

Cottonwood Valley Weekly

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CVCS Mission Statement

CVCS offers a rigorous academic program designed to meet the individual needs of each student. CVCS will promote leadership, civic responsibility, and environmental awareness. Through community engagement, CVCS students will understand their effects on the world around them. The School offers the community a parent-driven public school choice in which teachers, students, and parents are partners.

CVCS is forming a student council, but we need help from a parent or two. If you are interested in helping students learn about student government, please contact Mr. Shrack or Mrs. Burleigh so we can begin this exciting new project!

Calendar of Events:

November:	26-28: Thanksgiving Holiday — No school
December:	4: County Declamation
	5: K & 1st to Bosque
	9: 5th to Watershed
	10: Governing Council Meeting 5:30
	12: NDI performance
	16: 4th to BEMP

**No school on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday!
Have a safe and fun holiday!**



Lunch Menu

Tue: Cheeseburger

Wednesday: No school

Thursday: No school

Friday: No school

A HUGE thank you to everyone who made Literacy Night a huge success! The 8th grade made over \$100 from drinks and donations, the used book sale netted a bit over \$100 for five new library books, and smiles were everywhere when Maestra got a pie in the face! Thanks to everyone who took time out of their busy schedule—we appreciate it. Oh, and the pie was delicious!

There are still lots of books for sale at the used book sale! Low, low prices and some great children's and adult books are waiting for you! Books will be on sale through the end of the day on Tuesday. Thank you!!

CVCS Superstar



Brian Armijo

Profile age: 9 grade: 4 years attended CVCS: 5
Favorites food: Jemez Enchiladas book: *The Bible* color: pink
Movie: none listed TV show: none listed Ice cream: Rocky road
Sport: football Sports team: Pittsburgh Steelers Born: in Albuquerque
Favorite fried food: Fried rice

If you were stuck on an island with a hammer, a parrot, and the world's largest ball of twine, what would you do? I would smack the parrot with my hammer and eat it.
I would use the twine to make a fishing line.

Brian has an older sister, Alena-17, an older brother, Joshua-11, and a younger sister, Anissa-8. Brian has a dog named Rico. In his free time, Brian likes to play video games, play with his dog, and sleep and relax. Brian has been to Carlsbad Caverns and he thought it was really cool! When Brian grows up, he wants to be a police officer. Congratulations, Brian, you are a superstar!

School Hours for

2014-2015:

8:00 – 2:40

Please help your child be on time to school! It is disruptive to the classroom when students enter late.

We need your help!

The National Dance Institute (NDI) rehearsals have begun! Show time is Friday, Dec. 12 at 7pm. Volunteers are needed to supervise children backstage Dec. 9-12. This is a four day, 8:30-2:00 commitment, but the rewards are huge—excited, happy children! Please contact Mrs. Burleigh at kburleigh@cottonwoodvalley.org if you can help. Thank you!!

Holiday Shopping Helps CVCS!

It is almost time to start shopping for the holidays, so please think about using the Internet Marketplace on the webpage! There are many stores, including Amazon that will pay CVCS for your shopping—the easiest fundraiser ever! All you need to do is start at the cottonwoodvalley.org webpage, click on “how to help”, choose your store, and start shopping! CVCS receives a quarterly check from Marketplace shopping. Thank you!!

A Lunch Note From Jill

Thank you to everyone who came for Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday—I know it was a bit of a hassle. I appreciate your patience. CVCS is fortunate to get hot lunches delivered from the district, but sometimes it can be tricky making sure everyone who ordered a lunch gets a lunch, because when the food runs out, there is no more. We ALWAYS welcome parents and grandparents to eat lunch with the students. If you would like to eat lunch with a student, please call me before 8:30 in the morning to order a lunch. The lunch menu is in the newsletter and posted on our website. An adult lunch costs \$3.50 We would love to see you at lunch time, so please call me at 838-2026 to order a meal!