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JAMES VALLEY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

INTERCOM

March 21, 2025

Calendar

- Mar 24-28 Spring Break - No School, Office Closed
- Mar 24-28 Jr/Sr Trip to Washington, DC
- Ap 1 T&F @ DWU, 12PM
- Ap 2 Early Release, 1:30PM, Teacher's In-Service, No After School Care
- Ap 4 Elementary Speech Festival
- Ap 7 T&F Meet @ Brookings, 12PM
- Ap 9 4th Grade Patriotic Program, 2:30PM
- Ap 10 T&F @ Estelline, 3PM
- Ap 11&12 SDT - *The Sound of Music*
- Ap 14 JH T&F @Wess. Springs, 2PM
- Ap14 Exec. Committee Mtg, 6:30PM
- Ap15 5th-8th Grade Band Contest @JVC, 8AM
- Ap 17 T&F @ De Smet, 11AM
- Ap18 No School - Good Friday
- Ap 21 No School - Easter Monday
- Ap 24 T&F @ Redfield, 10AM
- Ap 25 Jr/Sr Banquet Grand March, 6PM
- Ap 28 7th-12th Spring Concert
- Ap 29 Golf 281 @Wess. Springs
- Ap 29 T&F @ Miller, 2PM
- Ap 29 JVC Invitational Spelling Bee, 1PM
- Ap 30 Cleanathon, 12:30PM
- Ap 30 Jr/Sr Career Fair, 10:30AM

Jonathan Koel Reflects on Service as Page

I had the opportunity to serve as a House Legislative Page in the historic 100th Session of the SD State Legislature. What an experience! Being able to see firsthand the work of our representatives was the opportunity of a lifetime.

One highlight was attending Jarvis Wipf's (JVC class of '98) Tuesday morning Bible study. Jarvis works for Capitol Commission, serving as chaplain for the Capitol. I enjoyed seeing how legislators apply their faith to their work!

I am grateful for the opportunity I had to serve as a page. I encourage anyone in high school to jump at this when you have the opportunity. I learned much more about government than I ever could from reading a textbook.

My challenge to anyone reading this is to get involved in city and state government. Tell your representatives how certain bills affect you. At the very least, please pray for legislators and leaders as they make decisions that determine the future of our great state and country!

To learn more about Jonathan's experience, be sure to read our June newsletter.

Prayer Corner (Mar 24-28 & Mar 29-Apr 4)

During Spring Break Week, please pray for our juniors, seniors and chaperones in DC. There will be no Intercom on 3/28, so the prayer corner for the next week is also included below.

Juniors: Johnathon, Micaiah, Monterio, Braylynn, ConLai, Belle, Kaitlyn, August, Huntley, Kolby

Seniors: Tayne, Madilynn, Elaina, Jonathan, Hope, Joel, Rebecca, Jerrad, Charlotte

Chaperones: Ken & Karen, Merrit & Jill, Michelle, Stan & Kim

Mon (3/31): Shane & Melissa Hood, Adam & Cassie Jacobs, Lindsey Kasperon, Dave & Heather Brondsema

Tues (4/1): Jeremy Keelin, Jeff & Amy Kempf, Derik & Jackie Kleinsasser, Tom & Janet Christenson

Wed (4/2): Bruce & Nicole Knutson, Ken & Karen Koel, Stephen & Samantha Lafreniere, Ryan & Hannah Glanzer

Thurs (4/3): Anthony & Ronda Lind, Tony & Emma Loewen, Victor & Julia Lopez, Shannon Gross

Fri (4/4): Tyler & Whitney McDonald, Ara Moo & Eh Thoo, Alex & Kristin Nelson, Travis & Rachel Halsey

The mission of James Valley Christian School is to teach a Biblically based education, transforming hearts and minds to impact the world for Christ.

JVCS Honor Roll—Third Quarter

JVCS publishes the honor rolls every nine weeks. A "D" or below nullifies eligibility for either honor roll, regardless of GPA.

High Honor Roll (3.67-4.00 GPA)

7th Grade: Josiah Chase, Isaac Fast, Milo Glanzer, Asher Kasperson, KinLee Norby, Kasen Ober, Oliver Steele

8th Grade: Sophia Ewolhin, Natallia Hood, Maria Porter, Skylar Thielbar, Eli Zajicek

9th Grade: Noah Fast, Audri Hohm, Addison Kleinsasser, Olivia Knutson, Kaden Ober, Jonah Niederbaumer, Grace Wipf

10th Grade: Elisabeth Hamilton, Ally Hohm, Hadasah Olson, Rylin Wipf, Natalie Zajicek

11th Grade: Micaiah Brantner, Braylynn Hood, Belle Niederbaumer, Kaitlyn Stahl, Huntley Steele

12th Grade: Tayne Herrmann, Madi Hofer, Elaina Hohm, Jonny Koel, Hope Mendel, Joel Olson, Rebecca Stahl, Jerrad Wallman

Honor Roll (3.00-3.66)

7th Grade: Mason Anderson, Zechariah Azar, Riley Hagen, Isaac Jennings, Jonah McDermid, Mykelti Olson

8th Grade: Levi Crandall, Carson Dorris, Alexis Dowling, Dara Olowu-Davies, Janiyah Waldner

9th Grade: Ella Anderson, Keeghann Hood, Keegan Loewen, Autumn Stahl

10th Grade: Alesha Andreas, Gian Estrada, Olivea Gross, Elli Kempf

11th Grade: ConLai Lind, August Steele, Kolby VanDerWerff

12th Grade: Charlotte Zajicek

Show Only Tickets Available

Show only tickets to *The Sound of Music* production on Friday and Saturday, April 11 and 12, are available for \$40 each at our website or in the office. Plenty of great seating is still open for either night.

Open Positions for 25-26 School Year

Superintendent

Kindergarten Teacher


6th Grade Teacher

7th-12th Science Teacher

Athletic Director

Daytime Custodian

Apply at www.jvcs.org.



ELAINA HOHM

•• Senior Spotlight

About Me

- **List your hobbies, jobs, and activities.** piano, cello, trumpet, French horn, singing, cooking, drawing, one act, oral interp, counseling at camps, National Honor Society, chapel team
- **Describe yourself in three words.** ambitious, logical, confident
- **Give the underclassmen some great advice.** You might not think that you have much influence on the people around you, but reflect on how much you are influenced by others. Whether you think you have an effect on others or not, choose to be someone who you would want to look up to anyways.
- **Which superpower do you wish you had?** teleportation
- **Post-graduation plans?** Attend Tabor College in Kansas and double major in Psychology and English, then pursue a degree in law.

Favorites

Class or Teacher?
Psychology and Geography with Mr. Wipf

School Lunch?
Stromboli

Sports Team?
Real Madrid