



Redeemer

REDWOOD CITY

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REDEEMER ROAR!

FEBRUARY 2019

"This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another." 1 John 4:10-11 -



Celebrate Uganda- Trivia Night
The Village of Nalwire Latrine Project
#itspottytime #Ineedtogo

Trivia Night -- come and play with us -- don't be a party pooper!!!

8 person trivia teams work together to answer 8 rounds of trivia questions. The winning team receives the traveling trophy!! Either sign up as a "team" with 8 participants or we will place you on a team; a great chance to make new friends!

- **When: Saturday, February 9th, 2019**
- **Time: 6:00 – 9:30 PM**
- **Where: Redeemer Fellowship Hall**

**Space is limited to 12 teams of 8 and sign-ups are by first -come-first serve basis. Get your teams together or give us your names as soon possible!

Schedule:

- 6:00pm - 6:30pm – Arrival, check-in, mingle.
- 6:30pm - Trivia Begins

Ticket: \$50 per person or \$400 per table of 8.

Sponsors: A business, family, or individual can sponsor one trivia round for \$250.

Food and Drinks:

- We Provide – snacks, dessert (It's It) and beverages: soda, water, beer and wine, paper products and cups.
- You Provide - something to share at your table – sliders, sandwiches, wings, pizza, bucket of chicken, or other creative dishes. Keep it simple, keep it fun.

Who's Invited?: The Redeemer Community and friends. Adults only! (21 and over).

Dress: Casual.

Register Here:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=q6p8ywpab&oeidk=a07eg0biz511ce68aab>



AMERICAN REVOLUTION WALKTHROUGH December 17, 2018

Mrs. Lindsey Wilson, 5th grade teacher

The fifth graders have been studying the American Revolution since October. We learned a lot about the various people who were instrumental in making our nation a free country from Britain. We also talked about different wars that took place. To wrap up our unit we had an in-house school field trip.

A company called California Weekly Explorer came in and presented a simulation of all of these events that we learned about. It was absolutely amazing!!! We dressed up as if we were living back in those times. Each student

had a particular person to learn about and lines to say about that person in front of everyone. A group of nine kids were divided into teams of three and had to reenact a specific battle scene - how fun! Parents were able to watch and re-learn things about the American Revolution they learned in school. Such an amazing experience each year! Can't wait for next year's class!

PAJAMA JAM JAM DANCE!

January 11, 2019

Mrs. Maya Goetz, Leadership Class Advisor

Nothing is better than DANCING in your Pajamas to a LIVE DJ!!! Our live DJ was FABULOUS and kept the students Jam'n at the Pajama Jam Jam dance. Special thanks to our DJ Jaime Mendoza (and to Heidi Butz for the referral). Redeemer looks forward to more dances and we encourage students to come - enjoy time with friends, socialize, eat snacks and DANCE!!!



W.E.L.L. WEDNESDAYS

WOMEN EXPERIENCING LIVING LOVED

Fellowship Hall
8:15-9:00 am

Connect to other women through
life experiences and devotional moments

Connect to God through community
gathered around the Word and Prayer

- Coffee
- Conversation
- Community
- Prayer



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W.E.L.L. WEDNESDAYS Women Experiencing Living Loved

All women are invited and welcome to attend. Meet in Fellowship Hall at 8:15am each Weds. No need to sign up or RSVP. Come and enjoy some coffee, conversation, community, and prayer. *(Please don't leave your car in the parking lot if you'll be attending.)*

Please contact Beth Schult with any questions at:
bschult@redeemerministries.org

SPELLING BEE January 14, 2019

Mrs. Noelle Madden, Bee Coordinator

Our school spelling bee was held Monday, January 14, 2019. It was another example of God's amazing gifts as we saw such incredible success by all participants! After many rounds, our first and second grade winner, Diego Fonseca, won with the word "tangled." Kate Hitch, our third and fourth grade winner, won with the word "Venus." And our fifth through eighth grade winner was our returning champion, 8th grader Lindsey Harris, who won with the word "insinuate!"

Congratulations and kudos to all of our contestants! Great job!!

1st grade: Wyatt Tetley, Liam Miller

2nd grade: Drew McCafferty, Diego Fonseca (winner)

3rd grade: Keddie Madden, Kate Hitch (winner)

4th grade: Jack Flores, Dominic De La Cruz

5th grade: Addison Huntington, Nora Whiteman

6th grade: Sasha Razi, Jack Moulden, Kenya Sweatt, Jack Coakley

7th grade: Riley Bois, Carter May, Michael Sarboraria

8th grade: Lindsey Harris (winner)



Developing the Author in Each Student

Each year, we are thrilled with the number of our graduates who place into advanced English classes in their Freshman year. Though not all choose the path of honors classes, 100% of our graduates last year placed into honors English classes for the Sequoia Union High School District. This success is in part due to the relationships Mrs. Davis has cultivated with local high school teachers, allowing her to teach the critical skills our students need to be successful at a high level as they move out of Redeemer. We have also seen an increase in our students' placement levels since the adoption of our current writing program, Writers' Workshop.

