

# COLLEGEDALE ACADEMY

In the Know Elementary Newsletter  
Week of February 20, 2024 (423) 396-2122

## Lunch Time

Scan the QR code to set up your account, order lunches, and make lunch payments.

Or visit [schoolpaymentportal.com](https://schoolpaymentportal.com).



### WEEK OF FEB 19TH

Monday: No School

Tuesday: 2 Bean Burritos  
w/ Fruit

Wednesday: Pizza

Thursday: Fettuccine

Friday: Griller & Fruit

### WEEK OF FEB 26TH

Monday: 2 Hotdogs &  
Fruit

Tuesday: 2 Bean Burritos  
w/ Fruit

Wednesday: Pizza

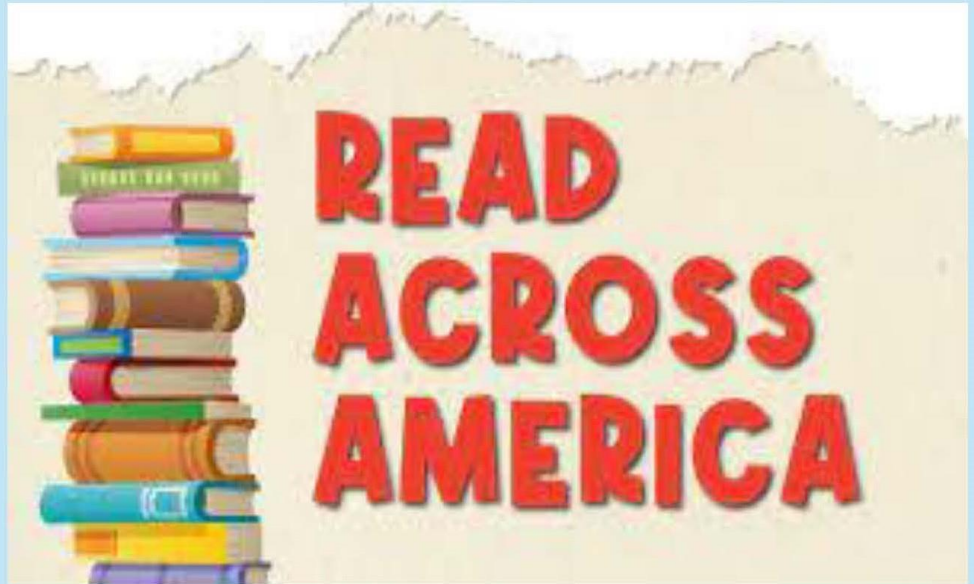
Thursday: Spaghetti

Friday: Deli Sandwich &  
Fruit

## Friday, March 1

COME DRESSED AS YOUR FAVORITE CHILDREN'S BOOK  
CHARACTER AND BRING ALONG THE BOOK IF YOU HAVE  
IT TO MATCH

PLEASE CHOOSE A SCHOOL APPROPRIATE COSTUME:  
NO WIZARDS, SCARY CHARACTERS, FULL FACE MASKS,  
OR INAPPROPRIATE SUBJECTS



FEB 26

**Parent  
Council  
Meeting**

**6:30 HS Library**

MAR 1

**Read  
Across  
America  
Day**

MAR 11-15

**Spring  
Break**

MAR 28

**Grandparents  
Day  
9:30**

We are a Seventh-day Adventist school established to educate, equip, and inspire students to be critical thinkers who serve others and reflect Christ's character.

# Important Information

## Grandparents Day Program

CA-Elementary is celebrating grandparents this year on March 28th beginning at 9:30 AM. We invite all grandparents to join us for this special time with their grandchildren. You may have a special person in their life attend if a grandparent is unable to participate. The celebration will begin in the gymnasium with a program presented by the different grades followed by activities in the respective child's classroom.

Please let the classroom teacher know if your child will be leaving early with their grandparents. Parents are welcome to attend the program in the gym. However, when it comes to the classroom activities, please prioritize space for our grandparents and special visitors. Lunch will not be provided for our visitors this year. However, there will still be a lunch option available for students who remain at school. No after school care will be available.

## Parent Council Meeting

Please join us for our first Parent Council meeting. All parents are invited to attend.

Monday, Feb. 26, 6:30-8:00pm, CA High School Library

### AGENDA

- Welcome – Misty Brennan, School Board Chair
- “In the Know” updates from a few CA departments - STEAM, Athletics, Counseling
- Head of School update - Brent Baldwin - Elementary project, Campus master plan, Campus Safety – SRO
- Open discussion from Parent Survey – Tell us what you would like to discuss! We may not have time to get to all the topics, but we will choose the most requested and relevant for open discussion.

The survey is anonymous. If you would like to be contacted directly about a topic, please include your name and contact information. SURVEY LINK - [Click Here](#)

Thank you for your time and investment in our school! We look forward to seeing you there!

