



Virginia Run Elementary PTA PARENT NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2026

IMPORTANT DATES

- 3/30 - 4/6** - Spring Break & Student Holiday
- 4/10** - Student Holiday
- 4/10** - VRES VS Cub Run : Volleyball Game
6-9 PM Westfield High School Gym
- 4/24** - Viking Dash
- 4/29** - 1:00 Early Release
- 5/4-8** - Teacher Appreciation Week!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE *-President Matt Reklau -*

Dear Viking Families,

We truly need a Treasurer for the 2026-2027 PTA.

Without this role, our PTA cannot continue, so it is absolutely essential. No prior experience is necessary. We are more than happy to support and guide you every step of the way.

If you are interested, please reach out to us by email.
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PRESCHOOL COMMUNITY PEERS – NOW RECRUITING!

Virginia Run Elementary is looking for preschool-aged children to join our AM Preschool class as Community Peers for the 2026-2027 school year! This program provides a wonderful opportunity for children to learn and play alongside peers of all abilities while supporting social, academic, and language development.

Eligibility:

- Must be 3-4 years old by September 30, 2026
- Fully potty trained with strong social/language skills
- Not receiving FCPS special education services
- Parents provide transportation and meals

For more information, please contact:

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VRES KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

VRES/CUB RUN VOLLEYBALL GAME FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 6-9 PM WESTFIELD HS GYM

FREE! Cheer on VRES staff and 6th graders vs. Cub Run—plus a special Viking Cheer performance! Go Vikings!

VIKING DASH IS BACK! FRIDAY, APRIL 24 AT 6 PM!

Join us for a fun-filled evening of running, walking, and community spirit.

Enjoy a 1.7-mile course, music, food, and a festive finish line celebration! ➔ [Registration Now - Click Here](#)

SPRING CLUBS!

We have coding, music, basketball, flag football, crochet, cursive, acting and cooking to highlight just a few of our exciting clubs! Click here to learn more and register: ➔ <https://tinyurl.com/VRESClubs>

VIRGINIA RUN SCIENCE QUEST REGISTER BY APRIL 30TH

Science Quest Exhibition is here! Students will explore a topic, conduct an experiment, and create a tri-fold display. Register by April 30. Projects will be displayed May 11-15 (with student videos on morning news).

Learn more and sign up here: ➔ <https://tinyurl.com/ScienceQuestForm2026>

 **TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK**  **MAY 4-8!**

We still need volunteers and would love your help! ➔ [Click here to sign up!](#)



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