



# What's New

## LODI ACADEMY

2/04/2022

We have awesome students at Lodi Academy! This newsletter highlights some of the activities from this last week. Highlights from the first week of February include Senior Night for our basketball teams on Thursday night. It was fun to see our Seniors recognized for their contributions to our basketball teams and to cheer our girls and guys teams on.

Last Sabbath, January 29, the Band and Lodian Singers did an amazing job providing music for the Lodi Fairmont SDA Church service! We are looking forward to next week, there are some really exciting things happening at Lodi Academy.

- **Monday, February 7**, the entire school is going to the mountains for skiing/snowboarding or sledding/tubing. We will be going to Bear Valley. Students need to be at Lodi Academy by 6:30 AM to load the buses. We will be on the road by 7:00 AM. Students who are sledding and tubing will return to campus by 3:15 PM. Students who are skiing and snowboarding will return to campus by 6:30 PM.
- **Tuesday, February 8**, will be our school picture day in the morning. Come to school ready to grace the pages of our yearbook for many years to come! Please wear solid colors since they will look best. Parents can order pictures through Bill Smith photography. Look for an email from Bill Smith photography for how to order pictures or use the information on the next page to log into their Lodi Academy photo portal!
- **Wednesday, February 9**, is Academy Day! We will have regular classes in the morning. Lunch will be provided for all students. In the afternoon we will have the 8th grade class from LSDAE and other potential students for next school year visiting for some fun activities. If you know of anyone that would benefit from being a student at Lodi Academy, this is a great opportunity to introduce them to our school. We will be finished by the end of the school day.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### FEBRUARY

7- SKI DAY 

8- PICTURE DAY 

8- Basketball @ Langston Hughes  
5 pm girls, 6:30 pm boys

8- Joint Board Meeting 6:00 pm

8- Cinnamon Roll ORDERS DU   
( call the front office to order)

9- ACADEMY DAY/OPEN HOUSE

10- Mr. Surridge's 10th grade field trip  
to the Chinese town of Locke, CA


12- Campus Church 

14- SA Valentine Event

14- Junior Class Babysitting Fundraiser  
5-10:00 pm (see attached flyer)

14-18 Student Lead Week Of Prayer

21- President's Day- NO SCHOOL

24- Mr. Surridge's 12th grade field trip  
to Sacramento Theater Co. 

25- Community Service Day

26- Musical Performance for church at  
English Oaks SDA Church- 10:45-noon

26- Sacred Musical Performance @  
English Oaks SDA Church -5:00-6:30pm

28- March 4- Freshmen/Sophomore  
Science trip to Albion

## CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHT

### Mrs. Silber's Life Skills Class Makes Guacamole



## PICTURE DAY- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

### ORDER ONLINE



Picture day is on Tuesday morning, February 8 and we are excited to be partnering with Bill Smith Photography this year.

You can use this QR code to order online, order forms are also available in the office, or you can use this link- <https://vando.imagequix.com/g1000911398#login>

Seniors will be having their pictures taken the same day for our yearbook. Aaron Hall has offered to take special senior pictures for our Class of 2022! More information will be going to senior parents on that.

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EVERY MOMENT IS  
A  
FRESH BEGINNING”

- T.S. ELLIOT

# Alive in the Book of Daniel: A Devotional

By Railey Pandjaitan

Studying the book of Daniel has been very interesting and even confusing at the same time, but I've received many lessons from Daniel's life.

We learned about the visions God gave Daniel. God would show His servant statues, terrifying beasts, and horns to represent all the kingdoms, built out of human greed, in order. Now all of this confused Daniel and it definitely confused me too. But near the end of the book, God tells Daniel to not tell anybody about the visions he saw for those visions were not for his time or his generation. When I read that, I finally understood why God gave Daniel those visions. God wanted to let all of us know that He is in full control.

Sometimes, I get anxious of the future because nobody knows what the future has in store for us. But God knows. God knows every single thing. So I believe that God revealed those visions to Daniel because He wanted His children to know that we can trust Him for He has everything, including our lives, in His hands.

When Daniel was just a young teen, his faith was challenged. Daniel's life in Babylon was very difficult for him and his friends. Daniel and his friends could've just given up their faith in God and joined their fellow friends who were enjoying the amoral Babylonian culture, but instead, they kept their faith in God. They could've eaten the foods of the Babylonian gods, but they chose to eat the foods that God and their parents instructed them to eat. Daniel and his friends have taught me to always stay faithful especially when you're going through difficult times.

Daniel 8:24 says, "King Nebuchadnezzar was astonished and rose up in haste. He declared to his counselors, "Did we not cast three men bound into the fire?" They answered and said to the king, "True, O king." He answered and said, "But I see four men unbound, walking in the midst of the fire, and they are not hurt; and the appearance of the fourth is like a son of the gods."

Daniel's friends could've bowed down to the statue of Nebuchadnezzar and been spared from the fiery furnace, but they refused and their faith in God kept them **ALIVE**.



