



Basic Organizational Information

Mission Statement of Paradise Valley Christian School

Our mission is to educate students for eternity while equipping them spiritually, mentally, socially, and physically to gain and desire wisdom and understanding, and to become pure in character and strong in spirit while living on this earth.



Special Comment: Wisdom and Understanding were the two qualities that Solomon requested of the Lord. God commended him for his sense of priority. The two qualities are extolled as being better than silver and gold, more precious than rubies, a tree of life, grace, and safety. The book of Proverbs tells us, "Wisdom is the principle thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding (Proverbs 4:7)."

Philosophy of Paradise Valley Christian School

The primary philosophy of Paradise Valley Christian School is to provide opportunity for preschool through 12th grade students to study in a Christ-centered academic environment. Our philosophy statement is outlined in the following areas:

Spiritual Goals

- a. To seek and win to Christ those who are uncommitted.
- b. To educate students so that they successfully integrate Christian philosophy into all areas of their lives.



Intellectual Goals

- a. To provide an academic climate conducive to learning.
- b. To encourage the learning of necessary skills required for meaningful participation in society as an adult.
- c. To nurture competency in communication and research skills, in order to enhance students' abilities to make mature decisions.



Social Goals

- a. To provide children with opportunities for growth in the social skills required for adequate interaction in today's society.
- b. To supply students with an adequate understanding of, and an appreciation for, the privileges and responsibilities of living in a republic.



Cultural Goals

- a. To promote an appreciation for, and a creativity in, the arts.
- b. To encourage students to understand and appreciate cultural patterns different from their own.

Physical Goals

- a. To provide opportunity for the learning of physical skills necessary for sports participation.
- b. To provide opportunities for growth in physical performance skills.
- c. To nurture opportunities for wholesome recreation and group cooperation activities.

Character Goals

To develop and encourage strong character traits (honesty, loyalty, etc.) that are complimentary to Christian development.

P. V. Christian School's Purpose and Commitment

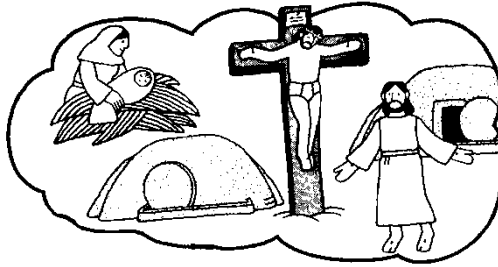
Paradise Valley Christian School is a private, non-profit school, organized and governed under the auspices of Paradise Valley Christian Church. **Our purpose** is to offer an educational program of academic excellence and at the same time provide our students with Bible training that will encourage Christian character.



**EDUCATING FOR
ETERNITY!**

Committed to the Following Goals

1. To provide quality instruction and an academic environment in every classroom with genuine Christian teachers providing firm but loving discipline.
2. To provide for the development of the whole student, using many types of activities to enrich, build, and strengthen each student.
3. To provide proper scriptural guidance for every student. To help all of them realize that they cannot have genuine lasting happiness and joy without learning to accept the authority of the Word of God in their everyday lives.
4. To provide adequate communication with every family with regard to all school programs and activities. It is our desire to assist our students and their families in such a way as to make the school experience a rewarding one for everyone involved.



P. V. Christian School – Doctrinal Statement

We believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. His birth was divine. His life reveals God’s will for us, and He is our example. He ascended to heaven, and we confidently expect his return at any time as He has promised (John 14:1-3).

The Church is His body and was divinely established. It is commissioned by Christ to go and tell “the good news” to the whole creation. Christ is the Head of the church. Division of the body is sinful and hinders evangelization.

Members are added to the kingdom by a plan revealed in the Bible. This is God’s way to become a Christian:

1. By Faith- Acts 16:30-31; Romans 10:20
2. By Forsaking Sin- Acts 2:38, 17:20
3. By Confession- Romans 10:9-10; Matthew 10:32
4. By Baptism (Immersion)- Acts 2:41, 8:35-39; Romans 6:3-6; Col. 2:12

The Communion is an act of worship. It is a meeting of believers to keep the blood of covenant until Christ’s return. It is observed every Lord’s Day, and it is a memorial of His death for our sins (Acts 20:7; I Corinthians 11:23-32).

The Bible is God’s Word and is our absolute authority. The New Testament is especially important for us, since it contains Christ’s teaching, the history of His church, and divine instructions for a happy Christian life. It assures us of the ultimate victory of Christ and His Church.

Christians are meant to grow in character and in strength. This is accomplished by:

1. A life of faith and service every day.
2. Faithfulness to the church.
3. Daily prayer and Bible reading which develop a Christ-like spirit.
4. Helping others believe in and accept the Lord.
5. Separation from the world.



**School Board Team
Meetings – 2nd Sunday
7:30 a.m.
PV Christian Church
188 Valley Drive**



School Board

(revised: 2-5-14)

Paradise Valley Christian Church and Paradise Valley Christian School are under the supervision of the elders of the congregation. The school has a separate team consisting of the church members elected to oversee the operation of the school. The following persons are serving on the school team:

Officers for 2013:

Ray Gronewold	Team Leader	234-6785
Mike Baures	Vice Team Leader	234-1767

Other Board Members:

