

Focus...

December 11, 2020

A Family-Friendly Weekly Update

To provide additional communication for families, this short newsletter will be available each week.

Notes:

Beginning Friday, December 11, all Springdale Jr-Sr High School winter athletics have been suspended through January 3, 2021. No practices or games will be held. Additional updates will be provided as information changes.

Parents are reminded that the Meal Service for students follows the District calendar and operates while school is in session. No meals will be offered during the Holiday Break, December 23-January 3. Meal Service will continue on Monday, January 4. For additional information, please email <u>meals@avsd.k12.pa.us</u> or call 724-274-2118.

The Board of School Directors held their Reorganization Meeting on December 8. At that meeting, Larry Pollick was re-elected as Board President, with Kathleen Haas re-elected as Vice President. A schedule of meeting dates for 2021 was also discussed and approved. The dates will be posted on the District web site as soon as it is ready for distribution.

Focus On: Grade 4



Fourth grade students in Mrs. Newell's class learned about landforms – a feature on the Earth's surface that is part of the terrain. These features can be mountains, deserts, islands, etc. Once students had studied the topic, they were each provided with a clay ball and paint set that parents picked up from the school. Students then had to choose one landform they liked and create that landform with the materials provided. Students made volcanos, mountains, and deserts... absolutely fantastic work!



Allegheny Valley School District Together We Can

For Your Information:

- The District's Health Department reminds parents to contact their child's building nurse in the event that he/she becomes ill. Even with students on remote learning, the nursing staff continues to concentrate on Covid-19. In an effort to remain current, the nurses will assess this information.

Good Things:

- Springdale Jr-Sr High School students will participate in the Williams Hometown High-Q on KDKA (CBS) on Saturday, December 12th at 11:00 a.m..

- SHS's The Future Is Mine club has joined with Riverview HS to collect stuffed stockings to deliver items to shelters during the holiday season. The stockings are filled with hygiene items, nonperishable snacks, and paperback books.

Dates To Remember:

Dec. 23 – Staff Development Day (no school for students)

Dec. 24-Jan. 3 – Holiday Break (classes resume on Monday, January 4)

Questions & comments should be emailed to: pgraczyk@avsd.k12.pa. us Allegheny Valley School District - Meal Service Meals Available While School Buildings Are Closed

The Allegheny Valley School District is providing meals to students in the District The District invites families to drive-thru and pick up meals for their children (no registration necessary) *Pick-up days based on School Calendar Student Days

Who:	Allegheny Valley Students (Pre-K thru Grade 12)
What:	Meals During District Building Closure / Virtual Learning
When:	Monday thru Friday
Times:	10:30am till Noon
Price:	Free - No Charge
Where:	Springdale JR/SR High School or Acme Elementary
	School: Colfax Street parking lot - follow the orange cones to D-Wing double door entrance : Proceed to back parking lot turnaround area - rear Cafeteria door

Contact the District with questions or concerns at:

Email: meals@avsd.k12.pa.us

Phone: 724-274-2118