



Bethany Lutheran

Quarter 4
May 3, 2019

Middle School Newsletter
May 6 through May 10, 2019

Upcoming Events:

May 2	Spring Band Concert & Talent Show 6PM—Community Presbyterian Church, Vacaville
May 5	All Ministry Outdoor Worship & Picnic in the Park— Pena Adobe 10am—3pm
May 6-7	Accreditation Visit to BLS
May 8-10	Middle School Alliance Redwoods Camp Trip
May 15	Minimum Day—Dismissal at Noon Extended Care offered—please bring snacks and lunch
May 13-17	Spring Book Fair
May 17	Muffins with Moms—7:30am-8am
May 20-24	TerraNova Testing
May 27	Memorial Day—NO SCHOOL

Outdoor Worship & Picnic—You're Invited! 10am



MAY 5, 2019

OUTDOOR WORSHIP SERVICE & CHURCH PICNIC

Pena Adobe Park

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This is a joint event involving all Bethany Lutheran Ministries Including Preschool & School staff and families. You won't want to miss the opportunity to 'Give Thanks & Praise to the Lord' in fellowship and fun with one another.

If you are interested in helping, please contact Hew Hesterman (hjhesterman@aol.com) or Pat Green (gmktzmom@sbcglobal.net) Or Dr. Smith (chris.smith@gobethany.com)

Outdoor Worship Service
10:00 a.m.

Live entertainment by Church, school children and families

BBQ provided
Bring a side dish dessert or salad

Games, Bucket Dunk, Hayride, Guided Trail Hikes

Bring a lawn chair or blanket for sitting

BETHANY LUTHERAN MINISTRIES
621 S. Orchard Ave
707-451-6675
Gobethany.com

The Youth Group will be having a DUNK TANK! Come and dunk Dr. Smith or Coach Nichols!
\$1 for 1st ball or \$2 for 3 balls



ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 31—Theme Dress Day: **Superheroes**

Come to school dressed as your favorite **SUPERHEROE** !

Chapel Offerings for May—"Make a Wish Foundation"



SUMMER CAMP @ BETHANY

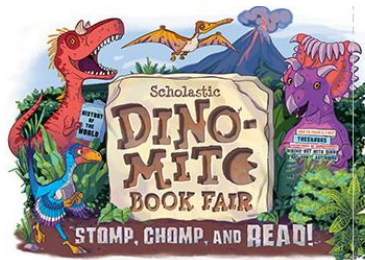
Weekly Program

June 10—August 9

Summer Camp registration packets will be going out this week. You can also find the information about our program on our website: GoBethany.com

Spring Book Fair!

Fundraiser for our Computer Lab!



Book Fair Dates: Monday, May 13- Friday, May 17

Book Fair Hours: Open everyday during lunch break and after school until 4pm

Class Trips: Monday, May 13

Stay tuned for other special events...

Mrs. Bakken's Bits and Bytes kari.bakken@gobethany.com

7th/8th Homeroom:

I am so excited that our Redwood Alliance Science Camp is almost here! We will load luggage into cars from 8-8:30 and then we will leave right after chapel at 9.

Just a reminder that each family is asked to donate Consumable Supplies like paper towels, tissue, 3 ounce cups, disinfecting wipes once during the year. We are at the beginning of the second semester so if your last name begins with

M-Z it is now your turn to bring them in. There is a detailed list of Consumable Supplies outside the office door. Thank you in advance for your help!

5th-8th Grade Math: Let's work hard and finish the school year strong! I encourage you to regularly check TADS to monitor your student's progress. Also, it is where you can find assignments if for some reason your student has missed class. If you would like to discuss your student's progress we can set up a time to meet. Please feel free to leave a message for me at school (707) 451-6683 Ext.18 or send me an email and I will get back to you as soon I can.

Aftermath is cancelled this week, May 9 since we will be at camp. It will resume on Thursday, May 16 from 2:45-4:00. No need to sign up in advance and there is no additional fee. It is on an as need basis. "Aftermath" is a good place for students to get extra help on their homework, study for tests, and do corrections.

Students are allowed to do corrections for half credit. They must show their work in order to get credit for their corrections. Here are the guidelines for **Test and Quiz Corrections:** **1) Do not** erase incorrect answers. **2) Label** the back of the paper or a separate sheet **Corrections.** **3) Redo** the problems missed, showing work or explaining how to do it correctly. **4) Get** a parent signature. **5) Turn** into the basket. **6) Place** returned tests with corrections in the Test section of your binder.

Here is what we have been up to and what's in store:

7th & 8th Grade Bible: There will not be a memory verse due this week since we will be at camp. We will be doing Lessons 59 and 60 in our "One in Christ" workbooks. The students did a great job presenting their chapel on "Real Patience" on Wednesday!

5th Grade Math (Period 3): This week we did Lessons 104-107 and took Test 20. Next week we will do Lessons 108-109. Corrections for Lessons 99-103 and Test 20 are due by the end of Aftermath on Thursday, 5/16. In order to get credit for corrections students must show work so that I know that they understand the material.

Middle School Math (6th grade, Period 4): This week we did Lessons 104-107 and took Test 20. Next week we will do Lessons 108-109. Corrections for Lessons 99-103 and Test 20 are due by the end of Aftermath on Thursday, 5/16. In order to get credit for corrections students must show work so that I know that they understand the material.

