



# Morning ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 14th, 2024

♥ happy ♥  
*Valentine's*  
♥ day ♥

B & B's Cultural Club Presents:  
"Little Known Black History Facts"

15-year-old Claudette Colvin did the same. At that time, Colvin was arrested for her refusal to move from her seat in the middle of the bus in Montgomery, Alabama. Because Colvin was pregnant and unmarried at the time, among other things, her story was not as widely shared. Today, many people still don't know about her courageous act of defiance. Though she was a young person, her decision to stay sitting still spoke volume. Valley Forge students we challenge you to think of ways you can speak volume through acts of kindness and overall unity in our school community. We honor Claudette Colvin not only because she did not stand to give up her seat but, she DID STAND ON BUSINESS!!

Attention Spanish Club, attention Spanish Club! Señor Reid says LO SIENTO, but due to a schedule conflict, Spanish Club will not be this Thursday after school. We will have a big ole' FIESTA next Wednesday after school in our usual room 207 to design our Spanish Club T-shirts and eat some tacos, burritos and taquitos. Spanish Club, next Wednesday, February 21st. Olay!

Over the weekend, the Valley Forge boys wrestling team did something that had not been accomplished by a Patriots wrestling team in 32 years - capture a conference championship.

At Saturday's Great Lakes Conference individual tournament, the Patriots battled Westlake all day, and heading into the final championship round, Valley Forge had a slim 11.5 team point lead over the Demons. A handful of wins in the final round gave the Patriots a lead they would not surrender.

Seniors Daveon Cook (150) and Bryson Zioli (157) gave the Patriots back-to-back champions with both wrestlers pinning their opponents in the finals.

Finishing in second place were sophomore Nate Hale (113), freshman Amir Abukhalil (175) and senior Elijah Wiggins (285).

Capturing third place were junior Anthony Wing (126), junior Adam Beaty (132) and senior Danny Grayson (215).

Finally, four wrestlers earned fourth place: senior Bobby Tupa (120), freshman Zamani Matsuo-Jamieson (144), junior Daniel Sanabria (165), and senior Chase Scheely (190).

The last time the wrestling team had won a conference or league championship was 1992. Congratulations Wrestlers!

When visiting the Student Service Office, you must now be sure to

SIGN IN. Whenever you are in the office whether it is for a counselor visit, a call slip, any reason, you must now make sure that you sign in.

Patriots Perks coffee is back! Iced Coffee, Hot Chocolate & Tea will be sold during all lunch periods on Friday. All drinks are \$2.00 Come purchase some delicious drink on Friday.

If you get a Patriot Buck, don't forget to turn it in to Student Services. You will place them in a bin according to grade! You can earn incentives or rewards so make sure to turn them in! You can earn them from being respectful, responsible and/or ready to learn!

Attention students you need to come to the clinic and speak to the nurse if they are ill. Students should not call their parents to pick them up when they are sick, this must be done through the clinic staff only. Thanks!  
Students must have a pass to go to the clinic.

Valley Forge Patriots are responsible, respectful, and ready to learn!