Writers' Workshop is taught in first through fifth grades at Redeemer and is an instructional model that views writing as an ongoing process in which students follow a given set of procedures for planning, drafting, revising, editing, and publishing their writing. It allows students to be at various stages of the writing process at one time. Collaboration with peers and teacher is inherent in this model.

Writing Workshop follows a general process which includes:

- Start a New Unit
- Generate Notebook Entries
- Choose and Develop Seed Idea
- Create a Draft
- Revise Draft
- Edit, Publish, and Reflect

Within every step of this process, teachers are teaching traits of writing in the genres of narrative, expository, and persuasive in the form of mini lessons. By studying how published authors have used these traits in their craft, seeing the traits modeled by the teacher in their mini lessons, and learning to use these traits within their own writing, our students hone the craft of writing.

The process of writing is time consuming and our goal is for each student in grades 1 – 5 to publish at least one piece in each of the three genres each year. These pieces are kept at school and saved for our Authors' Night in the spring. So, if you don't see the more creative writing coming home in the Friday Folders, have no fear, your authors are hard at work and will be sharing all their masterpieces at the end of the year. Make sure to mark your calendar now for **Tuesday, May 7th** to join us in our annual Authors' Night as our authors present one of their favorite pieces.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

January 2019:

31, Thu..... **Washington DC pancake hot lunch (advance order required, deadline passed)**

February 2019:

1, Fri..... Chapel @ 8:25am

2, Sat..... **Daddy / Daughter Dance 7-9pm (be sure to RSVP)**

6, Wed..... WELL Wednesdays 8:15-9:00am

6, Wed..... Early Dismissal @ 1:45pm, Weds Clubs 2:00-3:00pm

6, Wed..... Marketing Open House 6:30-8:00pm – Tell your friends!!

7, Thu..... 2nd grade field trip to SJ Discovery Museum

8, Fri..... Chapel @ 8:25am, 6th grade leads

8, Fri..... 4th grade Musical @ 6:30pm (Join us... Admission is free!)

9, Sat..... Trivia Night Fundraiser for Uganda @ 6:30-9:00pm in FH

11-14..... Healthy Heart Week

13, Wed..... WELL Wednesdays 8:15-9:00am

13, Wed..... Early Dismissal @ 1:45pm, Weds Clubs 2:00-3:00pm

14, Thu..... Chapel @ 8:25am – **Happy ♥ Day**

14, Thu..... 4th grade field trip History SJ

15, Fri..... **NO SCHOOL Presidents' Day**

18, Mon..... **NO SCHOOL Presidents' Day**

19-22..... **LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK**

20, Wed..... WELL Wednesdays 8:15-9:00am

20, Wed..... 5th grade field trip History SJ

20, Wed..... Early Dismissal @ 1:45pm, Weds Clubs 2:00-3:00pm (LAST WINTER WED CLASS)

21, Thu..... **Washington DC Hot Dog lunch (advance order required, deadline passed)**

22, Fri..... Chapel @ 8:25am

22-24..... Roundball boys basketball tournament

23, Sat..... Mock Kindergarten Class for 2019-2020 applicants 9:00-11:00am

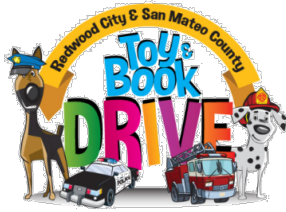
27, Wed..... WELL Wednesdays 8:15-9:00am

27, Wed..... Early Dismissal @ 1:45pm, NO Weds Clubs

March 2019:

1, Fri..... End of 2nd trimester (regular school day)





Redwood City Police Department
Redwood City Fire Department
San Mateo County Sheriff's Office
RWC Police & Fire Associations
SMC Deputy Sheriff's Association
SMC Sheriff's Activities League
RWC Police Activities League
CARON
San Carlos Fire Department
Woodside Fire Department
Redwood City Parks, Recreation,
& Community Services

REDWOOD CITY / SAN MATEO COUNTY TOY AND BOOK DRIVE 2018

January 7th, 2019

Dear Toy Drive Supporter,

On behalf of the Redwood City Police Department, Fire Department, and the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office, and all agencies involved in the Toy and Book Drive, we would like to thank you for supporting the program.

This holiday season uniformed Redwood City Police Officers, Firefighters, and San Mateo County Deputy Sheriffs personally escorted Santa Claus and his helpers around town delivering toys and books to the homes of over 300 Redwood City/North Fair Oaks families and provided and additional 250 San Mateo County families with toys and books for under their Christmas trees. Over 2,700 youth were served this year with over 13,000 toys and books, these are all youths that would have otherwise gone without Christmas presents. It is because of generosity such as yours that our program can continue to support the youth of our community and bring smiles to the faces of these children.

Please check our website site for more information
www.rwcmctoydrive.com

Thank You,

Police Officer Chris Rasmussen
Fire Fighter Joshua Williams
Sergeant Hector Acosta

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