Rock Valley Christian School Announcements

- November 2: Scrip Orders due at 9 AM
- November 2-5: I:55 Book Fair @RVCS
  - *See the bulletin board for more information*
- November 4 & 5: Noon Dismissal/Parent Teacher Conferences
- November 6: No School
- November 7: NWIBA Jr. High Honor Band Concert @ Dordt
- Christmas Program is on December 10, 6:30 PM at Trinity CRC
- Christmas break: December 21-January 3 Classes Resume January 4

Attention Grain Farmers! Please remember the annual Winter Festival Grain Project when delivering your corn to Doon Elevator, Farmers Elevator, and/or Valley Feed and Seed. Thank you in advance for your generosity! The Winter Festival is slated for Friday, February 13

- RVCS Board Winter Festival Committee: Brad Vanden Bosch, Jake Faber, and Megan Kooima.

NICSTO contributions are being accepted through 12/1/25. Contact RVCS Office at 712-476-2615 or email Julie Van Tol at julie.vantol@rockvalleychristian.com if you would like a contribution form.

Join Our Team! RVCS is continuing to seek an Athletic Director! If you or someone you know is interested in the position, or if you have any questions, please contact Paul Lapka at paul.lapka@rockvalleychristian.com.

Hope Haven-*Wheelchair Distribution Trip*

Share Christ's Love Through a Hope Haven Wheelchair Distribution Trip. Hope Haven International Ministries is looking for volunteers to serve on upcoming wheelchair distribution trips in 2027. These trips offer the opportunity to work alongside local partners, share Christ's love, and help provide wheelchairs and mobility equipment to children and adults in need.

2027 Upcoming trips include;

- Kenya, March 6–17
- Uganda, April 25–May 5
- Thailand, April 29–May 9

No medical experience is required, and there are a variety of ways to serve as part of a distribution team. To learn more or apply, visit hopehaven.org/international-ministries/distribution-trips or contact Luke at lrussell@hopehaven.org.

Dordt University-*Jazzed Up Big Band concert*

Dordt University's Music Department will welcome the Jazzed Up Big Band for a concert on Friday, November 6, at 7 PM in the BJ Haan Auditorium. The Jazzed Up Big Band is a professional ensemble based out of the Okoboji area, drawing talented musicians from Northwest Iowa, Southwest Minnesota, Southeast South Dakota, and the surrounding area. It will be an evening of jazz and pop favorites spanning traditional swing, contemporary jazz, and classic big band styles. Dordt's own 4th Ave Jazz Band will open the concert with a featured tune before the Jazzed Up Big Band takes the stage. The concert is free and open to the public.

Minn-I-Kota Youth: Post High Young Single Adults -*November 4*

If you are looking for a great way to kick off the Thanksgiving and Christmas season….here is a opportunity for you! Saturday November 7 MIK+ will be getting together in Sioux Falls to shop for the Samaritans Purse Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. We will be meeting at the East Side Walmart (5521 East Arrowhead Pkwy Sioux Falls) at 6pm near the Customer Service desk. After shopping we will gather at SF 1st Christian Reformed Church to pack and decorate boxes and enjoy some pizza. Please, RSVP to Pastor Doug & Lee De Groot (712 470 4244) before November 4. Hope to see several of our regulars along with some new faces. And as always….Invite a friend!

Prayers for the upcoming elections - *transporation assistance avialable*

Please pray for the upcoming elections and reach out to your family, friends, and neighbors and commit to voting on Tuesday, November 3, 7:00 AM- 8:00 PM (if you haven't previously voted by other means). Assistance in voting is available at the polls for handicapped and elderly. If you need transportation, please call the church office. Note: If you are not registered to vote, Iowa law allows election day registration or updating your registration by providing proof of identity and proof of residency dated within the last 45 days. If a voter cannot provide the necessary documents, they may cast a provisional ballot, or another registered voter from their precinct may attest to their identity.

Memory Loss Support Group - *Wednesday, November 4*

The next Memory Loss Support Group will be held on Wednesday, November 4 at 10:00 AM in the Learning Center at Hegg.

The 5th Annual Mendistry Area Men's Event-*November 5*

The 5th Annual Mendistry Area Men's Event will be November 5 at 7 PM at The Triple Box near Orange City. In 2023 The Triple Box burned to the ground, taking the Schrock family's livelihood, hard work, and dreams with it. Come and hear Justin Schrock's story of crisis, courage, and hope.

Katelyn's Fund Annual Auction *-Friday, November 6*

The auction will take place at New Life Reformed Church in Sioux Center! Doors open at 5:00 PM. Join us for a complimentary meal at 5:30 PM and stay for the auction, 6:30 PM. We've got a great lineup of items, including electronics, home goods, vacation stays, autographed NFL merch, and more! Your support helps us continue our mission of speaking boldly for the fatherless. With generous partners like you, we've been able to support countless families in their adoption journeys and continue our work in Haiti. We'd love for you to be part of this mission again.

TODAY devotional*-November edition available*

November TODAY devotionals are available! You can also enjoy your daily TODAY devotional on Alexa or Spotify. Sign up to receive daily devotionals by email or text and spend a few moments each day in God's Word.