



# SPRING VALLEY ACADEMY



Hello Lovely People,

Plug your ears...we have 9 days left before school starts on Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>.

Please squeeze every remaining bit of summer break out with your kiddos that you can! Your Home & School parent volunteers will try to do the same...while we continue to plan an amazing 2024-2025 year of exciting events.

Reminders we would like to share with you in this issue:

- **SVA 2nd Annual H&S Stallion 5k & Pancake Breakfast - Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, 8 AM Race Start Time, 8:30 AM Breakfast Begins**  
<https://svastallion5k.itsyourrace.com/>
- Area Pathfinder Clubs Going to International Pathfinder Camporee in Gillette, Wyoming

- Used Uniform Sale Update
- Elementary Co-Ed Soccer League Update
- H&S Calendar of Events (To-date)
  - <https://forms.gle/a4uU7Qos5ZGAWYaL8>
- Parent Volunteer Reminder - Sterling Volunteer Training & Background Check
- August Teacher/Staff Birthdays
- September Teacher/Staff Birthdays

**REGISTER NOW**

**2024**

**\$35 Early  
Registration  
Ends August 16th**

**Sunday, August 25th**

**SCAN ME**

**SVA STALLION 5K FUN RUN/WALK**

**& Pancake Breakfast**

**(Breakfast included with registration  
Kids age 3 & below eat free  
all others \$5)**

**FUNDRAISER SPONSORED BY SVA HOME & SCHOOL**

- Registration is open!

- Remember, running is not required...at all! **Having fun is!**
- \***Early registration** is anticipated to close August 16<sup>th</sup> to have time to order t-shirts (so register ASAP). After early registration date, price will increase, and t-shirts will not be guaranteed.
- Don't forget to be a **SPONSOR** and have your business logo (\$250) or family name (\$150) added to the back of our awesome Friday approved t-shirts!!
- **Class challenges** will be included with subsequent prizes.
  - Which class will have the most participants registered?
  - Which one will have the most sponsorship money raised?
  - Register now and make sure to designate which Teacher/Grade Team you want to assign your registration and/or sponsorship.
  - Do you need a sponsor for your registration fees? Let us know.



**August 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>**

We wanted to highlight our area Pathfinder Clubs who are traveling to Gillette, Wyoming for the International Pathfinder Camporee. They are expecting 55,000 people in attendance!

Everyone is invited to watch the evening programs at the following link <https://www.camporee.org/>

\*Below photos are not all inclusive of the club members.

\*\*Their assignment, if they choose to accept, is to return with some awesome stories & photos to share with us.



Church(s): Centerville SDA & Kettering SDA

Director: Emilee Trejo

Club Name: Dayton Area Eagles

Members: 50

Total members/Staff/Volunteers Traveling to Gillette: 84

\*DAE Drum Corps competes on Wednesday.





\*Bus left today, Sunday the 4<sup>th</sup>, and returns the 12<sup>th</sup>.



Church: Ethan Temple Seventh-Day Adventist Church

Director: Dr. Rosalind Dulan

Deputy Director: Kevin Callender

Club Name: Dayton Eagles (Allegheny West Conference)

Members: 12

Total members/Staff/Volunteers Traveling to Gillette: 29





**Church: Beavercreek Seventh-Day Adventist Church**

**Director: David Greutman**

**Deputy Directors: Chaplain Alcoln Thomas & Dr. Shaunrick Stoll**

**Club Name: Beavercreek Broncos**

**Members: 8**

**Total members/Staff/Volunteers Traveling to Gillette: 26 (5 members)**



**Church: Dayton Central Spanish SDA Church**

**Director & Area Coordinator: Jaciel Pagan**

**Club Name: Dayton Angels**

**Members: 20**

**Total members/Staff/Volunteers Traveling to Gillette: 25**



**Church: Clifton SDA Church**

**Director: Denise Ferri**



Deputy Director: Daanan Foster

Club Name: Cincinnati Stars

Members: 19 (7 staff members)

Traveling to Gillette: 19 (10 members, 3 staff, & 6 volunteers)



