



VALLEY
ACADEMY



VAPO News

VALLEY ACADEMY PARENT ORGANIZATION

A word from VAPO:

This publication of **VAPO News** highlights upcoming events and volunteer opportunities in January and February 2026. Volunteering your time at the school is one of the best opportunities you will have to make a difference in your child's school experience. Did you know that the gym and front office area and classroom expansions were possible because of grant money obtained from volunteer hour reporting? Be sure to log all of your volunteer hours. This can be done by completing a Valley Academy Volunteer Voucher, the volunteer log in the front office, or by logging your hours online at:

<https://valleyacademy.com/vapo/volunteer-time-log/>

Whether you prefer to work at home or love helping at the school, there is always a need for volunteers. If you are looking for ways to get in your volunteer hours (3 hours per month or 27 hours per year), please feel free to reach out to a member of VAPO. Look for Sign-Up Genius emails for volunteer opportunities.

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Upcoming Events

- Jan. 14th - Honor Roll Ice Cream
- Jan. 19th - No School
- Jan. 21st - 100th Day of School
- Jan. 21st - Fun Run Assembly
- Jan. 30th - Fun Run/Field Day
- Feb. 6th - Spirit Day
- Feb. 10th - VAPO Meeting
 - 8:15 a.m. in the VAPO Room
- Feb. 11th - Staff Breakfast
- Feb. 12th - Caught Being Good
- Feb. 13th - Early Release & Class Parties
- Feb. 16th - No School
- Feb. 24th - Spring Concert

VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH

December: Melissa Odell
 Nandhini Arun
 Jennifer Decker



Volunteers with the most volunteer time each month will receive gift certificates of appreciation.

We also want to thank everyone who helped make the Staff Appreciation Lunch in December a success!

If your children are missing something such as a water bottle or sweater, please have them check the lost and found. Items not collected by the end of January will be donated.



Contact us anytime with any questions. We volunteer to help you volunteer.
Please visit us at www.ValleyAcademy.com/VAPO

Our Valley Academy Coyotes Fun Run Registration started on December 15th. We are raising money for new Automated External Defibrillators. Our goal is to raise \$30,000.

We will be giving out three pizza parties to the classrooms that have raised the most donations. Also, classrooms with 100% registration online will receive a crazy sock day. Plus, the teachers with 100% registration for their classrooms will be entered in a raffle for a gift card of their choice.

Here's how you can support Valley Academy:

1. **Register** on mybooster.com Code: 141-749
2. **Share** about our fundraiser with your family and friends using the **SHARE BUTTON** on mybooster.com.
3. **Give** a donation, if you are able.

Below is the schedule for the Fun Run and Field Day on Friday, January 30th. Volunteers are needed!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4AAAA82DA5FBC16-54422543-funrun#/>

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Field Day Times</u>	<u>Fun Run Times</u>	
Kindergarten		9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	As always, thank you!
1st & 2nd	12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Mrs. Amy Sessler , VAPO President
3rd & 5th	1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	azlovessports@hotmail.com
4th	9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	623-980-6381
6th	9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	
7th & 8th		8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.	

Look below for ways to give back to Valley Academy with American Furniture Warehouse, Box Tops for Education, and Fry's

Teacher/Staff
Breakfast

Save the Date!

Wednesday
February 11, 2026

More details and sign-up information coming soon!

Vanessa Eckles,
VAPO Staff Appreciation

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Valley Academy

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