



NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 15, 2026

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

It was a beautiful week filled with smiles, surprises, and countless love notes delivered to students right in their classrooms. Thank you to everyone who participated and supported our Student Council's efforts to spread kindness and encouragement during Valentine's Week. Your involvement helped create a joyful and affirming atmosphere across our campus.

As we move into a new week, I encourage each of us to continue spreading something even greater—the love of Jesus. The Bible reminds us: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." — John 3:16 God's love is sacrificial, intentional, and transformative. It is the model for how we love others—in our homes, in our classrooms, and in our community. **Go and spread love.**

REMINDERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** Sunday, February 15, is the **FINAL** day to receive a \$100 discount on your registration fee. Registration is now open online at our school website: VHMChristian.org/Admissions. If you need assistance with the registration process, please contact the office.
- **KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE, FRIDAY @ 12 PM:** We invite you to bring your friends, neighbors, and anyone else who may be interested to our Kindergarten open house. Enjoy some refreshments while discovering more about our Kindergarten program. A \$1,000 referral incentive will be awarded for any students you refer who complete their registration.
- **VESPERS & SKATE NIGHT, SATURDAY @ 5:30 PM:** Join us for a night of fellowship, fun, and food this Saturday evening. Proceeds from food sales will support additional PTO events like this one.



UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

February

- 15 Early registration deadline (\$100 off)
- 16 No School - Presidents' Day
- 20 Kindergarten Open House, 12 pm
- 21 PTO Vespers & Skate Night, 5:30 pm

March

- 1 Robotics Competition, Miramonte
- 10 Spring / 8th Grade Graduation Picture Day
- 20 End 3rd quarter
- 23-30 Spring Break - No school
- 31 - April 3 Week of Prayer

April

- 6-10 7th/8th Outdoor School, Hume Lake
- 8-10 3rd-6th Outdoor School, Sierra Outdoor School
- 12 Plant-Based Immersion Program, Day 1

*****🔒 VHM Calendar Password: VHM Rocks

Student Council Valentine's Week

Our Student Council leaders have decided to transform Valentine's Day into a week-long celebration of love by offering items that can be delivered daily for students and their families. In this image, two leaders are seen reading a message to the entire class while delivering heartfelt items and love notes.



SOMETHING'S HAPPENING @ VHM



Happy Birthday

Kindergarten and first graders come together to celebrate a classmate's birthday by hosting a party and bringing gifts.



Writing Stories

Fourth graders develop their storytelling skills by utilizing a writing structure introduced by their teacher.



Bear Hug

On Monday, as part of a Student Council fundraising event, students were delighted to receive a fuzzy bear during the Valentine's Day delivery.



Valentine's for Teachers

This week, educators were showered with daily affection, thanks to the school board. Pictured here is Mr. Stanley, happily receiving a cuddly bear!



VHM Represented

Tejada, our dedicated teacher for Kindergarten and 1st grade, proudly represents VHM on the TK-Kindergarten Readiness panel during a presentation in the Santa Cruz community.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

- **Hot Lunch Preparation & Service:** Join our 7th and 8th-grade class in their fundraising efforts for outdoor school this April. Assistance is required every Wednesday from 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM.
- **Soccer Coach:** We are seeking coaches for the upcoming soccer season, with the first practices set to start on February 24. Practices will take place from 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- **Volunteer Sign-Up:** If you're interested in volunteering your time, please reach out to the office today.

VHM Amazon [Wishlist](#)



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]

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



Contact Us
831.475.4762

Visit Our Website
www.vhmchristian.org

Come and See Us
427 Capitola Rd Ext, Santa Cruz



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

FINAL DAY:

*February 15



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





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KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE



Young Authors at Work



Special Activities



Field Trips

- ✓ Tour the school
- ✓ Meet the teacher
- ✓ Review curriculum
- ✓ Ask questions



20 February, 2026

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

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VESPERS and **SKATE NIGHT**



Bring your friends for fun, food, and family time!

5:30
PM



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ALL INVITED @ VHM GYM

427 CAPITOLA RD EXT, SANTA CRUZ, CA

Food sale and skate rentals available - sponsored by PTO.

Sale of glow sticks benefit our 5th & 6th grade funds for Outdoor Science Camp!



JOIN WITH OTHERS IN YOUR COMMUNITY TO IMPROVE YOUR HEALTH!



Immerse yourself in a plant-based diet for 10 days.

This Immersive Program has Helped People:

- ♥ Reduce cholesterol
- ♥ Lower blood pressure
- ♥ Prevent and reverse many chronic conditions
- ♥ Lose excess weight
- ♥ Increase energy levels
- ♥ Sleep better

THE 10-DAY COMMUNITY RX PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- ♥ 3 dynamic and educational in-person events
- ♥ Recipes and meal plans
- ♥ Nutrition education and cooking demo
- ♥ Mentorship and support
- ♥ Tests to measure glucose, lipids, blood pressure and more at the start and end of the program

THE BEST PART?

You can go through this experience with others! Together, you can enjoy delicious food and life-changing education.

Sundays, April 12, 19, and 26
VHM Christian School, 427 Capitola Road, Santa Cruz



For more information, call (831) 228-8250 or visit <https://EatForTheEarth.org/CommunityRx>.



¡ÚNETE a OTROS MIEMBROS de tu COMUNIDAD PARA MEJORAR tu SALUD!



Sumérgete en una dieta basada en plantas durante 10 días.

Este programa de inmersión ha ayudado a las personas a:

- ♥ Reducir el colesterol
- ♥ Bajar la presión arterial
- ♥ Prevenir y revertir muchas condiciones crónicas
- ♥ Perder exceso de peso
- ♥ Dormir mejor
- ♥ Aumentar los niveles de energía

EL PROGRAMA SALUD EN TU PLATO DE 10 DÍAS INCLUYE:

- ♥ 3 eventos en persona dinámicos y educativos
- ♥ Recetas y sugerencias de comidas
- ♥ Videos de nutrición y demostraciones de cocina
- ♥ Orientación y apoyo
- ♥ Pruebas para medir glucosa, lípidos, presión arterial y más al comienzo y final del programa

Domingos 12, 19, y 26 de abril
VHM Christian Schol 427 Capitola Road, Santa Cruz

¡COMIENZA AHORA!



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FEBRUARY Hot Lunch

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