



NEWS LETTER

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF VHM CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



VHM Core Values

Value: I will respect myself and others.

Honor: I will care for my school, home, and church community.

Model: I will follow Christ example of compassion and forgiveness.

Theme Scripture: Love one another deeply as brothers and sisters. Take the lead in honoring one another. ~Romans 12:10

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Just wanted to offer a friend reminder to our VHM families:

- **CCC Scholarships for 2026-27:** Applications for next year's scholarships are now available. Families are encouraged to apply early through FACTS.
- **2026-27 School Applications Now Open:** Registration for the upcoming school year is now online. Creating your FACTS account early will help make the enrollment process smooth and efficient.

Please note that current students do not need to resubmit documents such as birth certificates or references. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school office. Thank you for your continued partnership and support.

REMINDERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **HOODIE ORDERS:** This is your final week to order our newly designed sweater. See poster below for ordering details.
- **MAP TESTING WEEK:** Please help your child do their best by:
 - Getting plenty of sleep
 - Eating healthy meals
 - Arriving at school on time

3rd-6th PARENT ORIENTATION: Outdoor School informational parent meeting is scheduled for February 5, right after Celebration of Learning. Details on cost, schedules, and packing will be provided at the meeting. Chaperone sign-ups will also be made available then. When: 4:30 - 5:30 pm



UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

January

- 27-Feb.2 MAP Testing Week

February

- 1 Basketball Tournament (Miramonte)
- 4 Noon Dismissal, Teacher PLC
- 5 -Open House & Celebration of Learning, 3:15 pm

-Grades 3-6 Outdoor School Parent Orientation, 4:30 pm (Multi-purpose room)

- 9-12 Valentine's Day celebration
- 15 Early registration deadline
- 16 No School - Presidents' Day
- 20 Kindergarten Open House, 12 pm
- 21 PTO Vespers & Skate Night, 5:30 pm

March

- 1 Robotics Competition, Miramonte



Stay Connected with VHM Daily Updates. Sign up!

Team Building Day

Our Student Council lead out in some team building activities during last week's chapel. New teams were created for the 3rd quarter and new bonds were made among team members and their student leaders.



SOMETHING'S HAPPENING @ VHM



Quiet Reading Time

We are grateful to our librarian volunteers who ensures that our students enjoy a focused time to read in a comfortable library setting. Friday is library day at VHM.



Preparing to Grow

Our gardening club members have been preparing their plant beds by pulling out weeds and tilling the soil. Soon we will see carrots growing in our school garden.



Play Area Improvements

Friday was a busy day as our students witnessed the first phase of improving our blacktop play area. Potholes were filled and the area thoroughly cleaned. Phase two will occur this summer when the entire area will be coated and sealed and lines repainted.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

- **HOT LUNCH PREP & SERVE:** Support our 7th-8th class in their effort to raise funds for outdoor school in April. Help is needed every Wednesday between 10:30 am to 12 pm.
- **SOCCER COACH:** Coach(es) needed for the soccer season with first practices to begin on February 24. Practices are from 3:30-4:30 pm Tuesdays & Thursdays.
- **VOLUNTEER SIGN UP:** Please contact the office today and make a difference!

School Theme: **VALUE** - I will respect myself and others.

GIVE WITH PURPOSE: Three Ways to Bless a Child

- **Worthy Student Fund:** Providing support to students in need [Needed: \$2,000]
- **Gym Improvement:** Providing a safe space for students to play and perform. [Needed: \$10,000]
- **Playground Funds:** New basketball rims needed for our indoor gym. [scan the Amazon Wishlist]

Yes! We still do have items on the **VHM Amazon Wishlist**



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TO GIVE ONLINE



Venmo: What's this for? "fund name"



Contact Us
831.475.4762



Visit Our Website
www.vhmchristian.org



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427 Capitola Rd Ext, Santa Cruz

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ORDER BY JAN. 30

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CLICK "ORDER FORM"



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EXPECTED DELIVERY BY MID FEBRUARY



VALENTINE'S DAY SALE



JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE LOVE IN THE SWEETEST WAY!



Feb. 09

Soft Toy & Note
\$7



Student Council Valentine's Fundraiser
Send a Sweet Surprise Each Day!

Make your child's day extra special with a daily Valentine's gift and note—hand delivered by Student Council!



Feb. 10

Hugs & Kisses & Note
\$5



How It Works:

- Send a small gift and message to your child each school day.
- Each gift may include an optional handwritten note.
- Student Council will deliver the gifts directly to your child.



Feb. 11

Helium Balloon & Note
\$5



Important Information:

- All gifts must be pre-ordered and pre-paid.
- Orders are due by February 3.
- No late orders can be accepted.



Feb. 12

Sweet Cutie & Note
\$5



Show your child you love them and are thinking of them every day this Valentine's season!



Feb. 13

Valentine's Day Chapel
8:15 AM



For more information, please contact the school office at (831) 475-4762.

SPECIAL: Order all 4 days for \$20!



SCAN ME

Order by Monday, Feb. 2

- **Order Form Link HERE**



K-8 VHM OPEN HOUSE

Celebration of Learning

Join our Open House celebration! We are celebrating our students' best work. Come and see what VHM has to offer!

WHAT?

- ✓ View student presentations
- ✓ Experience after school clubs
- ✓ Tour around the campus
- ✓ Meet students, teachers & current parents

WHEN?

