



Dates to Remember:

May 5th	2 nd Grade field trip Coaches Appreciation Dinner
May 6th	8:30 a.m. Mass full dress uniform May Crowning Mother-Son Giants Night
May 9th	Earth Day Movie- 8:45-11:40am Guild Meeting
May 10th	New Parent Buddy Night
May 12th	6 th Grade field trip
May 13th	Class of 2011 Sports night
May 14th	1 st Annual Poker Fundraiser
May 15th	Mother-Daughter Tea
May 16th	12:30 Dismissal
May 19th	4 th Grade Pioneer Day
May 20th	8 th Grade field trip
May 21st	Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
May 24th	1 st Grade field trip
May 25th	5 th Grade Recycling Field Trip
May 26th	Men's Club 6:45 p.m.
May 30th	No School Memorial Day Holiday
May 31st	8 th Grade Dinner/Dance
June 3rd	Graduation
June 6th	Game Day at Ponderosa
June 7th	7 th Grade Field Trip
June 8th	12:30 Dismissal
June 9th	12:30 Dismissal
June 10th	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL NO P.M. Extension!

Principal's Notes:

Welcome Back. I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter and an enjoyable Easter vacation.

With less than two months left of school there is still much to be done and much to look forward to, including our first Friday mass on May 6, which will be the May Crowning ceremony. On Wednesday, May 4th, our school band will perform at 7:00 in the evening at Serra High School, on Thursday evening, May 5th at 6:45 will be the Coaches Appreciation Dinner in Falcon Hall and on Friday, May 6th will be a pleasant evening for those of you who were lucky enough to get tickets to the Mother-Son Giants game. Also during this very busy 1st week of May the entire school has been celebrating Teacher Appreciation Week. Wow, what a week and this is just the first week of May. As usual we will continue to update all of you on upcoming events and activities.

May the following prayer remind us of the promise of renewed life through the Gift of the Risen Christ which we now focus on to nourish our lives.

*Let us:
Feast on Christ dwelling in others
Feast on gratitude
Feast on patience
Feast on appreciation
Feast on positive attitudes
Feast on forgiveness
Feast on compassion for others
Feast on hope
Feast on the love and greatness of Christ*

Many Blessings to all of you,
Kathy Lucchesi

YEARBOOKS

The yearbooks have arrived! If you have reserved a yearbook, they will be distributed soon. Please send your payment of \$25 no later than Tuesday, May 10, 2011. If you did not reserve a yearbook and would like to purchase one, please send in your payment now, there is a limited quantity. Thank You.

Band Information

We have a substitute band teacher during Mr. McClanahan's absence.

Welcome Mr. Joshua Frye.
If you have questions or concerns you may contact him at Joshua.frye@comcast.net

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

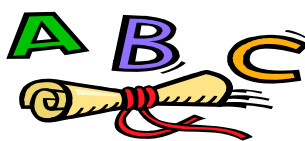
PG&E is hosting a community Open House meeting on Wednesday May 11th in the Parish Center from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. to answer questions about gas pipeline testing that is planned in our area shortly.

The testing involves filling the lines with water to see how much pressure they can safely handle. PG&E says neighbors might smell natural gas when the pipelines are emptied and thus are taking this proactive approach in addressing any concerns.

PG&E will examine approximately 3-4 miles of pipelines in its system that is underground from Sneath Lane (Crestwood Area) in San Bruno, down to Junipero Serra, thence Ponderosa and Alida Way crossing El Camino Real to Old Mission Road up Evergreen, and terminating at Hillside.

We encourage you to attend this informative and outreach effort by PG&E.

Student of the Week



Week of 4/11-4/15

K	Ryan Rocha
1	Kayla Cole
2	Jordan Lacanlale
3	Gino Lopiccio
3	Joshua Fanning
4	Matthew Collins
5	Grace Kruljac
5	Sean Bonitz
6	Savannah Grubbs
7	Kesaia Langi
8	Gerhard Dielacher

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Track

Championship Meet

Sunday May 15th

@ Chabot

College

Field Events

@ 10:00 a.m.

