

JANUARY 23, 2026

GIRLS BASKETBALL INFORMATION - Please check the “Athletics” page of the school website for schedules and all information.

FLATHEAD VALLEY SNACK PROGRAM - West Valley is grateful to partner with the Flathead Valley Snack Program, a local nonprofit that provides healthy snacks each month to students across schools in our county based on need. The program is operated independently from the Flathead Food Bank and is run entirely by volunteer board members who are dedicated to supporting children in our community.

Thanks to this program, students at West Valley have access to snacks that help them stay focused, energized, and ready to learn. With rising costs and growing needs, the Flathead Valley Snack Program welcomes donations of any kind. If you are able to give, monetary donations can be made as a one-time or recurring gift by clicking the link or scanning the QR code included in this newsletter. Your support makes a meaningful difference for local students. https://givebutter.com/z0JUC8

HAT DAY - We will have a Hat Day next Friday (Jan. 30th). Bring $1 to wear a hat at school. Proceeds will go to supporting the Nate Chute Foundation. NCF provides education and support to students, teachers, families around the topics of suicide awareness & prevention.

AFTER SCHOOL - All adults are asked to not be on the playground/bus area behind the school after school is out. Please come to the front of the school only and wait until the buses have left to be on the playground.

VISITORS - Visitors need to sign in at the front desk before entering school and we ask that parents drop off students at the front of the school instead of walking them into classes or to the playground.

OFFICE PROCEDURES - If you need to take your student out of school early, please let the office know at least an hour before they need to leave. And if you need to get a message to your student about after school plans please call before 2:30. The Office number is 755-7239, email bells@westvalleyschool.com

SUBSTITUTES NEEDED - If you are interested in subbing at West Valley, please contact the Flathead Co. Supt. of Schools to make an appointment to get fingerprinted, 758-5720. Once we receive your results (this usually takes 2 weeks), then we will get you all set up to Sub! No prior experience is required and subs earn $100 per day. And for every 5 days you sub per pay period (monthly), you receive a $100 bonus.

WEST VALLEY GEAR - You can purchase West Valley clothing using the following link! 10% of sales come right back to West Valley.
https://shop.game-one.com/montana/kalispell/west-valley-school

You can also purchase West Valley Warrior Athletics clothing, water bottles, backpacks, stadium seats, and other gear at the following link. 10% of these sales support the West Valley Athletics Department. https://teamlocker.squadlocker.com/#/lockers/warrior-wear



KNOW YOUR RIGHTS: The McKinney-Vento Act: IS YOUR FAMILY TEMPORARILY STAYING IN:

- someone else's house or apartment due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason?
- a hotel or motel?
- a shelter?
- a car, park, campground, abandoned building, or other inadequate space?

Your local school district's homeless liaison may be able to help!
Please reach out to the homeless liaison to see if your child may be eligible.
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