Misty Brennan, School Board Chair

## Kindergarten Round Up:

Collegedale Academy invites you to attend our Kindergarten Round-Up on March 7, 2024, from 5:30 – 6:30pm. Come see how our students grow using various learning styles, social development opportunities with a commitment and passion for Jesus. Classes fill up quickly! Please make your plans now to ensure a place for your child. Kindergarten students must be age 5 by 8/15/24. To register for round-up, please contact, Heather Hoffman or Kim Lighthall - 423.396.2122 or [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com) or [klighthall@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:klighthall@collegedaleacademy.com).

### **FASHIONED - Inspirational Event for Women**

God has always planned for women to work together, build community, and comfort one another. But the enemy plots against that plan to weaken our sense of purpose and keep us from living out the callings we were created to fulfill. Join this two-day Fashioned event to uncover your unique gifts without feeling overwhelmed, and then discover the specific purpose God fashioned in you to comfort-ably live out His plan. Please see attached flier for details.

### **Collegedale Summer Softball**

Collegedale Softball is back, and you are invited to register for the 2024 Season! Register from February 1 to February 14 to receive a \$5 discount. Registration closes on March 1, so sign up today! For more information or to register, please visit [www.cdalesoftball.com](http://www.cdalesoftball.com)

### **After-school Playground Reminders**

Remember students (all ages) cannot be on the playground, soccer fields, or by the creek after school unless an adult is with them supervising. Even when a student is playing intramurals, an adult must be on the playground, soccer field or by the creek supervising siblings. This adult must be within hearing distance of kids not just sight of them.

### **Living Library – At Middle School**

Parents: Come join us celebrate our third year for the "Living Library." We are looking for parents and community volunteers to come and share about their culture. This takes place at the middle school. Thank you for helping spread the word! The link for the sign up is below and the flyer for the event is attached.

Link for sign up: <https://forms.gle/W1vKdXJZduGRb4j1A>

# Spiritual News

## Hallway Hymn

### All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

All hail the power of Jesus Name  
Let angel's prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe,  
On this terrestrial ball,  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all!  
To Him all majesty ascribe,  
And crown Him Lord of all!

Praying for:  
Mr. Peel  
Director of IT  
&  
Arizona  
Conference

Psalm 33:20-22

"20 We wait in hope for the Lord; He is our help and our shield. 21 In Him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in His holy name. 22 May Your unfailing love be with us, Lord, even as we put our hope in You."

## Helpful Contacts

1. **Principal** - Melissa Weddle [mweddle@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:mweddle@collegedaleacademy.com)
2. **Vice Principal Elem & Learning Resource Coordinator Elem & Middle** - Melissa Ammerall  
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3. **Assistant Registrar** - Heather Hoffman [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com)
4. **School Counselor** – Amber Vaudreuil [avaudreuil@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:avaudreuil@collegedaleacademy.com)
5. **Counselor Referral Link** - [Click](#)
6. **Lunch Coordinator** – Cindy Barrios [cbarrios@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:cbarrios@collegedaleacademy.com)
7. **Chaplain** - Tabor Nudd [tnudd@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:tnudd@collegedaleacademy.com)
8. **Aftercare Phone Number** - 423-599-9149
9. **Collegedale Academy website** - [collegedaleacademy.com](http://collegedaleacademy.com)

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- Please pull forward during drop off/pick up and continue to do so as space opens.
- K – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade parents, PLEASE pass the first entrance and have your child walk to/from it if there is space.
- Families with children going to separate doors should have them exit the car at the same time allowing parents to exit the drop offline with one stop.
- Sidewalk side students need to enter/exit the car from the right (facing sidewalk).
- Parking lot side students need to enter/exit the car from the left (facing grass).
- The middle lane is drive thorough only. Do not let your child enter/exit while in the middle lane.
- If you need to come into the school, park in a designated parking space past the main entrance.
- Drivers should not exit the car at any time.
- **Stay off your phones** while in the school zone as it is not only dangerous it is against the law.
- Just a reminder, there is **NO LEFT TURN** into the parking lot during drop off/pick up. Please respect this even when the flashing lights aren't working.
- Students unloading on the parking lot side need to cross at a designated yellow crosswalk with the assistance of the faculty member on duty.

# SHARE *Your World*

**WANT TO SHARE YOUR  
CULTURE IN A FUN,  
INTERACTIVE WAY WITH  
STUDENTS?**



## *Join Us!*

The living library event is the perfect opportunity to share your world with others! Through this event, you will get the opportunity to interact with and educate middle school students about your culture.



## *When:*

February 27th and/or 28th;  
contact for times.



## *Where:*

Collegedale Academy  
Middle School  
4856 College Dr. E.,  
Collegedale, TN 37363

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!

## APPROVED FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS



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# *fashioned*

created for a purpose and called to community



1 Corinthians 1:4-7 NLT

## Inspirational Women's Event, February 23 and 24, 2024

Guest Speaker **Cheri Fletcher**

Music by **Joey and Matt Tolbert**

Scan this code or visit [bit.ly/womenfashioned](https://bit.ly/womenfashioned) before February 19 to join the group and receive location and other details about the **FREE** event. For more information, call 828.691.5206.

