

Cottonwood Valley Weekly

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CVCS Mission Statement

CVCS offers a rigorous academic program designed to meet the individual needs of each student. CVCS will promote leadership, civic responsibility, and environmental awareness. Through community engagement, CVCS students will understand their effects on the world around them. The School offers the community a parent-driven public school choice in which teachers, students, and parents are partners.

Parent Survey

If you have NOT filled out a parent survey yet, please go to the cottonwoodvalley.org site and fill it out online! You will see the link on the opening page. We appreciate your input!

Check out the new school website!!!

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Early release on

Wed. Feb. 12

12:15

No school Monday,

Feb. 17

Lunch Menu

Tuesday: Chicken enchilada

Wed: Cook's choice

Thursday: Sloppy Joes

Friday: Tacos

Monday: No school

Calendar of Events:

- February:
- 10: Budget Committee Mtg. Parents are welcome to attend!
 - 12: Early release 12:15 Governing Council Mtg. 5:30 Public welcome!
 - 13: 4/5th Science Fair 5:30-7:00pm
 - 17: No school
 - 22: Music Festival Los Lunas
 - 26: Early release 12:15
- March:
- 10-14: Spring break
 - 18-21: SBA begins! Please have your child well-rested and well-fed!
 - 25-28: SBA continues.

VALENTINE DANCE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Bring the family and have a great time!

6:30pm-8:30pm

\$3-single \$4-couple \$10-family



Grades 4 & 5 Science Fair Update

Cottonwood Valley Charter School is looking for judges for this year's Science Fair. We're looking for interested individuals, students or scientists like you to judge grades 4-8th grade.

4 and 5th grade science fair takes place on **Thursday February 13**. We also need volunteers who may want to evaluate their projects, talk to and encourage them on February 13th from 1-2 pm in the multi-purpose room. Do you think you or others you know may be interested?

Also on that eve, **February 13th from 5:30 - 7 pm** CVCS is holding its **CVCS Science Night** and we are looking for interested science community to have a table and show off their cool science activities, models or other hands-on science fun. Families would visit tables/ activity centers and listen, talk, do and see science!!

Thank you so much, we appreciate your community support!

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CVCS Superstar



Neveah Padilla

Profile age: 10 grade: 5th years attended CVCS: 6
Favorites food: Turtle pie book: *Gooseberry Park* color: purple
Movie: *Brave* TV show: *Amazing World of Gumball*
Ice cream: chocolate Sport: none listed sports team: none listed
born: in Albuquerque

Neveah has two brothers named Daniel-18, and Gavin-12. She has dogs named Charlotte, Dixie, Oscar, Lady, and Haley, and a Guinea Pig named Reeses. In her free time, Neveah likes to watch TV, draw, and play with her dogs. Last summer Neveah went on a six-hour boat ride on Elephant Butte with her grandpa and visited her uncle in Albuquerque. When she grows up she wants to be a veterinarian. Congratulations, Neveah, you are a superstar!

5.2.1.O. 2/7/14

Thank you to Mrs. Heber's class for participating in the 21 Day 5.2.1.O Challenge! **You did it!** Even though the 5.2.1.O. Challenge is over, it's still a good idea to continue to eat 5 or more fruits and vegetables every day, engage in 2 hours or less of screen time, get 1 hour or more of exercise, and drink plenty of H₂O. The 5.2.1.O. is a program sponsored by Healthy Kids, Socorro County to promote wellness by challenging students, parents, and communities to exercise and eat nutritious foods. Come out and support our cause with your ideas and comments. We will be having a Stakeholders Potluck at Cottonwood Valley Charter School on Thursday, February 27th from 5:30pm to 7:00pm in the cafeteria to discuss ideas for wellness and obesity prevention in youth. Please share your ideas to make Socorro a healthier community!

TWO FREE WORKSHOPS IN MUSIC & THEATRE

Presented by: The Nebraska Theatre Caravan's CAST AND CREW OF "THE FANTASTICKS"

Performance is at: 7:30pm, Weds., Feb. 12, Macey Center Please RSVP (if you can) for Workshops:
pas@admin.nmt.edu or 575-835-5688

MAKING MUSIC, 10:00AM, MACEY CENTER RECITAL HALL ANNEX

Open to all choral students and singers in elementary, mid, high school, college and adults. Students should come to this workshop with one song memorized and performance ready. This will be a workshop to add nuance to their performance, not to memorize lyrics. If you do not have a song to bring or sing, no worries, come anyway!

INTRO TO THEATRE & A GLIMPSE BACKSTAGE, 3:00-4:30 PM, MACEY CENTER LOBBY

This is the perfect introduction to basic theatre and creativity skills for students recently introduced to the theatre. Excellent class for high school and community theatre groups wishing to explore the training process of a professional actor. The group starts with learning a set of physical and vocal warm-ups, followed by interactive theatre games and improv games meant to teach the importance of focus and listening skills. The session ends with a brief question and answer session with the professional artists and a glimpse backstage.

Have a Secret Crush? A Best Friend? A Parent You Love?

Send him/her a Valentine!

The band members will be selling Valentines all week for \$1

Valentines will be delivered on Friday, February 14

