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Recognition Reception

Please put the Annual Recognition Reception on your calendar! The event will be held on **May 3rd at 7:00 p.m.** in the Heritage High School Cafeteria. Seniors will receive their graduation certificates and junior and senior awards will be given out. It's an evening to recognize the outstanding academic achievements of our students and it's great fun! **We hope all students, parents and friends will be able to attend!** ■

Semester Exams

Semester exams will be given on April 26th and 27th. Session I exam period runs from 7:40-10:10 a.m. Session II exam period runs from 8:30-11:00 a.m. Please refer to the Semester Exam Policy in the CVGS Student Handbook. ■

Animal Sciences

2nd Amir Tabian

3rd Megan Kervin

Behavioral - Social Science

1st Jasmine Jones

2nd Kurtis Jungersen

3rd Gabrielle Clay

Chemistry

1st Jackson Sale

2nd Stefan Moscalu

3rd Marcus Conrad

Engineering

1st Noah DeLaHunt

Environmental Science

1st John Burns

2nd Jeremy Burke

3rd Gavin Kline

HM Mandy Metz

Central VA Regional Science Fair

Congratulations to the CVGS students who participated in the Fair. Noah DeLaHunt won the Grand Award in Physical Science for his project, "The Effect of Recycling on the Tensile and Crush Strength of Paper." Devon Morris won the Grand Award in Biological Science for his project, "Growth of Microflora on Silicone Wristbands." Noah and Devon will represent the region at the International Science Fair this May in San Jose, CA. Jasmine Jones won the Grand Alternate Award in Biological Science for her project, "The Establishment of Body Preferences in Children." CVGS students won 53 awards recognizing the excellence of their research at this year's Fair! Please see list below. Thanks to all for a job well done! ■

CVGS students who participated in the 2010 Science Fair



Mathematics

1st Max Forton

Medicine & Health Science

1st Leigha Schimmoeller

2nd Jin Know

3rd Haley Smith

HM Whitney Rosser

Microbiology

1st Devon Morris

2nd Olivia Daniszewski

HM Robert Lambeth

Physics & Astronomy

1st Anna Newton

2nd Paul Zivick

HM Tyler Gordan

Plant Sciences

1st Kate McCrea

2nd Hannah Bondurant

Special Award Winners

Nikki Bailey (2)

Jeremy Burke

John Burns

Noah DeLaHunt (2)

Max Forton (2)

Tyler Gordon

Waleed Ilyas

Jasmine Jones

Tim Kimble

Gavin Kline

Alex Landis

Devon Morris

Stefan Moscalu (2)

Anna Newton (2)

Whitney Rosser

Jackson Sale (2)

Sam Sung

Parent's Fund Drive

The Parent's Fund Drive for the Foundation Opportunities Endowment has raised \$6,696.00 in contributions and pledges to date. The goal for this year of \$10,000.00. The Opportunities Endowment provides funding for technology and laboratory equipment, student research and student participation in NCSSMST events. With the current economic crisis, Foundation funding is more important than ever before! If you have not contributed to the fund drive, please consider sending in your donation today! It is tax deductible!! Thanks for your support! ■

CVGS has classes on Election Day, May 4th

New CVGS Director

Dr. Steve Smith will become the new CVGS Director on June 1st. Dr. Smith has an extensive background in science and mathematics. He is currently the Assistant Superintendent of Instruction for the Lynchburg City Schools. Dr. Smith has served in the school system as a teacher, principal and gifted education coordinator. Tentatively, it looks like Dr. Smith will be teaching a section of the Junior Research Course and Connections in Mathematics. Welcome Dr. Smith, we wish you the best in your new position!

State Science Fair Winner Physics & Astronomy

3rd Paul Zivick

Campus Calendar of Events

Absences

During the last six weeks of school, many activities will be taking place in home schools including A.P. tests, honor society inductions and awards assemblies. The CVGS staff will work with students to make up missed work for these important functions. However, CVGS students must make responsible decisions and not miss school for prom decorating, field trips and other social events. If your son or daughter misses Governor's School, please send in a **written excuse for all absences** including home school activities. Unexcused absences will be given if notes are not received within two days after returning to school. ■

May

3	.....	Annual Recognition Reception - 7:00 p.m.
5	.....	Governing Board Meeting - 1:00 p.m.
14	.....	Last Day of Internships
21	.....	Internship Make-up Day
19,20	.....	VJAS, James Madison University
26,27	.....	S ³ Presentations
28	CVGS Picnic, End of Second Semester
31	Memorial Day - CVGS Closed

June

14,15	New Student Orientation Days
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CVGS Google Group

In order to save postage and increase communication with parents, the staff has created a CVGS Google Group. It will be used to send information to parents electronically. You can view the announcements on the home page of the CVGS website or have them sent to your email address. Instructions for sending announcements to your email address will be available at the CVGS Recognition Reception and the New Student and Parent Orientation meeting.

Contact Information?

CVGS parents are asked to call the CVGS office (434-582-1104) if your address, phone number or email address has changed since the beginning of the school year. Thanks for your help in keeping our records current. ■

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Regional Science Fair Grand Award Winners Devon Morris, Noah DeLaHunt and Jasmine Jones



Central Virginia

Regional

Science Challenge

We are looking forward to hosting the regional science fair for 5 - 8 grade students on May 11, 2010, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.. Contact Cheryl Lindeman at 582-1104 for more information. ■

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