



Reminders: School is closed on January 21st. On Wednesday, January 30th we will have free ice-cream in recognition of CSW. Please remember during CSW to bring in a non-perishable can of food for "Feeding Our Neighbors". Report cards will be available on line on February 4th or, if necessary distributed at Parent/Teacher Conferences. Please remember February 4th is a 12 o'clock dismissal due to Conferences..

Sacred Heart School - News Updates

Gospel Reading

In next Sunday's Gospel message (John 2: 1-11) Jesus performs his first sign at a wedding feast in Cana. At the wedding feast at Cana, Mary observed a human need and presented it to Jesus, confident that Jesus would respond. We follow Mary's example when we bring our needs and the needs of our world to God in prayer, confident that God will answer our prayers in extraordinary ways.

Success Stories:

Christmas Card Contest 3rd place winner from 6th grade Zoe Wright-Russell. Beautiful work! Congratulations!

Our new and continuing members of the National Junior Honor Society will be inducted on Monday, January 28th at 12:30 in the auditorium, parents are welcome. Congratulations to all of you – your hard work and dedication will lead you to many achievements in the future.

James Merlino, an eighth grade student received a full scholarship to St. Joseph by-the-Sea. Congratulations on such a wonderful achievement.

Congratulations to all our eighth graders as they begin to receive their acceptance letters from the Catholic High Schools. Thus far, students have made their first, second and some even their third choice schools. We are so very proud of you! We will continue to bring you updated information on the successes of our 8th grade students.

Classroom Happenings:

Eighth grade students are currently working on using Newton's Third Law of Motion to design vehicles that move without the use of gravity or a power source. Many are using simple household items as the force to propel their vehicle. Also, students just finished creating original poems detailing the differences between progressives Booker T. Washington and W.E.B. DuBois.

In honor of this Monday's holiday, seventh graders read and analyzed Martin Luther King, Jr.'s "I Have a Dream" speech. Students wrote and illustrated their own dreams for the world using literary devices they identified in King's speech.

Modeled after the "Ten Commandments", the sixth grade created "Ten Commandments" for a Good Friendship. Afterwards they used the process of tea staining to make the projects look old and authentic.

Science/STEM projects are happening in the wing! 5th graders started working on creating posters about safety action plans to be used during a severe storm such as blizzards or tornadoes. The 6th grade is presently working on simple machines. Each group is presenting a Google slide show, as well as, an example of their simple machine that they will build, for example, levers, pulleys, and inclined planes.

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Principal's News



Kindergarten and fourth grades buddied up to get to know each other before Catholic Schools Week. They interviewed each other and created a writing piece that has been displayed outside the fourth grade classroom on the second floor called "All About My Buddy".

PKFA students are studying transportation. The students have been driving cars to find letters and numbers on their roadmaps. PKA-1 built a space rocket featuring Buzz Aldrin and are creating a space station to explore the moon. They will be sampling astronaut food. PKA-2 have been taking their suitcases, stamping their passports and taking airplane trips around the world, complete with meal service. They have also been doing experiments with velocity and ramps. PKA-3 painted murals using the wheels of different vehicles. They have been buying food from their food truck and washing cars in their car wash.

Upcoming Events:

Catholic School week begins Sunday, January 27th with at mass at Holy Rosary Church at 2:00 PM. You are all invited to attend and please wear your uniform. Monday we will prepare for the week with a prayer service and a Religion Bee. The winning class will get a free dress down. The children will make their own "CSW" button to wear all week in recognition of their faith community and their Sacred Heart family. Tuesday is "Open House" for prospective parents, as well as, our current parents who'd like visit the classrooms and the special happenings within them. Grandparents' Day (Gr. PRE-K to 4 in auditorium) and Career Day (gr. 5 – 8 in the gym) is Wednesday, January 30th at 1 o'clock. School Spirit Thursday consists of Buddy Day and Color Wars. Dress in your grade color from head to toe. Buddy activities will be done in the morning and then it is "Color Wars" in the afternoon. Competitive activities/games and a winning buddy team is crowned. Please bring in a donation for Cystic Fibrosis as we dance the day away with DJ Fussyman on Friday at our annual Dance-a-Thon. Schedule will be distributed and parents are welcome.

Sunday, February 3rd is our "OPEN HOUSE" for any new families. Don't forget parents to "spread the good news" about our school. The newly implemented Parent Referral Program could earn you money toward your tuition.