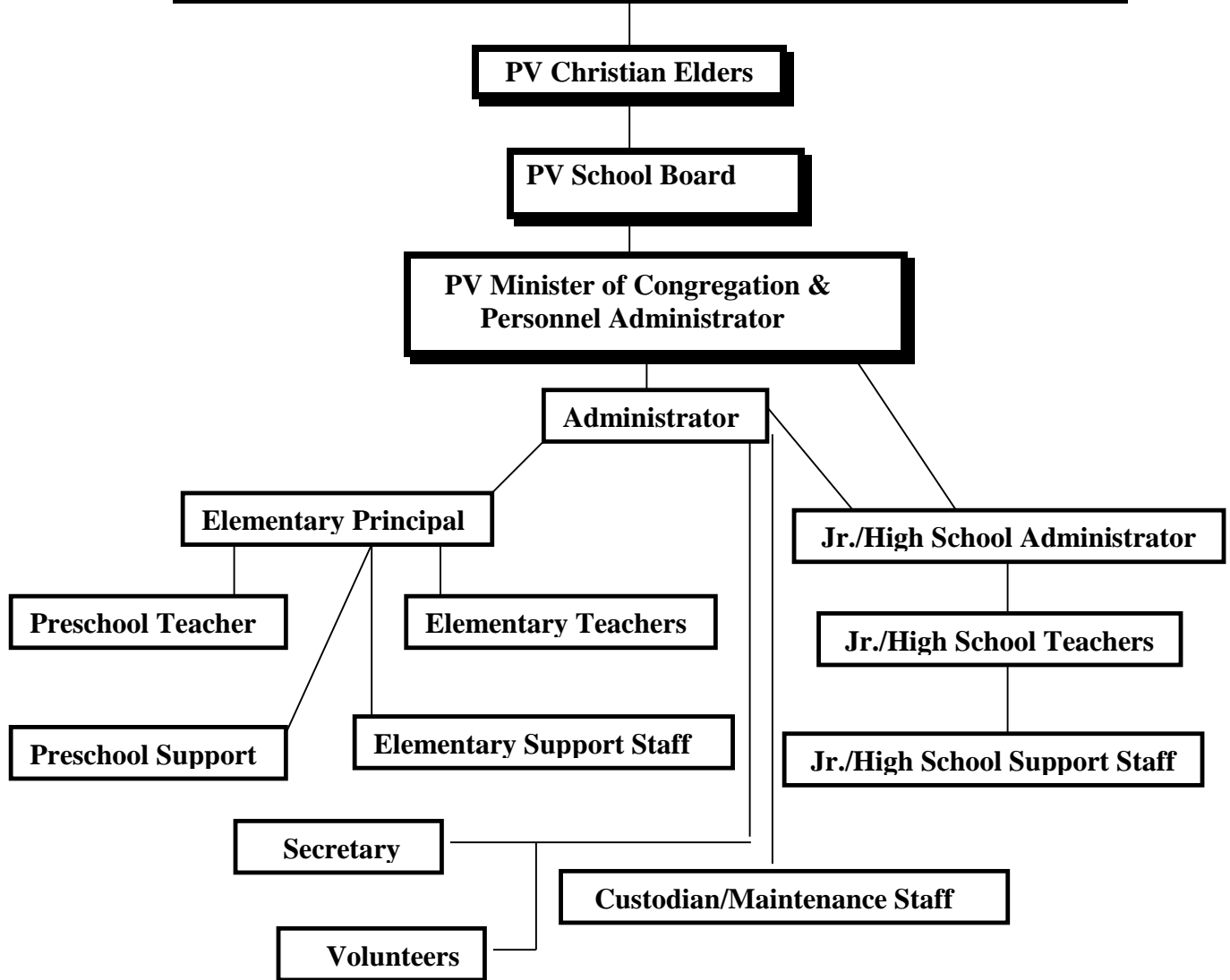
Al Allen	235-1930
Kitty Allen	235-1930
Diana Legerski	235-4856
Brian Wing	237-0727

Non-Voting Members

Larry Berlin	Minister of Congregation	
	Personnel Director	265-7428
Jeanne Boyd	Administrator	262-3147

The school team conducts its regular monthly business meeting on the second Sunday of each month at 7:30 a.m. at 188 Valley Drive (church). They meet in the upstairs classroom across from the nursery. If you wish to be on the agenda please contact Ray Gronewold by the 1st Thursday of each month.

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School Accreditation

Credits from Paradise Valley Christian are acceptable to all public schools. Bible credits are acceptable and are placed under the elective category. Public schools must accept the student on an individual placement basis. Paradise Valley Christian School is a member of ACSI (Association of Christian School International). Our school meets the qualifications for private Christian schools in the State of Wyoming.

**“Unless every faculty member communicates
God’s truth, we don’t have a
Christian School.”**

Teaching Staff

Teaching personnel of Paradise Valley Christian School either have formal teacher training from a Christian or State School of Higher Education or experience working with children or both. Our elementary and secondary teachers have completed a minimum of two-year degree A.A. or A.S. The majority has completed a four-year degree with certification plus hours over and above a Bachelor in Arts/Sciences. Preschool teachers meet the required standards set forth by the State of Wyoming.

Everyone serving the school must be committed to the Lordship of Christ and the divine inspiration and authority of HIS WORD- the- BIBLE, along with the below qualifications:

1. Must have genuine love for, and desire to work with children.
2. Must be able to sign a doctrinal statement and agree with the philosophy and general character of the school.
3. Must actively attend and fellowship in, and with, a Bible- believing church.
4. Must abstain from habits that are detrimental to good health and cleanliness.
5. Must have good mental health.
6. Full time teachers must live a lifestyle in accordance with the walk of a believer in Jesus Christ.

**Called
To
Teach**



**“A pupil is not above his teacher; but everyone,
after he has been fully trained, will be like his
teacher.”**

Luke 6:40