

# VAPO News

## **UPCOMING DATES**

#### May 22 - Last Day of School

Awards are scheduled by grade. Parties start at 11:15 a.m. Reminder, no younger siblings at parties.

## May 27 – New Parent Orientation

A must-attend event for all new parents. 6:30 p.m. MPR

#### **August 7 – Meet the Teacher**

Come meet your child's new teacher, get an ID Badge, and check out the used uniforms.

August 10 – First Day of School

## **Honor Roll Ceremony**

May 19, 2015 at the LDS Church located at 2939 W. Rose Garden Ln. from 6:00-7:00 p.m. for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> grades and 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. for 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grades.

Volunteers are still needed. Contact Mrs. Lund at 918-408-3558.

## From the VAPO President...

#### Mrs. Audra Nuttall

I am happy to announce the newly voted VAPO Council for the 2015-2016 school year: Mrs. Chapin, as President over Valley Communication Committee, Mrs. Johnson, as Vice President over 8th Grade Promotion, Mrs. Fett as Treasurer over Office Fundraising, Mrs. Watson as Secretary over Coyote Pride, Mrs. McLemore over Curriculum, Mrs. Born over Special Events, Mrs. Lund over Student Recognition, Mr. Neuman over Event Fundraising, Mr. Dabberu over Volunteer Communication, Mrs. Romley over Library Committee, Mrs. Barry over Athletics, and Mrs. Rangel over Staff Appreciation. Hooray! We have seven returning members and five new Council Members.

These members will start their terms on July 1, 2015. Thank you for dedication to our children! We appreciate all of the parent volunteers at Valley Academy!

## **Congratulations to all of our Volunteers!**

Thank you to all of our families who help our school be the very best!

# 2014-2015 Volunteer of the Year Is the

## **Hochhalter Family**

They donated a whopping 315.75 hours to our school!

The top 5 families at Valley Academy donated

McKinnon\* 449.15

**Hochhalter 315.75** 

Brey\* 189.50

Neuman\* 189.25

Gourgue\* 164.25

\*Denotes VAPO member.

Not eligible for Volunteer of the Year/Month

Have a happy and safe summer! Parents at our school do so much to help their children get to and from school and with all of their volunteering, this is a great summer break for all of us. Enjoy the time with your family!

## **8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE UPDATES**

### Thank you to all committee leaders and volunteers that helped make our Dinner/ Dance a success!

May 19th - 8th Grade Breakfast & Field Trip - Please sign up to prepare or donate items and to help serve our students and staff using the Sign-Up Genius link that was emailed home, if you haven't already. Good news! The field trip to CrackerJax will only cost \$5 per student, due to all our fundraising this year!

May 20th - 8th graders will be bussed to North Hills Church for Promotion rehearsal. Afterwards, 8th graders will enjoy a sack lunch with their friends at Beuf Park. Thank you to those parents that have signed up to help chaperone. We have plenty!

## Box Tops for Education Classes for the Year

1st Place Mrs. Breshears' class - 1899

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Mrs. Calderon's class – 1665

3rd Place Mrs. Licano's class - 1610

4th Place Miss Malick's class - 1415

5th Place Mrs. Vig's class - 1335

The Box Top fundraiser is helping to offset the cost

of our goal of a printer and shade structures.

Keep collecting over the summer.



#### **Boosterthon Wrap Up**

It's not too late to turn in your money from pledging for the Boosterthon. If we collect 100% of all that was pledged, VAPO will earn over \$16,000! Great job!



### 20th Celebration Family Picnic

Everyone had a great time at the Book Fair, Art Show, 20<sup>th</sup> Celebration, and Family Fun Night! Thank you for all who came and supported this wonderful event on May 1<sup>st</sup>.

Mr. Mettes was presented with a wonderful plaque for his dedication and years of service on the Board of Directors of Reid Traditional Schools. Thank you, Mr. Mettes, from the entire Valley Academy community.