

Message from the Principal

Dear SVAE Families,

As we head into the weekend, forecasts are calling for significant snowfall, which may result in school closures for several days. Please keep an eye on your phone for text alerts from the school regarding any schedule changes. To support continued learning, a Snow Day Packet will be sent home with your child. We ask that all assignments be completed before students return to school so they can stay on track academically.

Our annual Ski Day on February 5 is quickly approaching, and we are looking forward to a wonderful day of fellowship and outdoor fun. If your child and any additional family members plan to attend, please register online as soon as possible and return the permission form and payment to the school office. (Permission slip and online information was sent home last weekend)

We are also preparing for our upcoming Career Day on February 6, which will feature a visiting author. If you are interested in purchasing her book, please send in the order form that was sent home last week.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership. It is a blessing to work together in nurturing our students spiritually, academically, and socially.

Warmly,

Jacqueline Powell-Long
Principal

SVAE

Upcoming Calendar Events:

January 26-30	MAP testing
January 28	Girls Basketball game @ SVAE @ 4 p.m., Boys @ 5 p.m. against MAPS
January 29	Visitor's Day
January 29	Girls Basketball game @ SHA @ 5 p.m., Boys @ 6:15 p.m.
February 2	Girls Basketball game @ EMS @ 4:30 p.m., JV Boys @ 5:30p.m., Varsity Boys@ 6:30 p.m.
February 3	Girls Basketball game @ SVAE @ 6 p.m., Boys @ 7 p.m. against TLC
February 4	Parent/Teacher Conference/No School
February 5	Ski Day/12 p.m. Dismissal
February 6	Career Day
February 10	Girls Co-Ed Basketball game @ SVAE against Vienna @ 6 p.m.
February 16	President's Day/No School
February 19	Girls Basketball game @ MAPS @ 4 p.m., Boys @ 5 p.m.
February 21	Talent Show @ 6:30 p.m.
February 24	Girls Basketball @ SVAE @ 5:30 p.m. against Flames, Boys @ 6:30 p.m.
February 26	12 p.m. Dismissal/ Teacher work afternoon
February 26	Girls Basketball game @ SVAE @ 5 p.m. against Legacy, Boys @ 6 p.m.
March 7	Vespers, Movie Night, Open Gym Counts as School Day 6p.m.-10 p.m. DATE CHANGE

Annual Ski Day sign-up for Feb. 5 at Canaan Valley was sent home on Tuesday with all children in grades 1-8. **All 5th -8th grade students are encouraged to attend. No student will be left behind because of finances. "Students in grades 5-8 that choose not to go will be given a "Packet of work to do at home".**

Students in 1st-4th grade are welcome to attend with an adult chaperone. For those students who are not planning to participate, alternate activities will be planned at school. This is considered a school day and attendance will be taken. We will have a 12 p.m. dismissal. Skiers will return in the evening.



Talent Show will be Saturday night, February 21 at 6:30 p.m. A sign-up sheet is in the office on the counter. We want to have a lot of variety in the show. **Please encourage your children to participate either by performing or by attending the show.**