Church: Dale Wright Memorial SDA

Director: John Simmons

Club Name: Germantown Spartans

Members: 13

Total members/Staff/Volunteers Traveling to Gillette: 22

\*Three SVA members being baptized: Jada Winston, Joelle Winston, Jordyn Winston





**Church: Village SDA Church Mason**

**Director: Genelle Antoine / Deputy Director: Phillip Poland**

**Club Name: Village Explorers**

**Members: 10 Pathfinders / 5 Staff**

**Traveling to Gillette: 22 (8 Pathfinders/5 Staff/5Parents/4 Youth)**

**\* Ashli McFall being baptized**

**Dayton African Peacemakers & a Hamilton Spanish Club will also be in attendance.**

**We pray for their safe travel and God's many blessings during their time fellowshiping with other Pathfinder Clubs from around the world.**

**We also hear many of our area Pathfinders (and SVA students) will be making their personal commitment to God through baptism while there. Can you say, "Amen"?**



After a three-day sale of used uniforms, five racks have now become ONE! Special thanks to Mrs. Cambigue and her amazing daughter Annika for kicking off the sale for Home & School.

Home & School has now inherited the responsibilities of the used uniform program. Please use the last few days of summer to turn in any lightly used uniforms at the school's front office. \*The majority of items pictured are more middle school and high school students sizes right now. A few elementary mixed in. As people turn in more uniforms, we'll let you all know.



## **SVA Dress Code Donated items ACCEPTED:**

- Items **WITH** SVA Logos only at this time (we will revisit non-SVA logo donations at a later date)
- SVA Friday approved t-shirts

## **Donated items NOT ACCEPTED:**

- Item does not contain SVA logo or is not an approved Friday shirt
- Is ripped, torn, contains holes, stains, or overly faded.
- NOT part of the items allowed for wear per SVA dress code.
- Not laundered.

## **Dress code items will be sold:**

- During event dates announced by H&S during the school year.

## **Payment types received:**

- Cash
- Check made out to SVA Home & School
- Zelle – [homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org](mailto:homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org)



SVA  
HOME & SCHOOL  
ELEMENTARY  
CO-ED SOCCER

**~122 PLAYERS  
REGISTERED**

**WE ARE  
READY...ARE  
YOU!!**



**AUGUST 25TH  
AFTER 5K & PANCAKE BREAKFAST**





## **August**

- Light Refreshments at the SVA Convocation – Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> (~8:30 PM, after vespers and prayer walk)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Stallion 5k & Pancake Breakfast – Sunday, August 25, 8 AM Race Start Time, 8:30 Pancake Breakfast Begins
- Elementary Co-Ed Soccer League Begins After 5k Breakfast, August 25<sup>th</sup>

## **September**

- Elementary Co-Ed Soccer League Games September 8<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>
- Fall Fest – Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 11 AM – 3 PM

## **October**

- Elementary Co-Ed Soccer League Games – October 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>
- Elementary Book Fair (K-6<sup>th</sup>) - October 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>

## **November/December**

- Apple Gift Box Sales

## **February**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual International Vegetarian Food Fest – Sunday, February 2nd, 11:30 AM - 2:30 PM

## **April**

- Student Appreciation Week – April 14<sup>th</sup> – April 18<sup>th</sup>

## **May**

- Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week – April 28<sup>th</sup> – May 2<sup>nd</sup>

Click the link below if you are interested in joining our planning teams for one or MORE of our events! It is a great way to meet new people and support our amazing school.

- <https://forms.gle/a4uU7Qos5ZGAWYaL8>





## **PARENTS/GUARDIANS**

If you plan to accompany your child on field trips, assist with classroom activities and/or sports, drive students to events, etc., you are **REQUIRED** to complete the online Sterling Volunteer Training & Background Check (renew every three yrs) & Volunteer Driver Application (renew every year) .

CLICK LINK BELOW FOR INSTRUCTIONS

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## **PADRES/TUTORES**

Si planea acompañar a su hijo en excursiones, ayudar con las actividades del salón de clases y/o deportes, llevar a los estudiantes a eventos, etc., se le **REQUIERE** completar la Verificación de antecedentes y capacitación para voluntarios de Sterling en línea.

SE ADJUNTA UNA GUÍA ÚTIL DE INSTRUCCIONES PASO A PASO PARA SU FACILIDAD.