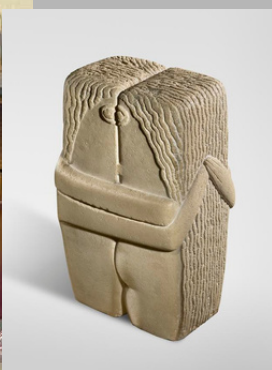


# Mr. Surridge's Classes



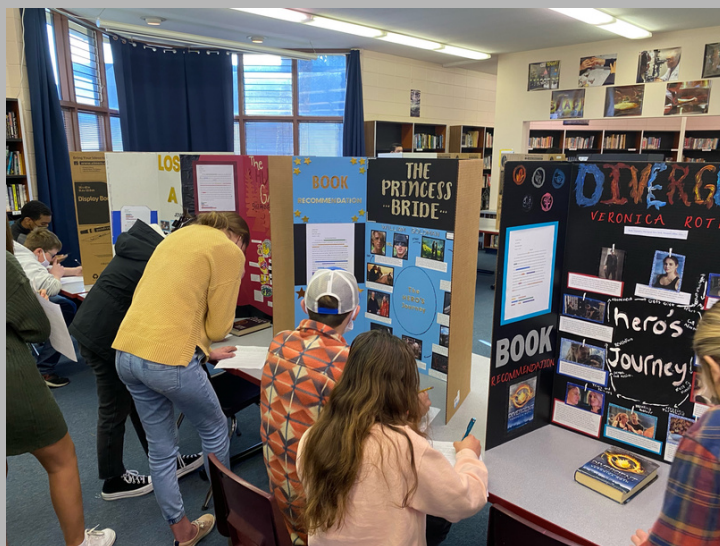
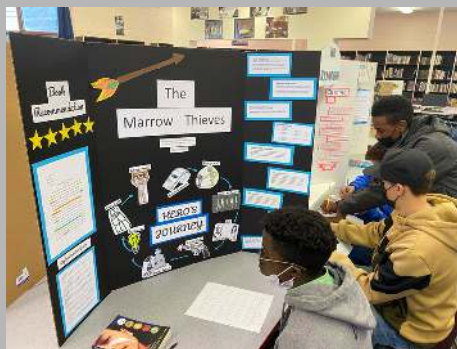
## AP Art History:

AP Art History students transform theory into practice as they learn about cubism and sculpture, molding a male and female conjoined pair from clay, based on Constantin Brancusi's "The Kiss".



## Freshmen English:

Ninth graders in English class show off their "Hero's Journey" poster boards from their outside reading selections. Students combined to read thousands of pages from new novels in our library, charting them onto the legendary template seen in countless adventure tales.





Senior Class  
2022



LOVE IS  
*Sweet*

FRESH BAKED  
CINNAMON ROLLS

PLACE ORDERS BY CALLING LODI ACADEMY  
@ (209) 368-2781 - ORDERS DUE BY FEB. 8!

SINGLE - \$3  
1/2 DOZEN - \$18  
DOZEN - \$36

*Pickup -12:00 Fri. Feb. 11 @ Lodi Academy*

# 8th graders

You are invited to  
Visitation Day  
Wednesday  
2.9.22



## LODI ACADEMY

Lodi Academy is a fully WASC accredited Christian High School offering positive education you can depend on for grades 9-12.

Come explore the opportunities available at Lodi Academy!

**WEDNESDAY 2.9.22**

12 - 3 PM

Lunch provided



Prospective students in grades 8-11 are invited to enjoy a fun-filled day that includes a guided campus tour, lunch, woodworking and science demonstrations, and classroom observation. Due to COVID-19 preventative measures, masks are required and the number of visiting guests will be limited.

We offer each student an individual high school experience filled with:

- ~ Music
- ~ Athletics
- ~ Rigorous Academics
- ~ Extracurricular Activities
- ~ Educational Trips
- ~ Spiritual Growth
- ~ Community Service
- ~ Character Development



Lodi Academy's Student Association is planning fun activities for your visit to our campus!  
We can't wait to meet you!

Join us by RSVP at 209-368-2781  
[www.LodiAcademy.net](http://www.LodiAcademy.net)

# MESSAGE DAY!

MONDAY FEBRUARY 14



MONDAY FEB 14TH



STUDENTS | PARENTS | RELATIVES  
| TEACHERS | OUTSIDE FRIENDS



HAVE YOUR ORDER FORMS IN  
BY TUESDAY FEB 1ST!



**JUNIOR CLASS FUNDRAISER**

# **VALENTINE'S GYM NIGHT**

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**COST: \$15 OR 2 FOR \$25**

**Parents! Enjoy a night out while your  
children hang out with the Juniors  
from Lodi Academy!**

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**MONDAY**      **5pm-10pm**  
**02.14.22**    **Lodi Academy**  
                         **Gym**