

NEW VISTAS NEWS

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

May 3, 2010

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School Hours: 8:15 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Website: www.newvistaschristian.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

May

- 4 – Parent Faculty Club Meeting, 7:00 pm
- 4 – Walk/Jog-A-Thon Kick off
- 6 – National Day of Prayer
- 8 – Work Day, 9:00 am – 12:00 Noon
- 10 – Rally Day at Sky High
- 10 – 4th Quarter Progress Reports
- 11 – **Parent Support Meeting, 7:00 pm**
- 17 – 21 Staff Appreciation Week
- 18 – “You’re a Good Man, Charlie Brown” Play - FREE
- 21 – 1st Annual Walk/Jog-A-Thon
- 25 – Science Lab Experience
- 31 – Memorial Day (no school)

June

- 1 – All School Trip – To be announced
- 8 – Last Day of School – half day
- 10 – Graduation & All Students Awards, 7:00 p.m.
- 11 – Parent-Teacher Conferences (by request only)
- 12 – Work Day, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

ATTENTION! PARENT SUPPORT MEETING

Mark your calendars! The Parent Support Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 11, 2010 @ 7:00 p.m.
Godly Parenting: The Proper Care and Feeding of Your Children by Jan Falk. Don't miss it!

WALK/JOG-A-THON KICK OFF

Dear Families: We are having the last fundraiser for this school year. Please encourage your student to participate. This will be a great opportunity to support the school and have fun at the same time. Event will take place at the school on May 21, 2010 at 10:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR

Reminder: The deadline is approaching fast. Make sure to turn in your registration forms by the May 8, 2010 and save \$75.00 on the registration fee.

Chapel Theme for May: *Gentleness*

But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with *gentleness* and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.

1 Peter 3:15-16

THANKS & PRAISES!

Thanks to **Mr. & Mrs. MacDonald** for the hockey gear they donated to New Vistas!
Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Jensen for their generous donation for Grandparents Day!
Thanks to **Mrs. Murray** who organized and prepared all the delicious food for Grandparents Day! The flowers were lovely too! Thanks also to **Mrs. Angel & Mrs. Collins** who helped out with Grandparents Day!
Thanks again to **Mrs. Stewart** and **Mrs. Murray** for the great job on our main bulletin boards!
PRAISE! Ms. Penn is back! Please keep her in your prayers. What a trooper!

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for healing for Christian Lo's grandfather.
Pray for The Fullers in the loss of Taylor's aunt who recently passed away.
Please pray for the people in Chile and Haiti.
May the Lord bless the Murray family with good health.
Pray the Lord would provide and bless everyone that is going through health and financial struggles.
Pray that God would bring healing to Mrs. McSorley's body.

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.

Psalms 46:1

Teachers' Corner

Mrs. Romeo: All the English classes have memorized 14 poems thus far. Great work guys!

Cooking class has had two cooking homework projects; the families enjoyed their cooking.

Ms. Penn: Science classes are working very hard on their science lab experience projects.

Mrs. McSorley: Intermediate math class is working on multiplication tables and basic fractions.

Ms. LaRue: Bible classes are memorizing 1 Corinthians 3:4-8 and learning from the Bible how to love others God's way.

ONGOING YEAR-ROUND FUNDRAISERS

Please remember to clip and save **Box Tops for Education**. New Vistas will receive **10 cents** for each Box Top returned.

Quality of Life Scrip Card: Attention Raleys, BelAir, or NobHill shoppers. Please see Mrs. McConnell to get your Scrip Card. Use it every time you shop and 1% of the total amount of your purchases will go to New Vistas. Use your card for all of your purchases including prescriptions, dairy products, etc.

Aluminum Cans & Plastic Bottles: Students will be paid Simutown money for each bag they turn in. Thanks to everyone who has brought cans and bottles! Great job! Keep them coming!

eScrip is an important part of our fundraising program. We ask that **every family** help us make the grade in our fundraising goal. We need all of our families to get straight A's in their enthusiasm to raise funds. This task will not require hours of homework but just a few minutes of your time and your grocery club card number.

- Log onto www.eScrip.com. Enter our School Id# 137073872.
- You can also register your debit and credit cards.
- Shop at eScrip merchants!
- Use your eScrip registered cards for all your purchases.
- A percentage of purchases will be automatically contributed by the merchant.

That's it! It is that easy-your family shops-our school earns dollars.

Parents: Do not just throw away your old ink cartridges. Instead, bring them to New Vistas to be recycled. Our school will receive up to \$3.00 for each empty ink jet cartridge we collect. We accept the following brands of ink jet cartridges:

- All Hewlett Packard Ink Jet Cartridges
- All Lexmark Ink Jet Cartridges
- Canon BC01/02/05, BC20, BX3 Ink Jet Cartridges
- All Compaq Ink Jet Cartridges

Please note: we do not accept Epson ink jet cartridges.

Permission slips and forms sent home this week:

- You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown
- Rally Day – Sky High
- Jog-A-Thon

