



**Health to you, honored citizens, brave Olympians
and pious ladies! Clasp hands together for this
epic marathon event...**

The End of Year Gathering

Join us in true Hellenistic spirit for five memorable days,
from **May 29 to June 2, 2024**,
at the agora of Veritas in
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

TUESDAY, MAY 28

Tuesday Night Early Registration

Participants attending Wednesday's Pennsylvania Day Trip are encouraged to pick up their registration packets at the Eden Resort & Suites inside the Presidential Ballroom. We look forward to welcoming you!

Date: Tuesday, May 28, 2024

Time: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort, 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Presidential Ballroom

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

Pennsylvania Day Trip

Brace yourselves as VSA embarks on a quest to discover one of the splendors of Pennsylvania! Enjoy a morning treat while traveling, join a guided tour, and then wander through the enchanting, renowned Longwood Gardens. Savor lunch beneath the leafy canopies, and culminate the day with a dinner at a grand, local Pennsylvania event barn, complemented by artisanal ice cream. Return in time for the evening revelries. Transportation from Lancaster is provided.

An exclusive experience. Space is limited.

Price: \$199.00

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2024

Time: 8:00 am - 7:30 pm (Eastern Time; includes travel time)

Location: Pennsylvania (Coach transportation provided from the Eden Resort)

Registration

On May 29th, venture to the Presidential Hall of the Eden Resort, where the Veritas attendants shall furnish you with the scrolls of enrollment for the five-day EOYG event. Concurrently, you may engage in philosophical discourse with other families and companions.

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2024

Time: 4:00 – 8:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)

Scholar Assembly

Gather in the forum, learned Scholars, and join in a quest for the truth about your peers! Meet your classmates and seek wisdom from your revered schoolmasters. Remember to bring forth your 2024 Legato Yearbook for a ceremonial signing event. Let not this occasion elude you!

Price: Gratis

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2024

Time: 7:30 - 9:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)

Moms' Hospitality Tea and Coffee

All illustrious VSA moms are bid to join in camaraderie and to engage in prudent conversation with our esteemed Academic Advisors and one another, while enjoying hot nectar and bounty of the field.

Space is limited.

Price: \$10.00

Date: Wednesday, May 29, 2024

Time: 8:15 - 9:15 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)

THURSDAY, MAY 30

Late Registration

Should you fail to register on Wednesday, May 29th, your telos, or goal, is to gather your registration materials at the Eden Resort Presidential Ballroom on Thursday. Attend the Opening Celebration, for it is a truly unique, significant, and enjoyable communal gathering.

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 7:00 am - 9:00 am (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Presidential Ballroom

Opening Celebration / Baccalaureate

Join us as the entire VSA community celebrates what the Lord has done in our students' lives with exercises in piety, temperance, and thanksgiving. Okay, jollity is also expected. *All are* invited to come.

Price: Gratis

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 8:00 am - 9:00 am (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Courtyard

Greek Hermaea (Field Day Games)

On Thursday, May 30th, gather for tests of strength, fortitude, bravery, and ingenuity at the field of Lancaster Bible College. Olympians will pass through the 'olympic' rings, build and race chariots, and relay togas and torches. Don your best laurel wreath and see who will win the gold. (Activities are modified as needed for respective age groups.)

Price: \$25.00

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 10:00 am - 12:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Lancaster Bible College, 901 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17602](#)

Transportation is on your own.

Outdoor Activities with Teachers

More to come in the spring, including sign-up for specific events.

Price: Events will be paid individually on the day of the event, if there is a cost.

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: Multiple locations throughout Lancaster, PA

Transportation is on your own.

Schoolmaster Gratitude Dinner (VSA teachers, advisors, and their spouses only)

Join together and share your recent quests in seeking and sharing knowledge, wisdom, justice, (and sometimes bravery!).