Running Events

@ 12:30 p.m.

Please be on the track site ½ hour before the start time for warm-ups.

Student of the Week

My spiritual gift is Understanding. The meaning of Understanding to me is to have empathy in me. Putting ourselves in other people's shoes is empathy. By that I mean having to know other people's deep feelings. I use this gift, before I do something disrespectful of others, I think, "how would I feel if someone did that to me". In other words, "treat others the way you would want to be treated".

Understanding is a great gift to have. Everyone has a gift from the Holy Spirit, now go and share your with others.
Kesaia Langi – Seventh Grade

SPORTS

On Monday, May 16, 2011 at 6:30 p.m., there will be an informational meeting for all 3rd grade parents regarding the St. Veronica Sports program. The meeting will be held in the Parish Center. It is mandatory that all 3rd grade parents who are new to the sports program attend.

Congratulations to Alessandro in Kindergarten who welcomed a baby brother; Ivan Garcia on Friday, April 22nd!

Needed

Anyone interested in being the Treasurer of the Men's Club?? They are now accepting nominations. What a perfect opportunity to share your talents! Any one interested can contact Daryl Keiper at (daryl.keiper@gmail.com) or Gabe Gonzalez (gabe5757@gmail.com).

Important Scrip Info:

If you chose the buy-out option, please send in your check for \$300 by May 15th. Please make your check payable to St. Veronica Catholic School with a notation of "scrip buyout" in the bottom left corner.

Poker Fundraiser

Any family who has signed up to play in the Poker Fundraiser, their child(ren) will receive 1 free dress pass for school.

Earth Day Movie!



On May 9, 2011 the entire student body will be going to see the Disney movie, African Cats. Students will be walking to Tanforan and will leave school at 8:45 a.m. and should be back by 11:40 a.m. Lunch/hot lunch will not be affected.

Guild Meeting...May 9th....Babysitters

K. Teupel, L. Yarwood, M. Coughlin, N. Mussman, A. Graham

St. Veronica Student Acknowledgements

Walk A Thon Winners

First Place – Brandon Yap	6 th Grade	\$261.00
Second Place – Neil Hauser	4 th Grade	\$200.00
Second Place – Andres Mora	Kindergarten	\$200.00
Third Place - Max Castro	1 st Grade	\$177.00

Archdiocesan Respect For Life Essay

Honorable Mention

Giuliana Vincenzi	1 st Grade
Savannah Ponce	2 nd Grade
Gavin Kiely	3 rd Grade
Alexis Luciano	6 th Grade
Henry Nibbelin	7 th Grade
Lindsey Chen	8 th Grade

Elocution Contest

Kindergarten

1st Place Fiona Jensen
 Kate Lau

Level 1-2

Isabela West

Level 3-4

Bronwyn Miguel

2nd Place Marissa Abaya

Tyler Do

Emily Gueco

3rd Place Rhianna Duri

Arielle Mendoza
Kylie Wilborn

Kaitlyn Bullentini

Honorable
Mention

Raquel Calderon

Aiden Aherne
Alex Pelaya

Danielle Basco
MaryKate Buscher
Jiselle Pantig-Velasco

Level 5-6

1st Place Mariel Palacio

Level 7-8

Lindsey Chen
Siobhan Murphy

2nd Place Danielle Rodriguez

Amanda Vallecorse

3rd Place Trentin Birch

Alyssa Yee

Honorable
Mention Nathan Candler
 Lia Delucchi
 Diego Morales

Paola Santana
Jenna Reynolds

Mathletics

Sponsored program by Catholic Television Network used with our technology program for Grades K – 8.

1st Place	Justin Vargas	3rd Grade
2nd Place	Adeeb Shihadeh	5th Grade
3rd Place	Serena Shihadeh	2nd Grade
4th Place	Matthew Yee	3rd Grade
5th Place	Amaya Keiper	2nd Grade