

WEST CENTRAL VALLEY
MIDDLE SCHOOL
MAY 2010
“CAT TRACKS”



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May-August 2010

- May 19th 5th Grade Orientation
- May 20th MS Spring Concert 7 PM
- May 23rd HS Graduation
- May 28th MS Nat. Jr. Honor Society Induction 2:30 PM
- May 25th Perry REC Center & May 26th Field Trips
- May 31st Memorial Day-No School
- June 4th Last School Day-12:30 Dism. Assembly of Excellence
- July 29th & Aug 3rd Registration
- August 25 1st Student Class Day

TAG NEWS—FREEDOM RALLY

Jacque Crouch

Talented and gifted students have been busy learning this quarter about The Civil Rights Movement. We watched documentaries and researched the time period. Daily activities found students understanding, analyzing, creating, and comparing/ contrasting information they had learned. Students did research on an activist that had made an impact in the movement. In our Freedom Rally, we shared our knowledge with the seventh grade class. TAG students dressed like their activist and told about their lives. Our culminating activity of the unit will be the field trip to the Science Center of Iowa which will include viewing the traveling exhibit “Race Are We So Different?” Hopefully this will prove to be an unforgettable experience.



From the Principal’s Desk

Anthony Lohse



Well, I cannot believe it. The year is almost done and what a year it has been. Between sports, music, the new Thespian group, yearbook, dances, PBS assembly days, snow days, daily academic successes, and all of the other opportunities here at WCV Middle School, it has been a blast. We have a few short weeks left with lots of learning and activities still to come. At this point, I want to take a moment to thank all of the students, parents, and staff for making my first year here so wonderful. The kids here have been awesome! I have seen a tremendous amount of growth in all three grades levels academically, emotionally, and behaviorally from the beginning of the year to now.

The 8th graders are almost ready to leave the middle school behind to enter a brand new high school but will hopefully remember their times in the middle school fondly. It is an exciting time for these kids, and I wish them all the best. We are already in the process of planning for a new group of 6th graders to enhance what we already do here to make next year even better. I would like to express my thanks as well to all of the parents/guardians that have supported your children’s efforts this year. The teachers and I have appreciated all of the support and effort you put in at home to help your children achieve success. It makes our jobs easier when we have the support that you provide at home. One last thanks goes to the staff of WCV. What a caring and compassionate group of individuals. This is a great district, and I am proud to be a Wildcat! I hope everyone enjoys the summer months and gets a chance to relax and enjoy their family time. Thanks again for a great year!

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