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[www.ncsrisk.org/adventist](http://www.ncsrisk.org/adventist)

<https://springvalleyacademy.org/parent-resources/school-volunteers/>

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Nicole Starkey is the SVA Point of Contact

Please make sure to wish the below fabulous individuals a very happy birthday as well!! Start **TONIGHT** with Mr. Shull!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

# August

**08/04 DON SHULL - P.E. INSTRUCTOR/GYMNASTICS**

**08/07 LEA STEFFEN - FRESHMEN BIBLE/SOPH  
ENGLISH**

**08/08 JORDAN STEFFEN - FOOD SERVICE  
DIRECTOR**

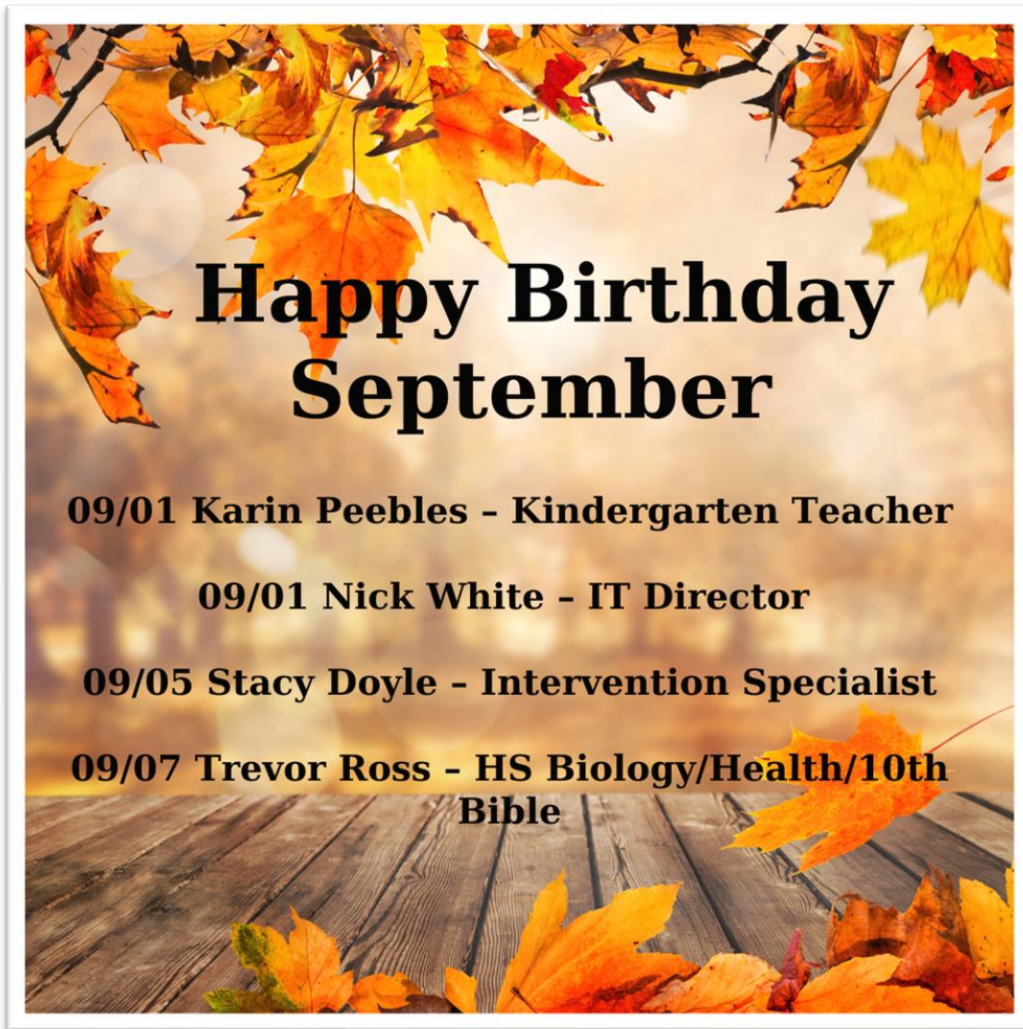
**08/10 SANTHOSH JANGAM - HS MATH**

**08/16 DAANAN FOSTER - P.E.  
INSTRUCTOR/ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**

**GIFT GUIDES - [2023-2024 SVA Gift Guides - pdf](#)**

Looking ahead...





Would you like to become part of an amazing volunteer group who strives to make a difference in our school? If you have an interest & would like to discuss joining our 2024-2025 H&S Board, please reach out to Jennifer Hall via [homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org](mailto:homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org) or 630-427-5412.

Feel free to email [homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org](mailto:homeandschool@springvalleyacademy.org) with any questions, concerns, or suggestions. Feel free to share photos or stories for future newsletters!

Visit our website for past newsletters, additional information, forms, etc. <https://springvalleyacademy.org/parent-resources/home-and-school-organization/>