



ELEMENTARY VALIANT NEWS

HOMECOMING WEEK DAY 1: *Alliteration Day*



Sunday HOCO Mass



Extreme Volleyball and Birdbox



3rd Grade Popstars!



Alas, it's the week we've all been waiting for, **HOMECOMING WEEK!** start off this incredible week, a homecoming Mass was held on Sunday, involving the entire school. On Monday, coordinated by the ASB and faculty, the students *really* kicked things off by dressing up according to their themes (*stated below*)! The themes were all based on the well-known Lollapalooza, or, as we like to say it, the **VALIANTPALOOZA!** Students were assigned a music genre to follow, including one of these four:

- **HIP HOP** - Preschool, 4th, 8th, 12th
- **POP** - 3rd, 7th, 11th
- **ALTERNATIVE ROCK** - 2nd, 6th, 10th
- **DISCO** - Kinder, 1st, 5th, 9th

Students were surely excited to come to school in a rockin' tee or with a backwards cap on, and they were also ready for a week of dance-offs and **FUN-TASTIC** school spirit, starting with the activities **EXTREME VOLLEYBALL** for the high school and **BIRDBOX**, where students ran away from blindfolded seekers. The catch? They had **RUBBER CHICKENS on their FEET!!** This week started off with a bang, and there's only more to come!

HOMECOMING WEEK DAYS 2 & 3

KidzBop V.S. Grandpop
Stagecoach V.S. Reggae Fest

experience many guest speakers, such as **PAUL KIM**, who spoke about **"BEING A LIGHT!"** What a fun second day of homecoming!

To commemorate our **FANTABULOUS** second day of homecoming, students dressed up as either senior citizens or babies! Many came holding canes and with their hair dyed gray, also dressed up in long flower-adorned dresses, while others came with pacifiers, onesies, and colorful tutus! In the meantime, the **MARVELOUS MIDDLE SCHOOL** spent their time at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, and they got to

To continue this **FANTASTIC** Homecoming week, on Wednesday, students were assigned to wear either a peaceful Hawaiian-themed lei or a *rootin' tootin'* hat from the Wild West! They had to complete an obstacle course representing their group, which included activities like eating a **FRUIT ROLLUP** with no hands, a **PING PONG BALL TOSS**, and a **MUMMY WRAP!** After the obstacle course, the awaited **LIP SYNC BATTLE** proceeded, with the Saint Genevieve high schoolers blew up the speakers, blasting Rihanna, Flo Rida, and more artists! What a great way to celebrate day three of **HOMECOMING WEEK!**





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HOMECOMING WEEK DAY 4: *Night at the Opera*

BRAVO! To keep the **VALIANT SPIRIT** up our annual **DANCING WITH THE VALIANTS** was held! As Thursday was the penultimate day before our big Homecoming game, the Valiants didn't get lazy about showing their exuberant spirit! The attire for this day was **NIGHT AT THE OPERA!** Many **SPECTACULAR** performances were broadcasted outside for parents to see dressed in sparkly gowns, snazzy suits, and fancy jackets! However, you can't enjoy the opera on an empty stomach! Before the big event, students, parents, and faculty got to hang out and enjoy a picnic with their friends and with one another!



After the picnic, it was time for Dancing with the Valiants! Students were seated in the gym as the parents watched on a big screen outside! To start off the performances, 2nd grade performed to **ALL STAR**, rocking out for their group, the **ROCKSTARS!** What an amazing performance! Other performances included 4th grade rapping along to **NSYNC**, Kinder shimmying down to **CELEBRATE GOOD TIMES**, 7th grade popping off to **SHAKE IT OFF, ROCK YOUR BODY**, and **CRAZY IN LOVE**, and so much more! To end the night off, the **HIP HOP** group won Dancing with the Valiants, totaling their score to **119/120 POINTS!** Great job out there Valiants, and happy penultimate day of homecoming week!

FRIDAY: HOMECOMING GAME

Alas, it's the day that Saint Genevieve has been waiting for... **THE HOMECOMING GAME!** After an exciting week of music, dancing, onesies, and bedazzled outfits, it's finally the main event of the entire week: The Homecoming Game! Students marched proudly in the parade, all the way from St. Jane Francis to the Valiants' home field at Los Angeles Valley College! With the Varsity Drumline playing, the Student Council holding banners, and the football players in the back of a float, the parade took a turn as the football game began, our players **0-21** in the first quarter. However, as Valiants, we kept our spirits high, and by the next two quarters of the game, the Saint Genevieve was **8-21**, giving hope to the students, faculty, and families who had attended the exciting game. As time went on, and the band continued to play louder and louder, there were performances by our **CHEER TEAMS** and **DANCE TEAM!** To keep the stands on their toes, the time was also taken to announce the High School **HOMECOMING KING AND QUEEN!** The candidates each represented what it meant to be a Disciple of God, and acted as a good example to all, especially our little Valiants! Finally, as

the game was coming closer to an end, the football players pulled through like true athletes, getting up to 21 points and receiving a successful extra point and bringing the Valiants **22-21!** With the final quarter brought a continuous effort from our football team, all the way up until the very last seconds, where the players held their opponents at 21 and won the game. Congratulation to the football team, and may their **HUSTLE** be an example of how our younger Valiant athletes should act, with **PERSEVERANCE** and a **CAN-DO ATTITUDE!**

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