

# ERCS Newsletter

January 2019



Happy New Year!

May 2019 be a year of Blessings!

## Talent Show

The Echo Ridge Talent Show will be on Saturday, February 23. Please start thinking about how you could be involved. We need acts - music, comedy, skits, etc... - We'd love to have a variety of examples of our talented community! We also need some quality items or services for the silent auction. If you have a business, or know of someone who might want to donate, please think about asking them! We will also need help setting up and cooking the night of the Talent Show. Please invite your whole family to come on February 23 for dinner, entertainment, prizes. Student Auditions will take place during school on Friday, Jan 25.

## Get to Know Your Teachers

Linda Severs perfect weekend would be spent visiting a historical reenactment in costume. Her first pet was a black shorthaired cat named Chereval. Maroon, mint, periwinkle, blush pink, white, and robin's egg blue are her favorite colors (no orange or mustard!) And her Favorite Sweet Treat is Undercooked brownies with caramel. Linda is an introvert who prefers books about historical fiction to movies.

## GVSDA Womens Retreat

On the weekend of January 11-12, the Grass Valley SDA church Women's Ministries is holding a Women's Retreat in the ERCS gym. All ladies are invited to come and enjoy some refreshing time of socializing, spiritual renewal, and fun. The meeting is at 7 P.M. on Friday, and 11 A.M. – 5 P.M. on Saturday.

## Chess Tournament

On Sunday, January 27 there will be a Chess Tournament Fundraiser held at ERCS. This is a great time to get all the chess enthusiasts you know involved in our school. This tournament is open to anyone – child or adult who enjoys chess. There are two ways to be involved; Track 1: If you want to be in the running for the \$500 grand prize, pay the \$50 entry fee. Track 2: If you just want to play for the fun of it, then come and play without an entry fee. Extra entry forms are available in the office.

## Winter Sports Days

There are two Winters Sports Days this year – Thursday, January 17 and Thursday, February 7. More details are in the weekly packets.

## Calendar Highlights:

### January

- ❖ 11-12 - Grass Valley SDA Church Women's Retreat; Friday - Saturday
  - ❖ 17 - Winter Sports Day; Thursday
  - ❖ 18 - End 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter; Friday
  - ❖ 21 - M.L. King Jr. Day; Monday, **NO SCHOOL**
  - ❖ 22 - Begin 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter; Tuesday
- ### February
- ❖ 4 - 100 Days of School; Monday
  - ❖ 7 – Winter Sports Day, Ski or Skate; Thursday
  - ❖ 14 - Valentine's Day Party; Thursday
  - ❖ Community Service; Thursday
  - ❖ 18 - Presidents' Day; Monday, **NO SCHOOL**
  - ❖ 23 - ERCS & GVSDA Church Talent Show; Saturday, 6:30 P.M.- 8:30 P.M.

## January Birthdays

Carissa French – Jan 24

**Happy Birthday,  
Carissa!**



I WAIT FOR THE LORD, MY SOUL WAITS,  
*and in his word I hope*  
PSALM 130:5