Price: Gratis

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: TBD

Student Awards Celebration

Our students labor diligently throughout the year to acquire the virtues, the keys to a scholar's happiness. Come celebrate their efforts and accomplishments and cheer on friends and family for all our Griffons have done!

Price: Gratis

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Courtyard

Open Mic/Talent Show

Citizens! Everyone who loves playing an instrument, reciting poetry, singing, or otherwise performing a tragic or comedic piece, come and share your interests and talents with fellow scholars and their families.

** We kindly require a (very brief) performance proposal from anyone interested in sharing one of their talents. Information will be posted in Schoology in April, so start practicing now!*

Price: Gratis

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2024

Time: 9:00 pm - 11:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Crystal Ballroom

FRIDAY, MAY 31

2024 VSA Graduation

Honoring all Seniors! All VSA families and friends are invited to witness our seniors' celebration of their intellectual passage through grammar, dialectic, and rhetoric-level disciplines. We are most eager to honor our 2024 graduates for their diligence and to commit them to Christ as they begin their next chapter in life.

For those guests attending only the Graduation Ceremony and Graduation Lunch events, no EOYG Registration Fee is required; however, Event Registration *is* required.

Space is limited.

Price: Gratis

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [LCBC Manheim Campus at 2392 Mount Joy Rd. Manheim, PA 17545](#)

Graduation Lunch

Congratulations, Graduates! Now that you are officially VSA alumni, you and your families are cordially invited to join Marlin and Laurie Detweiler, Dr. Bob Cannon, and esteemed Veritas teachers and advisors to feast in your honor. Continue our newly-dubbed tradition of alumni reminiscence and forthtelling. Please note: business casual dress.

Price: Adult \$50.00 / Child \$25.00

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024

Time: 12:30 pm - 3:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Courtyard

Family Entertainment Ideas

Some serious fun can be found around Lancaster. Why not try Laser Dome (who doesn't love a game of laser tag?), a hands-on experience in science and tech for younger children at the Science Factory, or jump higher than ever before at Sky Zone. Wherever you wander, you're sure to return with an epic tale.

Dutch Wonderland - Local theme park designed for families with young children in mind. With over 35 fun-filled rides and attractions, Duke's Lagoon water play area, Exploration Island, and live entertainment, Dutch Wonderland offers a host of fun things to see and do.

[2249 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster, PA 17602](#) - (717) 291-1888

Sky Zone - This place is insane! A Ninja Warrior course, Foam Zone, Skyclimb, Parkour Box, Freestyle Jump – two hours of this place will have you smiling from ear to ear.

[1701 Hempstead Rd #102, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - (717) 208-8922

Laser Dome - Come Play in Lancaster County's Most Exciting Laser Tag Arena! Strap on your vest, grab your phaser and have a blast battling it out with your friends in our giant alien spaceship laser tag arena!

[2050 Auction Road, Manheim, PA 17545](#) - (717) 492-0002

Science Factory - The Lancaster Science Factory is a hands-on, interactive science center for kids in Pre-K to 8th grade and their families. Highly interactive exhibits, workstations and mini-labs offer “open-ended” learning experiences with opportunities for visitors to experiment and create.

[454 New Holland Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17602](#) - (717) 509-6363

Go Bananas Family Fun Center - Loads of activities such as Ballocity, laser mazes, mini-bowling, ropes course, along with age-appropriate zones - even a toddler zone!

[1170 Garfield Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - (717) 287-5000

For more activities visit www.DiscoverLancaster.com.

Alumni Symposium

We are very honored to host an event just for our VSA alumni. Join Marlin and Laurie Detweiler, Dr. Bob Cannon, VSA teachers, and fellow alumni for sharing fond memories and networking among virtuous friends.

Price: Gratis

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024

Time: 4:45 pm - 5:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Spooky Nook at 75 Champ Blvd, Manheim, PA 17545](#)

Premium Family Reception

We've set aside a special time for our Premium students and their families to connect with one another and VSA leadership while enjoying refreshments and live music prior to our dinner together.