Pre-Algebra (Period 4): This week we did Lessons 9.7-9.9 and the Chapter Review. Next week we will review on Monday and take the Chapter 9 Test on Tuesday, 5/7. Corrections for Chapter 9 will be due by the end of Aftermath on Thursday, 5/16.

Algebra 1P (Period 2) : This week we did 9.4-9.6 on Quadratics. Next week we will do Lessons 9.7-9.8. Corrections for Chapter 8 Test and the Chapter 9 homework will be due by the end of Aftermath on Thursday, 5/16.

Geometry (Integrated Math 2): This week she worked on Lessons 12.1-12.2 on Probability and Permutations and Combinations. Next week she will do the Khan Academy for Lessons 12.1-12.2.

Science: This week we worked in the garden and on our Scholastic Science Magazine. Next week we will start a new Unit on Force and Motion and continue to work in the garden. **Thank you to Mrs. Aguirre and Mrs Owens for all the work they have done in the garden and for helping us take care of our seedlings. We are excited to see our seedlings starting to look like plants.**

Student Council: Thank you to all who gave money to our chapel offerings in April. The donations will be given to The Ronald McDonald House. They voted to have May's chapel offerings go to Make a Wish Foundation and for the May Themed Dress to be Super Hero Day on Friday, May 31.

Miss Harrison jade.harrison@gobethany.com

History:

5th/6th Graders-

Monday, May 6, 2019

- History Games

Wednesday, May 8, 2019

- **No history (MS Field-Trip)**

Friday, May 10, 2019

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Just a reminder for this quarter, I will only allow for late work to be turned in the following class period. Late work is -5 points. I will not accept late work 2 class periods later unless excused. So if an assignment is due Monday and the student turns it in Wednesday, it is -5 points. If they turn it in after that, 0 points. Last quarter was difficult with students turning assignment in so late.

[Mrs. Johnston deborah.johnston@gobethany.com](mailto:deborah.johnston@gobethany.com)

5th/6th Homeroom: Welcome back!

Just a reminder that all families are asked to bring in consumable supplies (paper towels, tissue, 3 Oz. ,drinking cups, disinfecting wipes,and printing paper) once a year. Those families who last name begin with the letters M-Z are asked to help and donate now. Thank you for all of your help. Once the weather heats up and the pollen starts blooming, we will be needing tissues and drinking cups. There is a complete list of supplies needed in the office.

Bible: We have finished lessons 1-85 in our "One in Christ" textbook. We are going to be working on Lessons 86-87(Do I honor God with my words?, Why are coveting thoughts sinful?) The bible verse of the week is "Encourage one another and build one another up." 1 Thessalonians 5:11 The bible verse is due TUESDAY, May 7, 2019.

English A: We will be working on a grammar and writing review this week. On Wednesday, our school will be going on a three day trip to Alliance Redwoods. No homework or spelling test this week.

English B: We will be working on a grammar and writing review this week. On Wednesday, our school will be going to Alliance Redwoods and will be back on Friday.

English C :7th and 8th Grade: We will be reviewing grammar and the writing process on Monday and Tuesday, and on Wednesday, we leave for Alliance Redwoods.

Wowza!! We did such a terrific job at our Spring Concert!! Both groups sounded EXCELLENT and I could not be prouder of all of the students. You all worked so hard and made it happen! Thank you parents for being there and supporting us!

We have one last Practice Log (#15) that's due Tuesday, 5/7.

We will be starting an exciting project using technology and our knowledge of music on Tuesday! This will be an ongoing project during the next few weeks.

I'll be updating and inputting grades this weekend, so please be patient! Lots of things to catch up on since I've been away. Please let me know if you have any questions!

Dr. Nomura's Spanish megumi.nomura@gobethany.com

Marvelous job with the stories, Spanish !! We had a great time presenting our stories in class... we spent last Thursday doing some revisions and hopefully students will have a finalized/finished product on Tuesday, 5/7.

Spanish 1A and 1B (6th Grades): page 37 in the workbook! Please make sure you're working on new vocabulary. We'll be starting a fun vocab project on Tuesday (yes, you read the correctly.). Please make sure you finish your stories if you're revising them for Tuesday, 5/7. Thank you!

Spanish 1B (5th Grade): No homework, unless you're revising your stories!

Spanish 2 MS (7th and 8th Grades): AMAZING/FABULOUS/WONDERFUL job with your food project!! I honestly was completely blown away by everyone's hard work and preparedness. Thank you for being responsible and taking ownership.

Coach Nichols william.nichols@gobethany.com

LIFE SKILLS

Now that we are in the 4th quarter the students will take part in our life skills class. We have learned a bit about nutrition, changing a car tire, and will be working on how to debate properly.

Keyboarding

Friday and students need to be at 27 hours on typing club. I'm happy to see that the students are doing well with the keyboard covers and have seen a uptick in words per minute and accuracy.

PE

At the start of the 4th quarter we know what your students strength and weaknesses are. This will help the students get ready for the next fitness test. We will be working on playing games, strengthening, and aerobic endurance over the next few weeks. I'm so happy that a lot of the students have increased there fitness standards results.

