# Vanderbilt Learning Center Newsletter January 2023



### **School Notes**

Welcome Back! We're so happy to have our hallways filled with students again!

#### Helpful reminders:

- 1. All children's water bottles are labeled with their first and last names.
- 2. If your child is not feeling well, please keep them home until they are symptom free.
- 3. Children must be fever free for 24 hours, without the use of medication, before returning to school.
- 4. Tuition is due the 1st of each month.

#### Staff Updates:

Mrs. Butler is off and running in PreK-4! Kristin DePaola & Angela Gates will be taking a step back from the day-to-day, but will continue to serve as substitutes. Kristin will continue to chair the Parent Team as well. We are so grateful!

Dear Families,

Happy 2023! I hope this New Year is off to a healthy and wonderful start for you all. The students are right back into their routines and working hard. Enrollment and registration for the next school year are already in full swing. This second half of the year will fly by, so I ask us all to stop and enjoy the moments within these days. Enjoy the stories the children bring home and take a moment to reflect on what 2022 has taught us! Looking forward to a wonderful 2023!

Kind Regards, Jackie Elmer, Director

## **Vanderbilt Presbyterian Church**

We're on our way! Renewed by God's grace and mercy and headed into the new year with great hope. How do you and your family stay focused on God? There are so many ways to keep God at the center and we're here to support and encourage you in your faith journeys.

Sunday school continues weekly during the 10:00am in-person worship service.

Alleluia Choir with Dr. Jim meets at 11:30a after Fellowship.

Be sure to check out VPC Kids & Families and VPC Youth on Facebook.

Are you receiving the new VPC Week At A Glance email?

Contact Heather Mikes, hmikes@vpcnaples.org.

#### Save the Date

### **Giving: Humane Society Naples**

1st - 2nd - No School (Christmas Break)

**3rd** - Back to school for students and staff

8th - VPC Family Led Worship 10:00am

11th - Parent Team Meeting, 8:30a Student Center

11th - Wednesday Night Lights (WNL) 5:30-7:00p

12th - Registration Forms Due

13th - No School (per CCPS)

**16th** - No School (Martin Luther King Jr. Day)

18th - Family Dinner Night: BurgerFi 11:00a - 9:00p

24th - Pet Week

25th - Wednesday Night Lights (WNL) 5:30-7:00p

In honor of our school's Pet Week in January, let's donate new and like-new items to the Humane Society of Naples. Here's a list of some of their most needed items: cat and dog food, pet toys, towels, blankets, etc. Find more at <a href="https://hsnaples.org/ways-to-help/">https://hsnaples.org/ways-to-help/</a> or check the VLC Facebook page for their Amazon Wishlist.

#### From the Parent Team

Happy New Year!! I hope everyone had a wonderful break. 2023 is here and we have lots to look forward to, especially here at VLC. Join us for our next Family Dinner Night at BurgerFi @ 1514 Immokalee Rd. on **Wednesday, January 18th.** More info to come home with students.

As always, please contact Kristin at 352-258-3111 or <a href="ked227@gmail.com">ked227@gmail.com</a> with any joys or concerns.

Please join us at our next at our next parent team meeting:

Wednesday, January 11, 2022 @ 8:30am



# **Happy Birthday**

January 11th - Mrs. Angela Gates (Assistant to the Director) January 13th - Mrs. Jacqueline Deneke (PreK-4 Asst/Aftercare)