone.

Written by: Pastor Ben Amoah

This month, the “Be Greater” subtheme is about being more open and connecting with people on a greater level. Jesus connected with people on a deep, personal level while on Earth. He calls us to reach out to others and do the same. Try going out of your way to connect with someone this month.

Written by: Emma