

Calvert Chronicle

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Dates to Remember

- 10/1-11/23 PTO Fundraiser – Mixed Bag Designs
- 10/17 Greenville PTO Gathering – Fire Station Tour
- 10/18 End of the First Quarter
- 10/28 Face to Face with your teacher – Mauldin Library
- 10/28 Fall Picnic in the Park – Conestee Pk – Mauldin
- 10/7 Greenville PTO Gathering – All about ambulances

YOU'RE INVITED!

Come join us for some Face-to-Face time with your teacher! Catch up on assignments, ask questions, and get some extra help! We'd love to see you there! Be sure to join us that afternoon for our picnic in the park!

Friday, Oct. 28 from 9:30-11:30 AM
Mauldin Public Library
800 W. Butler Road in Greenville

Be sure to sign up!

Here's the Link to sign up for the Face to Face Session at Library:

<https://goo.gl/forms/ZvrpnzhPZ55juz663>

Join SCCAL for a Picnic!

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Fall Picnic in the Park
Friday, Oct. 28th from 12 - 1:30 pm

Conestee Park
840 Mauldin Road in Greenville

Bring your own lunch and drink, and we'll have kickball, games, and FUN! Sign up below!

Link to sign up for Picnic:

<https://goo.gl/forms/08d8EEBihLC2IF33>

Fall is in the air and there are so many exciting things happening at South Carolina Calvert Academy!

The PTO is having a fundraiser with Mixed Bag Designs from October 1st through November 23rd.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CATALOG ORDERS (These orders get turned into the Chair)

- Add your contact info to your form. Our fundraiser ID is: **608857**
- Collect money with the orders. **Collect 6% tax**
- Make checks payable to: **SC Calvert Academy**
- Turn in money with a copy of your order form no later than November 23rd to:
3700 Forest Drive Suite 406, Columbia, SC 29204
- Keep a copy of your orders to easily distribute your customer orders!
- **Questions? Contact: Wendy Siggins, wendjohn@aol.com**

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ONLINE ORDERS (These orders are placed online and ship direct)

Tell friends & family to support us online at

www.mixedbagdesigns.com/?fundraiserid=608857

Make sure our ID number **608857** is added at

checkout. Add the seller you are supporting too!

Online orders ship directly to the supporter (anywhere in the US) & shipping is free on orders \$75 & up!

If you order your child's yearbook during the month of October, you will receive 10% off. Our yearbooks are \$22.50 for a soft cover. You can pay extra to upgrade to hard cover. The yearbooks have students' pictures separated by grades and in middle school by home room. We also have pages for our meet and greets and clubs. For every yearbook sold, Treering will plant a tree. Right now we have 8 sold and so they will plant 8 trees. Each yearbook purchased has two personal pages that will only be in that yearbook. Extra personal pages can be bought as well if someone is buying one yearbook for multiple children or if they want the extra pages to fill up with pictures.

Capture Your Memories in this Year's
South Carolina Calvert Academy
 Yearbook!

10% OFF
 IF PURCHASED BY
 OCTOBER 31



Add Photos & Memories to Your 2 Free Custom Pages

- Add photos from your computer, Facebook & Flickr.
- Add memories & photos from throughout the year. Share them with your classmates to include in their personal pages.
- Send and receive Bling and signatures. A great way to share expressions of friendship!

To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook:
*Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

- 1 Go to www.TreeRing.com/validate
- 2 Enter our school's passcode:
1014074285194687

Regular Price: **\$22.50**



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CONTEST TIME!

Want to win a Visa gift card?

Just be the SCCAL student to collect the most
 Box Tops for our school up to our contest
 deadline! Your Box Tops must be sent in by Oct. 25th!

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Get Active in the PTO!

We need you! All parents can become members of SCCAL Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO). There are vacancies in various committees and leadership positions. If interested, please contact Denise Osteen at deniseosteen@gmail.com



You can order at
scholastic.com/readingclub

Contact your teacher for ordering
 instructions and deadline information!

Believe you can and you're half way there.
 -Theodore Roosevelt



Since we are a virtual school, we do not close down. However, we realize a number of our families are impacted by weather. We completely understand that when you are in harm's way, **classes cannot continue** as you are used to. Safety is our first priority for our students. If students are in a place where they can still access the internet to continue with school, we ask that you please do so. If they are unable to continue, we will work with them on lessons when they are safe and can focus on school. As time allows, please keep us posted on your family's individual situation and know that we are here to help!



Do you have a special message that you'd like included in the next edition of the Calvert Chronicle? Email your requests to DeniseOsteen@gmail.com for approval.

Our first PTO fundraiser is with Mixed Bag Designs.

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SHOP BY CATEGORY

SHOP ALL

bags and accessories
kitchen and home

SALE

TOTES

REUSABLE BAGS

LUNCH/INSULATED

TRAVEL

STORAGE

ACCESSORIES

KITCHEN

TOOLS/GADGETS

ENTERTAINING

HOME

CONTAINERS

HOLIDAYS

GIFT WRAP

GIFTS UNDER \$25

RECIPES

. GET SET. GO.
very metallic
*use storage bags for travel,
neties and small stuff*



You can visit us at: www.mixedbagdesigns.com/?fundraiserid=608857

The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you will go. -Dr. Seuss



**THIRD
GRADE
STUDENT
OF THE
MONTH**

Fantastic Fourth Grade

scientists put the scientific process to the test! Students chose 3 foods to place outside to test which one most attracted ants. They each wrote their hypothesis and carried out the experiment by documenting which food had the most amount of ant attraction in 10 minutes and in 30 minutes. Students finished by writing their conclusion about what they observed. This fun learning project integrated math, reading, writing, and science! ;)

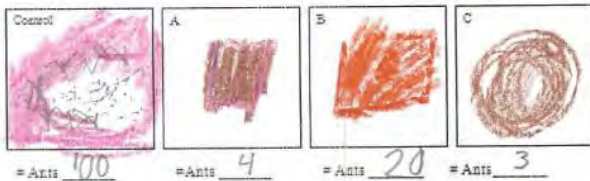
7. How do you know if your results are valid and reliable? The more often scientists REPEAT the exact same experiment the exact same way shows validity and reliability? WHY? *redo it twice and more ants liked the cheese!*

both times. when a scientist repeats the same experiment it helps them know that their result is reliable.

