



Chapman Elementary grade 4/5

Class Notes

Week of Dec.23-27, 2019

An Interview With Santa Claus

By: Alysha, Parker, Landyn, Miles

We interviewed Santa Clause and here are the questions we asked him. We had to call him on the phone, because he was busy getting ready for Christmas Day. Mr. Grieser got the phone number from a lady that is friends with Mrs. Clause.

1st question, "How long have you been delivering presents?"

He answered, "17 thousands years."

2nd question, " How many cookies have you eaten over the years?"

His response was, "Millions"

3nd question, " Are you the real Santa?"

His response was, " Well, I'm not the original Santa if I was I would be really old.

4th question, " Where do you park you sleigh?"

He told us, " I park it at the North Pole."

5th question, " Are there any fifth graders on the naughty list?"

His response, " I haven't found anyone yet. But there is a few more days till Christmas so there is always a chance."

6th question, "Who's your favorite reindeer and why?"

His response, "I like Dasher and Rudolph the most. But I do love them all."

7th question, "Why don't we get exactly what we want for Christmas?"

His response, "Well sometimes I have trouble getting the elves to make the right things. They might make something you need."

8th question, "Do you ever run out of wrapping paper?"

Santa said, "No we have tons of it."

9th question "What is your favorite kind of cookie?"

He replied, "I like all of them."

10th question "How many elves are there?"

Santa answered, "About sixteen thousand of them."

11th question "Why do you go down the chimney?"

Santa said, "Well, that's the easiest way to do it, because most people lock their doors."

12th question "What kind of beverage do you like with your cookies?"

Santa said, "Milk seems to be the best."

13th question "Do you wear the same suit all the time?"

He replied, "Well sometimes I wear one that's not so heavy and another one that is light for when it is warm out."

14th question "What do you do when your reindeer run out of gas?"

Santa said, "They don't run out of gas, they run on candy canes."

15th question "How long is your naughty and nice list?"

Santa's answer was, "Oh my gosh, it's a pretty big book but the nice list is bigger than the naughty list."

16th question "Why are you so jolly and big?"

Santa replied, "Because I like christmas."

Q: Why does Santa say ho, ho, ho?

A: because he has 3 gardens!! *(Kylie)*

Volleyball Coach Interview

By: Lucy Reynolds & Willow Hinsberger

Willow and I thought we should interview the Volleyball Coach (Vanessa Wilcox) If you ever wanted to ask these questions you now will So, we are going to tell you the questions and answers.

“How many years have you worked as coach?”

Vanessa said, “This will be my third year teaching volleyball at Chapman School.”

“Why did you decide to be a coach?”

Vanessa said, “Well, I thought it would be fun to work with a different group of students than the students in my class. So, coaching volleyball gives me a chance to work with middle school students whereas I’ve only worked with younger students in my classroom.”

”Who do you think this year made the most improvement over all?”

Vanessa said, “Well, it’s kind of hard for me to say but, I would bet that the eighth grade players have developed their skills a little bit more than someone that would be new to volleyball this year, but those sixth grade students will be working on their skills and will catch up to the eighth graders eventually.”

“Do you have any other jobs in the school?”

Vanessa said, “Yes. So, I have taught Pre-K and Second grade at Chapman School, and second and third.”

”What players are showing leadership skills?”

Vanessa said, “I haven’t met my team yet but, I’m excited to see, and typically in the past the eighth graders have been our leaders, helping the younger players with their skills, demonstrating sportsmanship, and other things we like to see out of players.”

”Does any of your family members work here?”

Vanessa said, "I am the only person from my family that works at Chapman School."

"How many games have you won in the past year?"

Vanessa said, "So, last year the team that Mrs. Stokes coached; they won the tournament. I'm not sure how many games that they won or lost, but really the only thing that matters is the tournament at the end of the year. Then the year before that, when I was the coach again, we also won the tournament. So we are hoping that we can win some games this year and also hopefully win the tournament at the end of the season."

"Do you get paid more, less, or the same amount as other staff members?"

Vanessa said, "So, as a coach I make a stipend which is what it's called when you get paid a little bit of money to do something extra other than your job and so I do make a little bit more money as a coach."

"Do you wish you had a different job in the school?"

Vanessa said, "I like teaching Second Grade I also think that it would be fun to teach other grades. Yeah, I like teaching volleyball."

"How many nets have you gone through?"

Vanessa said, "Personally I have not gone through any nets because, as a volleyball player if you touch the net then the referee blows the whistle and the other team gets a point. So, we work really hard to stay out from touching the net."

"How long has volleyball been going on at school?"

Vanessa said, "I don't know you might have to ask Mrs. Debbie."

So, Willow and I asked Mrs. Debbie, and she said it started ever since Chapman School was built, and that was our interview!

What do elves study in school?

The Alphabet. *(Willow)*

The Pet Corner By Autumn

I love dogs and I want to make it easier for other pet owners so here are some tips. Chiweenies, despite being small, are loyal. You want to repay that loyalty by taking good care of them. My dog gets very stressed, so we got her a stress jacket that hugs her. A stress jacket doesn't have to be bought at the store. You could find a used one somewhere as long as you wash it before you use it. I always let my dog Zenna sleep on my bed, or in her case, my pillows. You should pamper your dogs, but not too much because I did that and now Zenna will only eat certain types of food. Did you know that chiweenies were bred to be rodent killers? So keep your chiweenies away from rodents. My dog thinks that she's a lot bigger than she actually is, so if your small dog thinks that like Zenna does, keep them on a leash when in a place with bigger dogs.

Gamer's Corner By Gabriel

You need to download Roblox or Search www.Roblox.com, then start playing. Next, you sign in, and then you search on Roblox for "Flee the Facility". Then you start playing. There are maps you can pick. There is one beast in the game and the other players are survivors. If you are not the beast, you have to hack computers to escape the facility. How to do that? You have to make sure that all the computers are hacked. There are 5 computers in the game. The more players that are hacking one computer, means the faster computers get shut down. Once all the computers are hacked, you go to a door with a yellow door sign on top of it and go through it. You escape by going on the other side of the door. Here are some good tricks. Run around the beast when he is chasing you. A player can crawl through a tiny vent to get away. If you are a beast, you can't go near a tube with someone you trapped in it or else he won't freeze. There are no cheats, but you can free people from the tube by pressing E. If you are a beast, you can only rope one person at a time.

If you are the beast then you have to click the people to use your hammer. Click again to rope a player. The beast can put them in a blue tube with a blue tube sign above it. Also, as the beast, you can press Q to run fast. You can buy hammers and gems. Gems light up the place for you to see survivors.