



WARRIOR WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OCA Newsletter March 3, 2020

TREASURES

TREASURES STORE-WIDE SALE

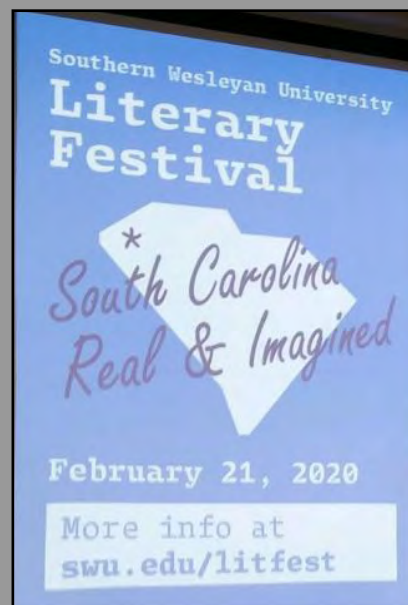
EVERYTHING
IN THE
STORE IS
50% OFF
(EXCLUDING
CONSIGNMENT ITEMS)
TUESDAY ✓
SATURDAY ✓
9AM ✓ 5PM

314 W.N. 1ST ST. SENECA



ACHIEVEMENT RECOGNITION

Congratulations to sophomore Ethan Holland who presented his short story "Worth" at the SWU Literary Festival last Friday. Reflecting the theme "South Carolina: Real and Imagined," the detective story is set in Seneca in the year 2045. Ethan's submission was the only high school entry chosen to join presentations from Clemson University, Charleston Southern, and Southern Wesleyan students.



Registration is now open for **NEW STUDENTS !!!**

If you know of a new family that would like to register their student at OCA for the 2020-2021 school year, please have them contact Mrs. Tonya Price at 864-882-6925 or tprice@oconeechristian.org.

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**Dr. Seuss Week
ELEMENTARY
March 2nd - 6th**

Monday - Dr. Seuss Character Day (dress like your favorite Dr. Seuss Character)

Tuesday - Top That Hat Tuesday (Wear a fun hat)

Wednesday - Wacky Wednesday (Let's see how wacky you can dress with your clothes and hair)

Thursday - Wear read and blue for Thing 1 and Thing 2

Friday - Let's relax with The Lorax (pajama day, bring your favorite stuffed animal and let's watch a movie!)

March

March 6 - Warrior Impact Training

March 13 - Early Dismissal (11:30 am)

March 13 - End of 3rd Qtr

March 19 - Winter Sports Awards Ceremony 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

March 20 - Report Cards

March 23 - Prospective Student Open House

2ND GRADE DIORAMA



Each 2nd grade student studied about a different Indian tribe, created a diorama depicting life on the reservation, and presented their project to the class. The dioramas are on display in the library through the end of March.

SPORTS SCHEDULE

OCA Baseball team beat Eagle Ridge 15 - 0 in their first game of the season. Way to go Warriors!



March 3 - BASEBALL
home vs. Laurens Academy
game time 4:30 pm- 5:30 pm

March 5 - BASEBALL
home vs. Eagle Ridge
game time 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

March 9 -GOLF
away vs. Grace (Mid Carolina)
3:30 pm (early dismiss @ 12:30)

March 10 - GIRLS SOCCER
home vs. Bob Jones
game time 4:00 pm

March 10 - BASEBALL
away vs. Spartanburg Christian
game time 5:00 pm

**Home Baseball
and Soccer games
are at OCA!**

VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to our volunteers for the month of February:

Sprucing up the inside of the OCA campus:

Jon Countess, Melissa Pittman, Cindy Frick, Charles Frick, Daniel Frick, Bertha Bradley, Sophie Bradley, Tonya Price, Chris Bateman, Pamela Edgar-Crain, and Amanda Whitworth

Treasures Thrift Store:

Angel Dickard, Brian Dickard, Will Dickard, Kris Johannes, Louise Alexander, Rachel McTaggart, Shane Clardy, Kelly Clardy, and Emma Clardy, and Amanda Whitworth

OCA Library: Charlene Price, and Helen Roach

If you would like to volunteer at Treasures THIS WEEK during their 50% off sale, please contact Susie or Brad ASAP at 864-888-0422.



SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Amy Clark



How many years have you attended OCA? 2 years

What things interest you? Sports - people coming together to form a team

What do you do in your free time? Disney Plus, Netflix, play with my dog

Do you plan on attending a college, university, or technical school? Yes, North Greenville University, Anderson University, or Southern Wesleyan University

What do you plan on getting your degree in and what do you plan to do with this degree? Kinesiology - become a doctor of Physical Therapy

Where do you see yourself in 10 years? Starting a family

What has been the best thing about being at OCA? The relationships among other students and teachers

What is your best advice for underclassmen? Take the least amount of classes your senior year. Embrace each and every opportunity you are given. Time flies by way too quickly. Don't let graduation come and have you left with any regrets as you leave high school.

"So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10

WARRIOR IMPACT TRAINING

Any homeschoolers grades 6-12 that would be interested in attending Warrior Impact Training on March 6th can call the OCA office. Topics discussed are listed below. Homeschool students will choose their sessions when they arrive. They will also need to bring a lunch. WIT takes place on campus during normal school hours. All OCA middle school and high school students will be participating.



WARRIOR IMPACT TRAINING FRIDAY, 6 MARCH

“BEING ROOTED & GROUNDED IN LOVE”

Choose 4 Sessions to Attend – Sign up in Homeroom

“Swedish Fish (It's not just candy)” Brock Bass

Did you know that the average American home has 4 Bibles? But, how many of these Bibles are actually being read and studied? We will look at methods for reading and studying the Bible to learn how to be rooted and grounded in God's Word.

“How We Got the Bible & Why It Matters”

Rachel Dietrich & Alice Perry

We will explore how we got the Bible we have today and how it has been preserved through the centuries. Understanding how we got the Bible prepares to share our faith and helps us have confidence in the Bible's credibility for their own life.

“Holiness: The Process God Uses To Make Us To Be Like Him” Adam Hopkins

Without holiness, no man shall see the Lord. The greatest thing you can show others is Him living in and working through you.

“The Lord Gives & the Lord Takes Away, Blessed Be the Name of the Lord”

John McKnight

The life of Job. He had to learn to trust God's character when he didn't see or feel God's love. Being rooted and grounded in God's love is so important. In the storms of life our faith will be tested. We had better have our roots in the right place.

“It's a Big Deal That You Are Not a Big Deal”

Emma Nicholson

We are the most connected we have ever been, but at the same time, the loneliest. There is a false sense of acceptance that we chase in the world. Thankfully, there is peace and belonging available to us found in the arms of Jesus Christ alone.

“Who You Are! Statements of Jesus to his Followers”

David Story

It takes a clear sense of identity to be rooted and grounded. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus describes the gospel identity and impact his followers have in beautiful/challenging ways. Let's discuss how Jesus' words shape our identity

“The Roots of Truth”

Abby Adair & Vanessa Valdez

We are told to be rooted and grounded in love, but what does that look like? We'll look at the meaning of love and truth displayed throughout Scripture. We'll go back to our roots to find how God used broken people to grow roots and further the Kingdom of Christ.

“Truthing in Love”

Greyson Williams

As Christians we are told to speak the truth in love. But sometimes we need to speak with words and at other times with our actions. We will discuss ways to speak the truth in love by what you do, not just what you say.