

# ELEMENTARY NEWS NOVEMBER 2022



### **VETERANS DAY**

We will be honoring our Veterans with a breakfast on Thursday, November 10th. Military family members are invited to join our students for breakfast at 9:00am. If you have not sent in your form to join us for breakfast, please do so. We will have some small readings to thank our Vets!



## STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY PTSO

Our next PTSO meeting is November 16th at 5:30pm in the school library. Everyone is welcome and we would love to see you there! The 50th annual PTSO Bazaar will be November 19th 9-3. Come on out to shop local and support our local crafters. We have many wonderful vendors and are excited to be back in full swing this year. December 5th- 9th we will be having our elf shop. The kids always love being able to shop for their family. We love our volunteers and need you to help us make the elf shop a success. More information will be coming on how to help!

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Another busy month ahead! We have so many exciting activities and things going on! It's going to be a great month of learning at SVCS Elementary! We have lots of exciting activities during this month. Check out all of our exciting activities located on the back of this newsletter. Our monthly character trait is Teamwork. School wide we are looking for students working together to earn COUGAR Paws and be recognized at our next character ed. assembly on November 18th. Teamwork is the ability to work in unity with others towards a common goal. We are better together!

Attendance is extremely important to your children's academic success. To fully benefit from all school has to offer and the great learning happening, children need to come to school and be on time. Missing just 2 days a month adds up to 20 days a year which is considered chronically absent regardless of reason by New York State. Even just being late 10 minutes a day can add up to significant time lost. For example, when a student is 10 minutes late 2 days a week that equates to 80 minutes of lost instruction a month. Not only that – we miss your children when they are not here! Please encourage good attendance to create good habits throughout the entire school experience.

We look forward to seeing everyone at Parent-Teacher Conferences on November 21 and 22! If you haven't signed up yet, please do so via Parent Square.



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## PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent teacher conferences are the best time to discuss with your child's teacher the first ten weeks of school. And any concerns you may have at this time. Conferences will be in person. If you have not signed up for a parent teacher conference time yet, please sign up through ParentSquare or reach out to your child's teacher directly.

Parent teacher conferences are Monday, November 21 and Tuesday, November 22.



#### IMPORTANT DATES THIS MONTH

NOVEMBER 4-5: SCHOOL MUSICAL

**NOVEMBER IO: VETERANS BREAKFAST** 

NOVEMBER II: VETERANS DAY-NO SCHOOL

**NOVEMBER 16: FFA MEETING** 

NOVEMBER 18: CHARACTER ED. ASSEMBLY

NOVEMBER 19: BAAZAR

NOVEMBER 2I & 22: PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES, DISMISSAL AT II:30 AM

NOVEMBER 23-25: THANKSGIVING BREAK, NO SCHOOL