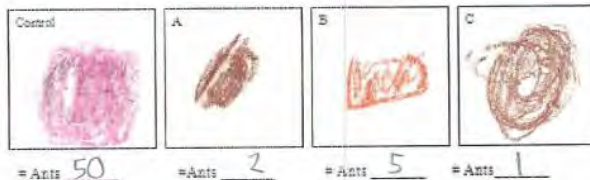
Ant Investigation Observation Sheet

Draw and write what you saw on each food area.

10 minutes after the food is put down



30 minutes after the food is put down



FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



ANNA

Labarron

I couldn't just have one this month! Congratulations to Basheda last month as well!

These students have exhibited quality work and participation on a consistent basis. They come to class on time. Their work is neat and they follow directions and submit work in a timely manner. They go over and above the expected and send pictures of their projects and complete extra credit opportunities. They have exhibited these positive qualities of a learner in all areas on a daily basis! Congrats to all!!

Nothing is impossible. The word itself says "I'm possible."

-Audrey Hepburn

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ATTENTION PARENTS:

We need YOU!

SCCAL Board Member Nominations - NOW OPEN

Click the link below to submit a nomination for yourself or another candidate! Our board is elected by the parents and staff of SCCAL and is comprised of members of the community and SCCAL parents. They decide the policies that guide the operations of SCCAL, make decisions on how best to spend the funds we receive from the state, and define the standards for performance of the school staff.

For more information:

<http://southcarolinacalvertacademy.com/board/board-election/>



Click [HERE](#) to sign up for the club of your choice.

SC Calvert Academy Clubs Sign-Up

Please take a look at all of the various club descriptions below THEN fill out the information below and select any club(s) you plan to join! Be sure to take note of when the club meets to check your own availability for selecting to participate in that club! Your club's teacher will e-mail you soon with more details about your first meeting!



Have you ever wanted to learn more about another culture or their language? If so, Culture Club would be perfect for you! Students will learn about diverse practices and their cultures. We will explore the music, the art, the food, and language of various countries around the world. Students in grades K-5 are welcome! Meetings will be held every 2nd Thursday of the month at 2:00 PM. My Name and My Food will be making more information soon!

Culture Club

The SC Calvert ARK (Acts of Random Kindness) Club



Be a random act of positive kindness - every day! We'll learn simple ways you can make a positive difference in the world around you. Discover fun ways to help others and how to be a good citizen. We'll also learn about the importance of kindness and how to be a good citizen. We'll also learn about the importance of kindness and how to be a good citizen. We'll also learn about the importance of kindness and how to be a good citizen.

ARK



Do you enjoy cooking? Do you wish to learn to cook? Do you want to know how to make food fun? If you answered yes to any of these questions, please join our cooking club! The Calvert Calvert's Cooks (Cooks) Club will meet twice a month on Wednesdays. During our meetings we will do fun projects, cook together, and enjoy our delicious creations. We will also learn about the importance of nutrition and healthy eating.

Cooking Club

SCCAL Student News Team



Do you enjoy writing or editing stories? Do you like to help others? Do you want to be a part of the school news team? If you answered yes to any of these questions, please join our Student News Team! We will write and edit stories for the school newspaper. We will also learn about the importance of journalism and how to be a good reporter.

News Team

VIRTUALLY ON THE RUN



If you love running or want to become a runner, then this is the club for you! Students will participate in a Computer to Go program with an online support system.

We will meet the 2nd Monday of each month, beginning Oct. 10. Mrs. Byers and Mrs. Youngblood will send more information soon!

Virtually on the Run

[CLUB LINK](#)

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

-Nelson Mandela



Ms. Velilla-Ryte and some of her 3rd Grade Students at the Picnic in the Park in Rock Hill on September 30, 2016.



PTO Gathering – October 17th – 1:30pm
Greenville Fire Station Tour
Fire Station #4 – 880 East Stone Avenue

In recognition of Fire Safety Month, join the PTO in touring one of Greenville's oldest Fire Stations! If interested, please email Denise Osteen at @DeniseOsteen@gmail.com. The fire station has requested a final head count prior to the event.

PICTURES FROM PICNIC IN THE
PARK – ROCK HILL



*There is no substitute for hard work.
-Thomas Edison*

SCCAL Administration and Staff

- Alexandria Gillcrese – Principal
- Key Henninger – Administrative Assistant
- Becky Hinson Smith – Kindergarten and 1st Grade
- Kimberly Byrd – 2nd Grade
- Mayra Velilla-Ryte – 3rd Grade
- Leslie Bussey – 4th Grade
- Rachel Rengering – 5th Grade
- Brooke Michael – Middle School Math
- Morgan Mobley – Middle School Science
- Nicole Byars – 6th & 7th Grade Social Studies and 6th Grade ELA
- Amanda Youngblood - 7th & 8th Grade ELA and 8th Grade Social Studies
- Carla Clardy – Special Education Teacher
- Samantha Sloan – Special Education Coordinator/Teacher
- Monica Addison – Reading Coach