Price: Gratis

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Spooky Nook at 75 Champ Blvd, Manheim, PA 17545](#)

Greek Feast and Festival Dance

Friday evening, schoolmasters, scholars, and all members of the oikos, join together for a time of feasting on the fruits of the earth and harmonious travel across the dance floor. Being consistently one of the most memorable events at EOYG, you are bound to have a delightful time with all that we have planned for you.

Price: Adult \$68.00/Child \$34.00

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024

Time: 6:30 pm - 11:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Spooky Nook at 75 Champ Blvd, Manheim, PA 17545](#)

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

Diploma Family Breakfast

Diploma scholars and families, convene and partake in a robust morning meal. Relish the companionship of other oikoi and scholars.

Space is limited.

Price: Adult \$29.00/Child \$19.00

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 7:30 am - 9:00 am (Eastern Time)

Location: [Eden Resort 222 Eden Road, Lancaster, PA 17601](#) - Courtyard

Connecting Community Groups

This year, we want to introduce you to one another! Come meet members of your regional Community Group while playing some fun games and then mingling with one another to engage in socratic and laconic conversation in a beautiful setting.

Price: \$3.00

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 9:30 am - 11:30 am (Eastern Time)

Location: [Greenfield Park, Lancaster, PA](#)

Open House Shopping at Veritas Press

Shop the Veritas Press warehouse! You have dreamt of walking the aisles of books and curriculum. If you prefer, you can shop via the Veritas Press catalog, send your order to us in advance, and it shall be boxed and readied for your carriage. Or, stroll the aisles and gather your books of knowledge...

Price: Gratis

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 11:30 am - 1:30 pm (Eastern Time)

*****Additional shopping on Friday, May 30 from 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm***

Location: [Veritas Press Warehouse, 1805 Olde Homestead Lane, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)

Lunch at the Press

Following the Community Event and harvesting a few items from our warehouse, stay and dine at the Press. Dr. Bob is roasting hot dogs again on the grill!

Price: \$5.00

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Veritas Press, 1805 Olde Homestead Lane, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)

Paideia Scholarship Foundation Fundraiser

Our ambition is to see every student of Veritas Scholars Academy given the opportunity to study with any and all financial obstacles removed. The Paideia Scholarship Foundation exists to make this dream a reality. We invite you to join us in supporting the mission of Veritas through Paideia, and to learn of the wonderful work we have accomplished thus far.

Price: Gratis

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Detweiler Residence, 333 South 9th Street, Akron, PA 17502](#)

Backyard BBQ at the Detweiler's

Join us for one of EOYG's most attended events! Mix and mingle as the Detweiler's graciously open up their backyard for Veritas' annual backyard BBQ. Your caterer has served as head chef at the White House, and consequently has some great stories to tell (not to mention, his meal preparations are incredible). Come and feast with great food and games!

Price: Adult \$39.00/Child \$19.00

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Time: 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Detweiler Residence, 333 South 9th Street, Akron, PA 17502](#)

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

Sunday Worship

Veritas families are encouraged to attend Sunday morning worship at one of Lancaster's many churches. Suggestions and directions will be made available in your registration packets.

Date: Sunday, June 2, 2024

Time: 8:00 am – 11:30 am (Eastern Time)

Locations: Various

Until We Meet Again Picnic

As you prepare to take your leave, and to conclude this amazing week of fellowship, laughter, memories, and activities, we will gather at Long's Park, where lawn games and catered domestic meats will be enjoyed. Don't miss out on these wonderful last moments together to close out an amazing school year with lots of laughs, tears, hugs, and high-fives.

Price: \$14.00

Date: Sunday, June 2, 2024

Time: 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm (Eastern Time)

Location: [Long's Park, Pavilion #1, 1441 Harrisburg Ave, Lancaster, PA 17601](#)