

VEGAS VALLEY ADVENTIST ACADEMY

Friday, April 6, 2024

CALENDAR

April 5
Picture Day
April 20
7-10 Choir
Performance Location
TBD
April 21
NUC STEAM Fair
April 27
7-10 Choir
Performance at
Mountain View SDA
SA Gym Night
(Volleyball, ages 13+)

NUC STEAM FAIR

-MARIÉ ENTERINA

Attention all students! Get ready to showcase your creativity and innovation at the upcoming NUC STEAM Fair! Scheduled for April 21st at 10 AM in the VVAA gym, this event promises to be an exciting celebration of science, technology, engineering, arts, and math. Students from kindergarten to sixth grade must submit their projects by April 18th, 2024. Please make sure to inform your teacher if you need supplies like electrical outlets for your display. Don't miss out on this opportunity to share your imagination and genius with the school community. We can't wait to see what you come up with!

VOLLEYBALL GYM NIGHT

-YESEL GONZALEZ

VVAA Family, the Student Association will be hosting a friendly volleyball gym night. The volleyball gym night will be on April 27, 2024 at 7:00 PM through 10:00 PM. The teams will vary depending on the amount of people that attend. The Student Association will also be selling chips, gatorade, protein bars, and waters. SA will only be accepting cash payments and cash app. See you there.



NASA REWARDS

-JOSHUA M. SILVER

NASA is giving away more than \$3 million to numerous educational institutes to spark more interest in STEM projects. This project is aiming to help the youth and young adults of underserved communities. In particular, it is meant to help those that have a passion for learning and pushing STEM. They hope to help these groups by engaging with them in hands-on activities and offering learning opportunities. Multiple grants have been given to informal institutions to encourage the youth to push forward in STEM education.

OUT WITH THE OLD AND IN WITH THE NEW!
-CALLIE SAMANIEGO

The Tropicana Hotel is one of the few last original hotels that stands on the Las Vegas Strip. These old hotels are not what draw the tourists to our city. The sports teams do. For many years the Tropicana was home to famous people and performers who called Las Vegas home. The Folies Bergère was the longest running show ever on the entire strip. The famous duo Siegfried and Roy started their famous magic show at the Tropicana. Later this year the iconic hotel will be demolished to make way for the new baseball stadium that will be home to the Oakland A's. After sixty-seven years the Tropicana has closed its doors and the Oakland A's will begin playing here in 2028.

MISSIONARY TRIP TO THE AMAZON!
-MCRYLEIGH PIERRE-LOUIS

From February 26 to March 7, 2024, students from different education areas at River Plate Adventist University traveled to the Amazons part of Brazil to help out the community. Their goal was to help families living by the Negro River. They stayed in boats and rested in hammocks. They did several things like give basic health care, running programs for kids, painting houses, held church services at night, and many more. The students worked in teams talking to people and inviting them to the evening gatherings. Even though it was difficult, those who went found it to be a good experience. They learned about new cultures and grew more thankful for the chance to help others. The trip was set up with the help of the Northwest Institute of Missions. It aimed to help encourage students to take part in acts of kindness and help isolated communities in the Amazon. This project shows the university's dedication and ability to help offer students a diverse experience in learning.



THE FINAL FOUR
-ROBERT CASTRO

March Madness is coming to an end with only four teams remaining in both the men's and women's tournament. The Elite Eight had some great matches. Starting with the #1 Uconn Huskies facing the #3 Illinois. The match ended in Uconn winning by 25 points, this extends the reigning champs wins with multiple points. The second and last #1 team Purdue Boilermakers faced the #2 Tennessee Volunteers which ended in Purdue's best player Zach Edey going for 40 points and taking Purdue to the Final Four. The last game of the day consisted of the #11 NC State playing the #4 Duke Blue Devils which was a shocker as big man DJ Burns Jr put up 29 points to take NC State to their last Final Four in 40 years.

In the Women's Tournament there were some electric games starting with the #3 LSU Tigers led by star player Angel Reese who faced the #1 Iowa Hawkeyes who were led by the greatest college basketball player Caitlin Clark. This game was a show but the Hawkeyes won the game as Caitlin Clark put up 41 points to take her team back to the Final Four. And lastly the #3 Uconn Huskies led by Paige Bueckers faced the #1 USC Trojan who were led by their best player Juju Watkins. This game resulted in Uconn making it to the Final Four with Bueckers scoring 28 points.

7-10 CHOIR SCHEDULE



Please be advised attendance is required. ▾

~~MAR. 30~~ ~~ABUNDANT LIFE SDA CHURCH~~

APR. 20 **LOCATION: TBD**

SATURDAY TBD

APRIL 27 **MOUNTAIN VIEW SDA CHURCH**

CALL TIME: 10:30 AM

SATURDAY 6001 W. OAKLEY BLVD., LAS VEGAS, NV 89146

MAY 28 **8TH GRADE GRADUATION**

WEDNESDAY TBD

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Fate Rarely Calls Upon Us at a Moment of Our Choosing."
-Optimus Prime
(Revenge of the Fallen)

SILLY GILLEY

Why couldn't the skeleton go to school?
His heart wasn't in it.

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