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Principal Lathen's Message......

North Valley Community,

As the semester comes to a close, I just want to inform our community about the wonderful happenings here at the school and what is on the horizon here at NVHS. Many of our students and staff are feeling the hustle and bustle of the end of the first semester. Our teachers are working with kids to help them achieve their academic goals. Remember, you can help monitor your child's progress through the parentVue account. We are continuing the 3R initiative with those positive notes for demonstrating Respectful, Responsible, or Resilient behavior. We are excited to start the new semester with some new branding of our positive behavior efforts in the commons.

Winter sports are in full swing and the spring play is on the horizon. Make sure to check out the website for upcoming activities and events.

Thanks for all your support, and enjoy the holiday season,

Erik Lathen Principal

Class of 2018

Baby Pictures and Senior Pictures...

The yearbook staff encourage all seniors to submit a senior picture and baby picture for the yearbook. They can be submitted in hard copy or digital format. Just drop them off in the office or email them to northvalleyyearbook@charter.net. These should be submitted by the end of February.

OSAC

The Oregon Office of Student Access and Completion is a higher education commission that helps Oregon students plan and pay for college. The OSAC scholarship application provides access to over \$18 million in scholarships and grants ranging in award amounts from \$1,000 to \$10,000. Eligibility for the awards is not limited to merit scholars or financial need! There are scholarships and grants for varying categories including overall GPA, community service experience, location, and the type of school you will be attending. The Early Bird Deadline for the OSAC application is **February 15, 2018** by 5:00pm. Meeting this deadline automatically qualifies the student for a \$1,000 scholarship. The main deadline is **March 1, 2018** by 5:00pm.





College Nights For all Sophomores & Juniors

- College Information
 - · Free Pizza
- 3—\$500 scholarships will be given away
 You must be present to win

2/28/2018 — 5:30-7:30 pm North Valley High School

Announcements

ACT Test Dates & Deadlines		
ACT Test Date	ACT Registration Deadline	ACT Scores Availa- ble
April 14, 2018	Mar. 9, 2018	Apr. 24, 2018
SAT Test Date	SAT Registration Deadline	SAT Scores Available
March 10, 2018	Feb. 9, 2018	Mar. 23, 2018
May 5, 2018	Apr. 6, 2018	May 18, 2018

The North Valley 2017-2018 Yearbook is on sale! Order your copy at the book keeper's window for last year's price of \$55. Yearbooks make a great gift!

READER BOARD BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCMENTS.....

You can announce your special someone's birthday on our reader board for just \$5.00. The announcement will run for two days. You must sign-up with the bookkeeper at least two days in advance to have your birthday placed on the board.

Spanish 3 - 2018

North Valley is proud to offer Spanish 3 in 2018-19. We are making this investment to help prepare students for college and the work force. *Students enrolled in Spanish 3 earn 4 credits through RCC's College Now Program.* Spanish 3 provides individualized instruction reflecting the goals and needs of each student. Enrichment activities include, a birthday party with a piñata, Indian Mary Camping Trip, Si Casa Flores Field Trip, Latino Recipes Potluck, International Night Leadership Team and viewing Spanish Historical Soap Operas.

Why should students consider a third year of Spanish? The University of Oregon recommends students study foreign languages for the following reasons:

Foreign language programs improve students' overall academic performance. Studies have shown that students who study a foreign language perform better on standardized tests than their monolingual peers.

Foreign language programs positively affect students' intellectual development. Those who have studied foreign languages retain cognitive benefits well into adulthood and old age.

Foreign language programs enhance students' career opportunities. Today's students will graduate into an increasingly interconnected world. The global economy necessitates that students understand other languages and cultures in order to secure the most competitive careers. Businesses prefer to hire bilingual employees.

Foreign language programs provide students the opportunity to explore other cultures and more fully understand their own. As students learn another language and culture, they begin to evaluate their own ways of thinking and viewing the world.

https://casls.uoregon.edu/roadmap/resources/data/ RoadmapTalkingPoints.pdf







Announcements

2017-2018 Students of the Month

January Kiwanis- Kyla Martinez





Rotary—Service Above Self—Preston Pickering









Athletes of the Month

Equestrian— Adrianna Moore



Boys Basketball— Colton Lauby

Girls Basketball— Haley Kersten



Swimming— Devin Collins



Wrestling— Christian Garfield











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