



News Notes

March 27, 2026



Ozark Adventist School



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Lunches: Mon. 30th Sandwiches Tues. 31st Pizza Wed. 1st Vegeb主rgers Thurs. 2nd Hot Dogs

Dates to Remember

- Mar. 28 Grades 5-8 Concert
3:00 PM at the Gentry
SDA Church
- Mar. 31 **Class group pictures/
Whole school picture**
- Apr. 6-10 SPRING BREAK – NO
SCHOOL
- Apr. 13 PSAT Test Grades 7 & 8
Optional
- Apr. 14 Muffins with Moms 7:15A
- Apr. 16 Spring Explorium 6:00
Noon Dismissal
- Apr 18 Education Sabbath at
Springtown SDA Church
- Apr 19 OAS Family Fun Run
- April 20-24 Spring Week of Prayer
- Apr. 24 Visitor’s Day/Move Up
Day for PreK, Kinders, &
First Graders

This week we focused on the letters U and C. Our number was 9, and we practiced counting by 5’s.

The children really enjoyed repeating our Bible story about The Good Samaritan—they did such a great job remembering it!

We are also working on our Spring Explorium program. Some of our friends are learning how to spell their colors, while others are still practicing and may need a little extra help.

Class Need: We need 8 paper towel roll tubes. If you have any at home, we would greatly appreciate your donations!

I really enjoyed our parent-teacher conferences this week! It was such a joy sharing all the improvements your child has made. Thank you for taking the time to meet—I truly appreciate your support!



worked very hard writing and reading a lot this week—great job!



Math: We practiced position words such as behind, in front, above, below, and next to using different shapes.



Science: We learned about germs and the importance of washing our hands to stay healthy.



Social Studies: We explored Japan and learned what an island is.



Reminders:

- Memorize your marine animal facts by April 1st
- Bring a water bottle
- Complete your reading log
- Bring your blue folder

Step Challenge

We are continuing for the month of April. Please keep recording your steps! This is part of our health initiative. Parents, we hope you are joining us in the step challenge!

Pre-K

Mrs. Joanna Davis



It has been a beautiful week outside!



Kindergarten Mrs. Yossy Castillo



This Week in Kindergarten



Bible: We learned about what heaven will be like when Jesus comes back for us. What a beautiful and exciting promise!



Language: We reviewed the short e sound. Students

1st Grade

Mrs. Bonny Baldrige



Memory Verse: “How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!” 1 John 3:1 NIV

Bible: We are learning that God celebrates when we come to Him because we are so precious to Him.

Phonics: Our phonics focus the coming week is vowel teams. oa, ow, oe (load, flown, doe, steamboat) and ie, igh (lie, night, delight).

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Science: How is position described? Relating one position to another.

Social Studies: How can we discover history? Discussing life then and now.

2nd Grade

Mrs. Jamie Short



In Phonics this week, we learned about the prefixes mis- and pre-. Each phonics lesson has been a great vocabulary lesson as we discuss the meaning of the root word and how it changes when the prefix is added.

In Math, we wrapped up our chapter on measuring using standard units. We also practiced comparing the lengths of objects.

In Science, we discovered the reason behind our days, years, and seasons. We used models to learn how our Earth spins and orbits the Sun.

In Bible, as we read more stories of Ellen White, we discussed people who doubted (and still doubt) that her visions were from God. This is a big topic for second graders. What we decided was simply that the things we choose to listen to should always point us closer to God and His truth in the Bible. We also

agreed that we should always use the Bible as our source of truth.

3rd & 4th Grades

Mrs. Hayli Enochs



Happy Friday, everyone!

This week, 4th grade started division, and a direct quote from class was “nightmare movie”. We are getting better and learning how to do it, though. In 3rd grade, we are learning fractions. Everyone seems to be catching on quicker than they thought they would. Please help your child study for their upcoming science test. We just finished studying space. Also, be on the lookout for projects for Spring Explorium.

I hope to see everyone at the “We Are One” performance this Sabbath. I hope you have a restful weekend! Only one more week until Spring Break!

Blessings, *Mrs. Enochs*

5th & 6th Grades

Mrs. Tania Miller



Our students had a blast this week at the “We Are One” program.

All are encouraged to attend Sabbath at Gentry SDA Church for both Sabbath School and the church service tomorrow.

Please also remember that we have a performance at 3:00 PM at the

Gentry Church. Kindly have your child dressed in a white top and black bottoms.



Volcano Project

This is a friendly reminder to continue working *little by little* on the volcano project. The due date is **April 14th**, and starting early will help avoid last-minute stress. We will be showcasing these projects for the Spring Explorium open house the evening of April 16th.

7th & 8th Grades

Mr. Ethan Reid



I wanted to start by sharing why I was out earlier this week. I ended up in the hospital with something called mesenteric adenitis, which is basically inflammation in the lymph nodes in the abdomen. It was pretty painful, but I’m doing much better now and should be fully recovered within the next week or so—thank you for your patience and support!

The rest of the week has been a fun one for the students. On Wednesday and Thursday, we’ve been at “We Are One” at Ozark Adventist Academy. The students have been busy practicing for the Choir Production this Sabbath afternoon, and we would love to see as many of you there as possible! They’ve also had the chance to experience academy life a bit—jumping into classes like art, science, cooking, and athletics around campus. It’s



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been a really great experience for them, so be sure to ask your student what they've been up to and what they enjoyed most!

LIBRARY

Mrs. Crystal Beierle



AR Points for 3/26/26

Kindergarten **Grade 1**

Ethan 1.0 Selah 16.0

Grade 2 **Grade 3**

Nick 5.6

Otto 156.2

Grade 4 **Grade 5**

Trent 75.1 Zayde 13.7

Grade 6 **Grade 7**

Ella 24.0

8th Grade

Stewie 25.1



OAS SPORTS

Gymnastics:

OAA Gym
Monday & Wednesday
3:15-4:15 PM



Girls' Volleyball

Grades 6-8
Youth Center
Mondays 3:15-5:00
March & April

OAS STEAM TEAMS

Past Patrol took first place in robot design and second place overall at the Bentonville qualifier on Tuesday. They earned a spot in the national competition happening this May in Florida along with Indiana Bones. We are very proud of both teams!



OAS HOME & SCHOOL



Our 10th annual OAS Family Fun Run is right around the corner and will be here before we know it!

REGISTER SOON TO ENSURE YOUR T-SHIRT SIZE! Save the date, Sunday, April 19th. (See flyer) Use this QR code to register:

Race Wizard



OAS COOKIES



You can order cookies to be delivered to your friends & family.

Next delivery date: March 31. The order forms are in the hallways at school. Cookies are \$.50 each. This is an academy fundraiser.

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