### message from the principal

jerry corson, b.s., m.a.t.

## "great kids"

This morning when I arrived at MVA, I noticed someone in a yellow vest sitting in a chair in front of the school. A few minutes later I had the time to head over and talk to the person.

He was counting cars. The city of Mountain View is looking at street crossing safety in front of Mountain View Academy and several other schools in the area. While in conversation our traffic recorder surprised me just a little. After only 30 minutes of observing in front of MVA, he complemented the school on our students. This gentleman has the opportunity to travel around the Bay Area and has been in the vicinity of many schools. Yet he could easily note the positive differences in our students.

We have good kids. You have good kids. Sometimes we forget that and become too critical. But someone looking from the outside in can easily see it. Thank you for your support of MVA as we educate your great kids!

## mva benefit golf tournament results

Thank you, Doug Sumaraga and team for a wonderful tournament October 27 at Silver Creek Valley Country Club: fifty golfers...over twenty volunteers...more than seventy participants before, during, and after the event.

We raised over \$25K for both MVA and the Philippines Mission Trip of Sunnyvale SDA Church.

1st Place Winners: Van Araujo, Joe Corcoran, Dave Dimmick, Ryan Speyer

2nd Place Winners: Ryan Fastenau, Robert Hicks, Aiyan Ofreneo, Seth Sumaraga

Long Drive Champion: Chuck Penaflorida

Most Accurate Drive: Reuben Dayao

Closest to the Pin: John Bylard, Bart Nyhan

"Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings" -- Hebrews 10:22

# fall festival a benefit for mva organizations

# saturday, november 15, 7:30-11:30 pm, mva gymnasium

It's a night of old fashioned fun and food for the entire community when MVA hosts the Fall Festival. Bring your family and friends to enjoy various ethnic foods, desserts and drinks.

Activities include game booths, karaoke, big screen video games and an auction. And this year the ever-popular maze returns.

Athletic Director Robert Hicks has produced these community events for many years. His reputation insures a quality evening of friendship, food and fun. The academy is located at 360 S. Shoreline in Mountain View.

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# mva alumni on the faculty

Three faculty members are also alumni who returned to teach. From left, **Robert Hicks**, '80 (Physical Education and Health), **Ana Martinez**, '03 (International students and art), **Marc Andres**, '87 (History).







## academy day

All eighth graders and other interested students are invited to attend Academy Day on January 22. Full information may downloaded at http://www.mtnviewacademy.org/#/admissions/academy-day.



- 6-9 marine biology trip, albion
- 11 sda college fair at MVA
- 14 junior vespers
- 15 band and royalaires @ mv hispanic
- 15 fall festival (see page 1)
- 15 sophomore lock-in
- 21 class thanksgiving celebrations
- 21 youth with a mission, san francisco
- 23 senior class pie fundraiser
- 26-30 thanksgiving break

### december

- 6 christmas concert, mva chapel
- 7 SAT
- 7 sa christmas banquet
- 8 city of mtn view tree lighting, royalaires
- 11 sa elections
- 2 sacred christmas concert
- 3 drama team at redwood city
- 14 ACT
- 16-18 first semester finals
  - 19 christmas party for castro school
  - 22 christmas break (through 1/2/15)

### Michelle Camba.

senior, portrays the joy of the Holy Spirit when we share our lives with her, and when we allow her to share her life with us.

The drama team is available to enhance local worship services.

### fitness at mva

Personal programs adapted to individual needs and interests are available here. Students can learn how to play the most popular sports or how to stay in shape--why not both?



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