

Group 310

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SEPTEMBER 2007

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| 2 | 3 Labor Day | 4 | 5 Upper School 101 with Jessica 9:30 a.m. New to VCS 10:00 a.m. 6 th Grade Lower School New Kids Day 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. (see invitation from Admissions for exact times) | 6 School Opens Noon Dismissal for 5/6s New Families Welcome Session 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. PlayGroup Begins Fall Membership Meeting 6:00 p.m. | 7 Noon Dismissal for 5/6s | 8 |
| 9 | 10 Class Parents Meeting 8:45 a.m. Place 2 B Begins 8 th Grade Parent Placement Meeting 6:30 p.m. | 11 Study Center Begins (Tues, Wed, Thurs) Council 7:00 p.m. | 12 Coffee & Conversation with Eve 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. LS Dismissal at 2:00 p.m.; US at 2:15 p.m. | 13 <i>Rosh Hashanah</i> School Closed | 14 <i>Rosh Hashanah</i> School Closed | 15 Far West Tenth Street Fair 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Rain Date Sunday 9/16) |
| 16 | 17 | 18 Diversity Committee Meeting 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. | 19 Coffee & Conversation with Eve 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. LS Dismissal at 2:00 p.m.; US at 2:15 p.m. | 20 Community Service Committee Meeting 8:45 – 9:45 a.m. Finance 7:00 p.m. | 21 Middle Years Parents Breakfast with Ruben 8:45 – 9:45 a.m. Lost and Found Day | 22 |
| 23 | 24 First Day of AfterSchool | 25 Medical Form Deadline Independent School Fair 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. | 26 Coffee & Conversation with Eve 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Early Years Parents Breakfast with Ruben 8:45 – 9:45 a.m. LS Dismissal at 2:00 p.m.; US at 2:15 p.m. | 27 Sweatshirt Sale 2:30 p.m. | 28 Sweatshirt Sale 2:30 p.m. | 29 |
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Dear 8/9s, 10s, and Upper School Parents,

This past year, I have been researching ways to help students stay organized and move through their busy days more easily. My findings tell me that an influential factor is providing students with the same organizational materials. The foundation of good organizational habits should be started early and remain consistent throughout the years.

To this end, **beginning in the 8/9s**, VCS is implementing a new system. As we start this phase of the program, we ask that you allow VCS to order the following same supplies for these students:

- Large zipped 3-ring binder
- Color-coded folders and notebooks
- Daily planner
- Loose leaf paper
- Zipped pencil case

We know that children enjoy shopping for back-to-school supplies. So here is your list! Please make sure your children come to school equipped with:

- Pencils
- Pens
- Protractors (Upper School only)
- Highlighter
- Scientific Calculator (Upper School only)
- Compass (10s and Upper School only)
- Report Covers (to keep at home)

Have a great summer. See you in September.

Denise

Dear Upper School Parents,

I am delighted to share with you the soccer and volleyball schedule for the academic year 2007-2008. This information may help you plan your child's after school activities. We encourage Upper School students to participate in all team sports, as a supplement to their work in Physical Education class.

Our sixth grade team and our seventh/eighth grade teams are co-ed and voluntary. Once your child makes a commitment to play a team sport, he or she must attend practice and games whenever possible unless we receive notification from you. Permission forms must be returned as soon as possible before your child can play. You will receive a follow-up letter and permission form soon.

Soccer and volleyball practices are on Wednesday from 2:30-4:00pm. We are thrilled that Ivan Rubenstein-Gillis, Ashlin Halfnight and Dustin Ferris will be back to coach soccer this year. To date, all soccer practices and home games will take place at Pier 40 this year. Soccer and volleyball practice begin on Wednesday, September 12th unless you hear to the contrary. Luis Hernandez will coach volleyball.

Most soccer games begin at 4:00pm and we will walk to Pier 40 for all home games. Eighth grade students are permitted to leave from games unaccompanied, provided they have submitted the parental permission form. We ask that the 6th and 7th grade students return to VCS for dismissal unless other arrangements have been made with your child's coach. If for some reason we cannot field a team, or a game is cancelled, your child will be notified by 12:00 pm and is expected to relay the message to you. Volleyball games also begin at approximately 4:00 pm.

We ask that you provide dark blue shorts, shin guards, soccer socks and a long-sleeved athletic undershirt for your soccer player. Sneakers are suitable on turf fields. Non-metal cleats are perfect for dirt and grass fields. Extra bottled water is always a good idea. For volleyball players, we ask you to provide dark blue shorts. Knee pads and elbow pads are optional, and you may purchase them at any local sporting goods store. For both soccer and volleyball, we will provide a VCS shirt.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call me at the Phys. Ed. office extension (217). We hope to see many of you during the season. Come and cheer us on!

Thank you,
Mary M. Johnson

VILLAGE COMMUNITY SCHOOL ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

FALL 2007-2008

VOLLEYBALL

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| Tuesday, September 25 th - 6,7/8 th grade vs. City and Country | Home |
| Monday, October 1 st - 6,7/8 th grade vs. Geneva School | Home |
| Thursday, October 4 th - 6,7/8 th grade vs. Bank Street | Home |
| Monday, October 15 th - 6,7/8 th grade vs. BHMS | Home |
| Monday, October 22 nd - 6,7/8 th grade vs. St. Luke's | Away |
| Thursday, October 25 th - 6,7/8 th grade vs. Grace Church | Away |

SOCCER

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| Thursday, September 27 th - 7/8 th grade vs. Little Red | Home |
| Friday, September 28 th - 6 th grade vs. Trevor Day | Home |
| Monday, October 1 st - 7/8 th grade vs. Grace Church | Home |
| Tuesday, October 2 nd - 6 th grade vs. Bank Street | Home |
| Tuesday, October 9 th - 7/8 th grade vs. BHMS | Home |
| Tuesday, October 16 th - 7/8 th grade vs. St Luke's | Away |
| Thursday, October 18 th - 6 th grade vs. Town School | Home |
| Tuesday, October 23 rd - 6 th grade vs. Grace Church | Home |
| Wednesday, October 24 th - 7/8 th grade vs. Churchill | Away |