

UPPER SCHOOL

FEBRUARY 2024



TOP NEWS

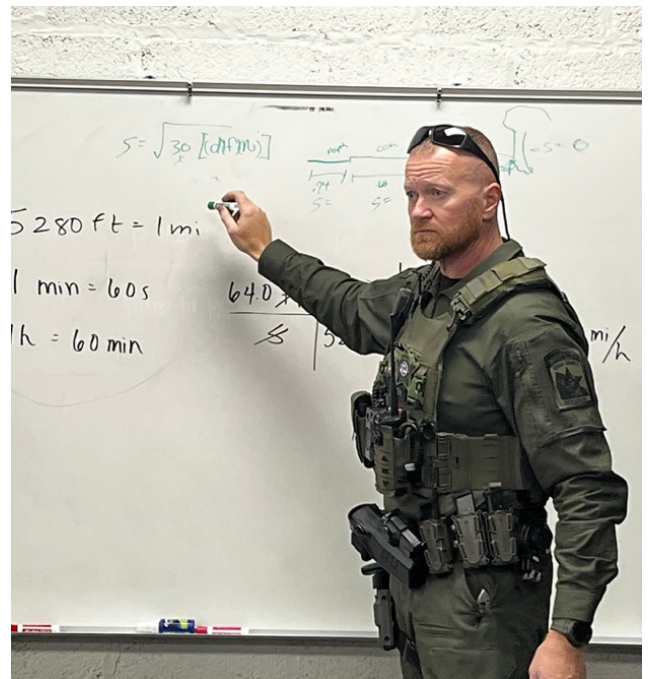
- **The next exhibition date is set!** Invite everyone you know to our next US exhibition on March 21, 6 - 8 p.m.
- **Upper School overnight trip!** All SA Upper School students will be included in a 3-day adventure to the Nantahala Outdoor Center near Bryson City, May 6 through 8. We will be camping, rafting, hiking, and ziplining through the Nantahala National Forest.
- **Catawba registration takes place in** the end of March. We'll begin planning 24-25 courses with students in late February.

PHYSICS INCREASES THE VELOCITY

Mrs. Fox's physics students put their calculations to the test when it came to their January velocity unit.

Students compared their measurements of the velocity of cars on Depot St. to measurements that Sgt. Smith from the Rowan County Sheriff's Department collected with a lidar and radar gun.

Then, Sgt. Smith explained the physics used in assessing collisions. He explained how, even after a collision, calculations can be made to determine the speed at which a car was traveling.



FEB 2024

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | | | 01 | 02 | 03 |
| 04 | 05 Art Class – First Handbell Experience @ St. John's 11-12 | 06 | 07 World Wide Read Aloud Day @ St. John's CDC 10-11 | 08 Some Jr Civitans hear speaker at Salisbury Civitan lunch meeting | 09 | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Campbell University Rep on campus 12-1 | 16 Staff Workday | 17 |
| 18 | 19 Presidents' Day Holiday | 20 Main Street Market Visit 1:00– 3:00 | 21 | 22 US Parent Connect @ US 4 pm | 23 All In Jr Civitan Summit | 24 |
| 25 | 26 To Catawba for Silver Screen Performance 12 – 1:30 | 27 11 am – 1 pm College Panel Includes pizza for US students | 28 | 29 | | |

COLLEGE COUNSELING CORNER

Students are gearing up to take the ACT and SAT in March and April.

SA students created a study plan, and are preparing for both exams. We encourage the use of our SA Khan Academy course to brush up on areas of weakness.

Find a toolbox of resources at <http://tinyurl.com/satestresources>

SA students continue to actively use Scoir (college counseling database).

