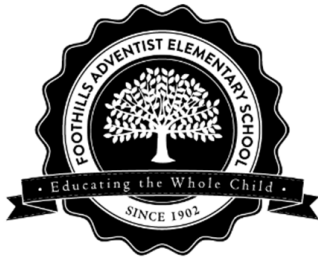


Foothills Express



Friday, November 17, 2023

Quarter: 2 Issue: 15

www.foothillselementary.org

NOVEMBER DATES TO REMEMBER

20-24 Thanksgiving Break
~ **No School**

DECEMBER DATES TO REMEMBER

1 Music for Hospital Staff Breakfast
See's Candy Online Sale Ends
2 Calistoga Tractor Parade
3 Mrs. Priest's Birthday
9 Christmas Program @ The Haven
12 Christmas Play @ The Haven
13 All School Ice Skating & Caroling
15 Classroom Parties
18 Christmas Break – January 1
~ **No School**

JANUARY DATES TO REMEMBER

2 Classes Resume
12 End Q2/S1
15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day
~ **No School**
16 Teacher Enrichment Day
~ **No School**
17 Begin Q3/S2
17-19 Scholastic Book Fair
18 Reading Festival/PJ Day
29-2/9 MAP Testing Window #2



(Lots of Pictures on Pg. 2&3)

ANNOUNCEMENTS & UP COMING EVENTS:

Thanksgiving Break – No School: Foothills will be closed next week, November 20-24 for Thanksgiving Break.

Foothills See's Candy Online Fundraiser: How sweet it is! Foothills is doing a digital contact-free See's Candy Yum-raiser again. The same great products we have sold in the past but shipped directly to you. Just order from our [Foothills See's Candy Storefront!](#) See's Candies make great gifts – they are of excellent quality, and See's offers a fine holiday selection. This fundraiser will run from now until Friday, December 1. Thanks for your support!

Special Music for Hospital Staff Breakfast: Our students will be singing Christmas carols for the Hospital Staff Breakfast on Friday, December 1. Please drop off your students at St. Helena Hospital at 8 am. Teachers will walk students back to campus after their performance. Please have your child dressed in festive Christmas colors.

Calistoga Lighted Tractor Parade: Foothills is entered in the Calistoga Annual Lighted Tractor Parade, on December 2nd, Saturday night. Our Float theme is "Christmas In The Castle." Foothills Students will be dressed in their costumes from our Christmas Play. Let's see if we can win the 1st Place Award again this year!

Christmas Church Program at The Haven: Our students will be participating in the Christmas themed worship service on Saturday, December 9, at The Haven SDA Church for our church members who play a major part in supporting Foothills. Students need to arrive by 10:30 am. The Church Service starts at 11 am. Please have your child dress in black church clothes.

Christmas in the Castle Christmas Play: Sunday evening, December 10, at 6 pm will be our Christmas Play. Our play will take place downstairs in The Haven SDA Church's Fellowship Room. All are invited. Christmas Cookies will be served after the play.

Mark Your Calendars All Our Events in December

- **December 1:** 8 am Special Music for Hospital Staff Breakfast.
- **December 2:** 6 pm Calistoga Lighted Tractor Parade
- **December 9:** 11 am Christmas Church Program at The Haven
- **December 12:** 6 pm Christmas in the Castle Play at The Haven
- **December 13:** Ice Skating & Caroling Fieldtrip
- **December 15:** Classroom Parties and Christmas Pajama Day

Tuition and Fees: November tuition is past due. Please submit payment as soon as possible. Checks made out to Foothills Adventist Elementary are the best option to avoid the 3.5%+ \$0.15 debit/credit card fee. November tuition invoices and statements were sent on Wednesday, November 1.



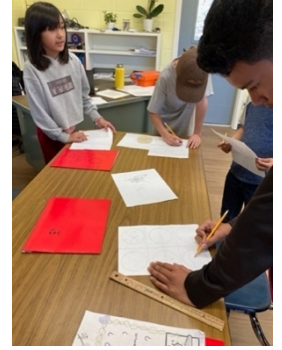
Little Sunshine Learning Center

Infant/toddler & preschool



Sunflowers Class: There is so much to be thankful for and this month

2-8 Grade Science



Morning Worship With Pastor Larry, Our NCC Small Schools Pastor



Garden Time



Enjoying Our New Basketball Court



reminds me to be intentional in the praise that I give to God. Next week many will celebrate Thanksgiving, I'm praying that it is a blessed and beautiful week with family, friends and community. The preschool and infant center will be open Monday and Tuesday, we will be closed Wednesday through Friday.

Sunflower Theme 11/27-12/19

- Baby Jesus & Christmas Around the World

LSLC Dates to remember

11/22-24 SCHOOL CLOSED

Thanksgiving Break

11/27 Mr. Gil subbing in the Preschool/Mrs. Lizelle Infant Center

12/20-1/1 SCHOOL CLOSED

Winter Break

Mr. Gil has been helping in the Infant Center these last few months. He is a sophomore at Pacific Union College. He has his ECE Units to be a lead teacher and is currently working on his BS in Education. He comes from a family of educators, his grandma was a Principal until she retired and he has a host of aunts in the field of education. We are blessed to have him be part of our school family.

Sunbeams Infant Toddler Class:

Since our November theme is Thankfulness. This week's focus was Thanksgiving. We read Thanksgiving Counting and Duck & Goose Find a Pumpkin. Projects were a Turkey Craft, a My Thanksgiving Placemat, and letter K stamping for K is for kangaroo. We also read our Kk Picture Book. We learned that K is for keys, koala, kayak, kite, kitten, kiwi, and kangaroo



2-8 Grade Making Cornbread Muffins and Butter



Preschool – 1st Grades Thanksgiving Theme Day



All Campus Thanksgiving Meal



Enjoying The All Campus Thanksgiving Meal