

March 22, 2024

# Desert Tracks

## Mt Whitney Fish Hatchery

Last Friday some of our students got a chance to release the trout they had been studying and growing throughout this month. Everyone there had a trout to name, after naming their trout they could release it to grow into full adults. We also got an insect show and tell.



## MBA Band Festival

Students had their annual band fest at the Monterey Bay Academy. They had a chance to catch up with students from other school, practice with them all day Friday. Students had morning worship Saturday and a bit of down time at the local beach. Shortly after their got ready for their performance that evening. Our students participated in the talent show and they had such a wonderful time. As the weekend came to a close, Sunday morning everyone packed up and continued the long drive home.



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“Every small positive change we make in ourselves repays us in confidence in the future.”

- Alice Walker

### Upcoming Events

- March 25<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> : Spring Break
- April 1<sup>st</sup> : School Resumes
- April 8<sup>th</sup> , 9<sup>th</sup> : Parent-Teacher Conference (Minimal Days)
- April 13<sup>th</sup> : Education Sabbath
- April 14<sup>th</sup> : Spring Festival



No hot lunch Spring Break  
 Hot Lunch will resume 4/3 Burgers



# Spring Break

From March 25 – 29 school won't be in session. Enjoy your Spring Break!



Memory Verse: John 14:3 *(Lower Grade Class)*

"I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me." NLT

# April 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 School Resumes H&S Meeting	2	3 Hot Lunch Burgers	4	5	6
7	8 Parent-Teacher conference: ½ Day	9 Parent-Teacher conference: ½ Day	10 Hot Lunch Spaghetti	11	12 Social Committee Event: Upjohn Park Serving Pancit Flex	13 Education Sabbath
14 Spring Festival	15	16	17 Hot lunch Stir-fry	18	19	20
21	22 Field Trip: Natural History Museum	23	24 Hot Lunch Haystacks	25	26 Flex	27
28	29	30				

Memory Verse: Philippians 4:6, 7 *(Upper Grade Class)*

"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done if you do this, you will experience God's peace, which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand. His peace will guard your heart and minds as you live in Christ Jesus." (NLT)

## Spelling Words

### TK- K

no spelling

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

U7 W3

### 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

U7 W3

stow  
weather  
crow  
own  
yellow  
shook  
crook  
thief  
chief  
shield  
under  
never

tomato  
tomatoes  
man  
men  
foot  
feet  
child  
children  
mouse  
mice  
tooth  
teeth  
ox  
oxen  
heroes

### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

U7 W3

fish  
wish  
grass  
will  
frog  
frost

### 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

U7 W3

scissors  
pianos  
deer  
scarves  
tacos  
chiefs  
radios  
quizzes  
ourselves  
luggage  
measles  
index  
portfolios  
cacti  
buffaloes  
people  
videos  
sheriffs  
mosquitoes  
potatoes

### 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

U7 W3

emancipate  
descriptive  
denote  
ascribe  
subscription  
maneuver  
annotate  
manually  
annotation  
prescription  
manifest  
notary  
subscribe  
inscriptive  
manipulate  
transcriptionist  
prescribe  
denotable  
inscription  
mannerism





## Stater Bros Field Trip

Students had their field trip to Stater Bros Markets Monday morning. They learned about different kinds of produce, they got a taste of a pink lemon. They saw how food gets recycled and turned into compost. They saw different types of meat at the meat counter. And the big oven at the bakery. They got a chance to check out an item at the cashier counter



## Ridgecrest Library

Tuesday morning students took a wonderful walk to the library. They had story time with the librarian. They had a scavenger hunt, learned how to look up books and received an application for a library card.



## Fundraisers:

### Signature Chocolates

We have chocolates in the school office for sale. This helps support our 8<sup>th</sup> graders for their graduation and their 8<sup>th</sup> grade class trip fund. This can be the perfect Valentine's gift!

Signature Chocolate Bars  
\$1.00 each



### RAE Sweatshirts

We have RAE Sweatshirts for purchase, youth and adult sizes. If you'd like to purchase one, please contact the school office (760) 375-8673.



Youth \$20.00 (Sizes XS-Large)

Adult \$25.00 (Sizes S – 3XL)

### Grocery Cards

We have grocery cards for Stater Bros and Albertsons for purchase. If you'd like to purchase any, please contact the school office.





## Pizza Factory

Wednesday morning students got the opportunity to make a pizza at the Pizza Factory here in town. Everyone learned how to toss their pizza and add toppings.



## Farm Day

Thursday students had their field trip at the Bakersfield Fair Grands. They got to see cowboys in action, how they count cattle and how they catch them with their rope. Students learned how a Shepherd gathers his flock with his border collie. They had a chance to pet a goat and met with a robot names spot.



## Get To Know Your Student Maverick by: Halia (3<sup>rd</sup> Grade)

Maverick is 8 and is in 2nd grade. His favorite color is green and food is donuts. His favorite book is Matilda. He likes chocolate and strawberry cake. He is still deciding what he wants to be when he grows up.



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### RAE Vision Statement

Provide Christian educational excellence for the children of Ridgecrest, inspiring them to strive and reach their fullest academic potential, and mentoring them to love and serve their families, neighbors, and our Creator Jesus Christ.

### RAE Mission Statement

As part of the worldwide Seventh-day Adventist Educational system, RAE is the principle mission of the Ridgecrest Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The RAE program is purposed to ignite in the student a lifelong passion to excel academically, physically, and spiritually.