 February 5, 3:15 ~4:15 pm



VHM Christian School is located at: 427 Capitola Rd Extension, Santa Cruz CA 95062



K-8 EARLY REGISTRATION

We are open for early registration for the 2026-2027 school year. Applications are now available **online** at our website vhmchristian.org (Admissions).

26-27 INCENTIVES:

- ✓ *\$100 off registration fee
- ✓ \$1,000 referral for your student and referred student
- ✓ Several scholarships available - apply early

WHEN:

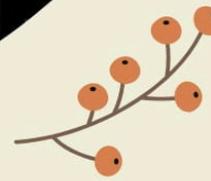
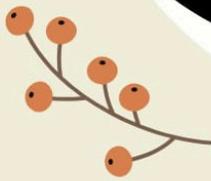
- 🌐 February 5*, during Open House

*February 15 is the last day to receive the early registration discount. Apply online [HERE](#)



Expression of Interest

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

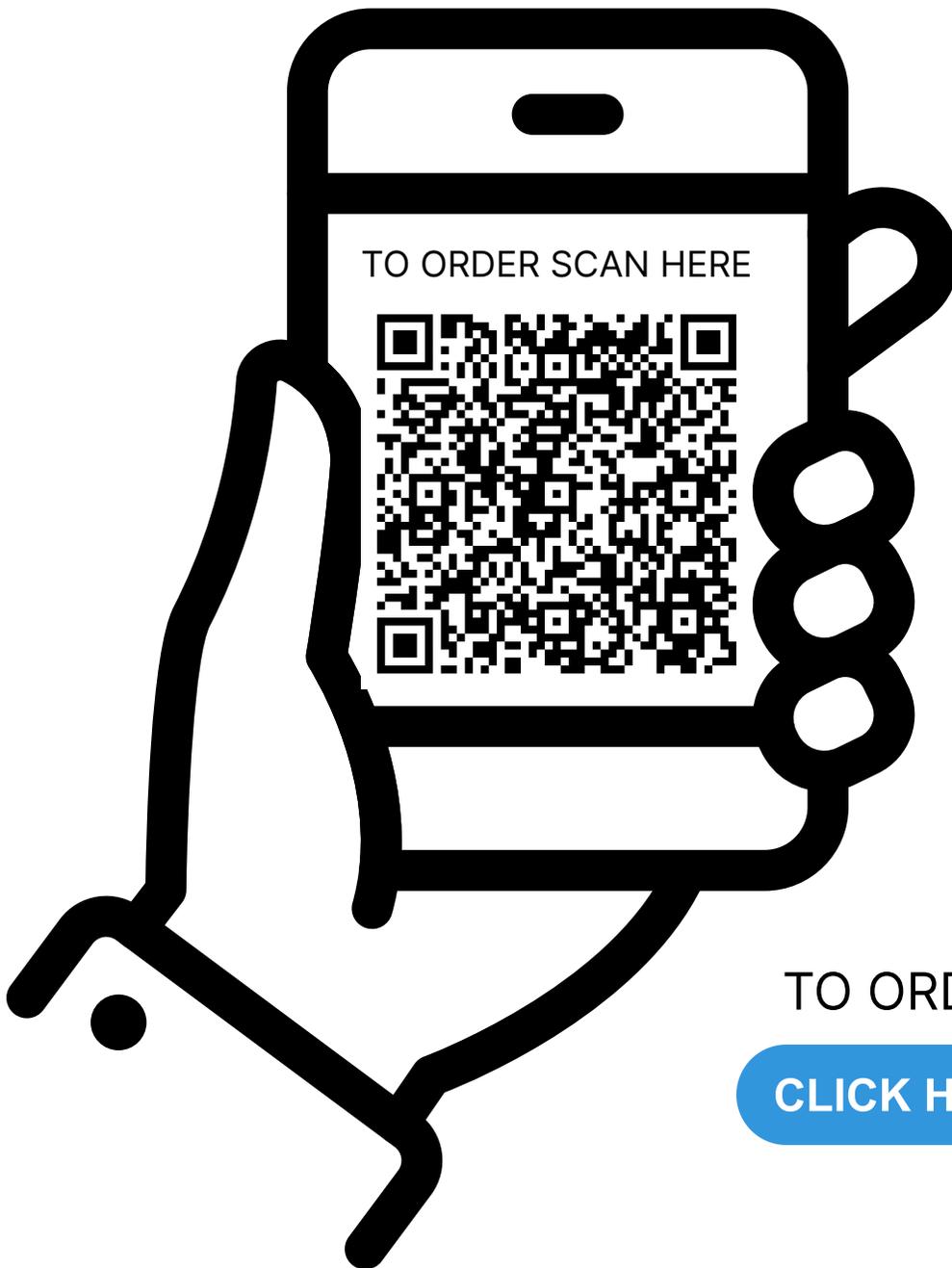


Calling all children ages 4-14 interested in
joining a children's choir

STARTING IN JANUARY 2026•
MONTEREY BAY ACADEMY CHURCH

To register please contact Daniela Soto at 909-557-8566

FEBRUARY Hot Lunch ORDER



TO ORDER

[CLICK HERE](#)

LOST & FOUND BOX

LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE



IF IT BELONGS TO YOU PICK IT UP! ALL LEFT BEHIND
ITEMS WILL BE DONATED TO THE NEAREST
DONATION CENTER AT THE END OF EACH MONTH.