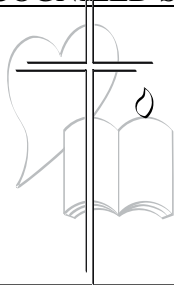


ST. GREGORY THE GREAT SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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CONGRATULATIONS to the St. Gregory the Great **SCIENCE OLYMPIAD** Team for their hard work being rewarded on Saturday, November 22nd. The following students participated in at least four events in the Olympiad tournament that was held at St. Ignatius High School.

Mia Mastroianni
Caroline Becker
Patrick Mohorcic
Kyle Cappotto

Bridget Karboski
Anna Senchak
Mitchell Clifford
Xavier Bonner

The **AWARDS** from the **ST. IGNATIUS HIGH SCHOOL INVITATIONAL** are as follows ...

BIOPROCESSES

2nd place Medal
Bridget Karboski
Xavier Bonner

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

3rd place Medal
Mia Mastroianni

EGG DROP

2nd place Medal
Xavier Bonner
Bridget Karboski

REPTILES & AMPHIBIANS

6th place Ribbon
Mia Mastroianni
Mitch Clifford

REACH for the STARS

2nd place Medal
Bridget Karboski
Kyle Cappotto

FOSSILS

3rd place Medal
Caroline Becker
Mitch Clifford
Anna Senchak

EGG DROP

3rd place Medal
Caroline Becker
Anna Senchak

METEOROLOGY

6th place Ribbon
Mitch Clifford
Patrick Mohorcic



NOTES FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT: Attention parents of students in grades two and four. The Christmas concert on Thursday, December 11th is quickly approaching. This is a required performance. Student attire for the concert will be solid red or green shirts, khaki pants, and gym shoes. If you have any questions, please contact your child's classroom teacher. Recordings to assist your child's learning of the songs may be found at: www.stgregoryonline.org, click on staff directory, click on Music, click on grade 2 or 4, click on the names of the songs. Thank you.
Mrs. Freas

PARENTS/ IMPORTANT: Our lunchtime recess monitors are a dedicated group of adults who serve in an important role here at St. Gregory's. They bring a wonderful variety of skills and talents to their work. They are vigilant, always mindful of the safety of the children in their care, and committed to making the lunchtime recess a positive experience for our students. A team of four monitors is scheduled each day to supervise the three outdoor play areas from 11:20 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. They stay in communication with the school clinic using two-way radios. If the weather does not allow us to have recess outside, they supervise the children in their classrooms. Each monitor receives a stipend of twelve dollars for that day's recess.

Mrs. Laura Campbell coordinates the assignments of this group. She acts as a liaison among the school office, the classroom teachers, and the lunch monitors. To Mrs. Campbell and our monitors: Thank you for making our lunchtime recess safe and enjoyable for our students. Thank you for your continuing commitment to this work.

We are in the process of adding new members to this group. Would you consider joining us? Call the school office at (216) 381-0363 for more information. You will be helping us to continue an essential program for our students.

“HOME OF THE JAGUARS” DECEMBER 1, 2008

TWINKLE SHOP -- Coming home today are Twinkle Shop money envelopes. Please talk to your children to determine who they should purchase gifts for and how much they should spend. We have a variety of wonderful gifts for everyone from mom and dad, grandma and grandpa, brothers and sisters and even pets! Please remember, the Twinkle Shop is not a fundraiser. We hope this St. Greg's tradition will help the children think of others during the Christmas season.

Also, we need volunteers to help make the Twinkle Shop a success! The Twinkle Shop will be held December 9th – 11th in the Church Hall. Please call Carol Sisson (216) 381-9317 or Jeanne Sfiligoj (216) 297-9660 if you are able to help. **THANK YOU!**

ATTENTION JUNIOR HIGH PARENTS:

A mandatory meeting regarding the school play will be held on Wednesday, December 3rd at 7:00PM in the church basement. Thank you!

PTC REMINDER: The Internet Safety Presentation is tonight at 7 P.M. in the cafeteria. Mr. Mark Levand will speak to us regarding computer and cell phone safety. If you were unable to turn the form in last week, you are still able to attend the presentation.

BOOSTER CLUB NEWS: For sale now in the school office are the “G” and the “Paw Print” magnets for your car. Each magnet costs \$5.00. Please make your checks payable to the St. Gregory Boosters Club. Please mark the envelope with your child’s name and room number. Thanks!



Breakfast with Santa

PRE-SCHOOL THROUGH GRADE 2 STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

Saturday, December 13th/Cafeteria doors open at 8:45AM

Continental Breakfast and Activities from 9AM-11AM/\$5.00 Per-person
(Children under 2 are free)

Please return your tear sheet by Friday, December 5st with your check payable to St. Greg's PTC. Any questions please call Denise Pease at (216) 299-0100.

NAME _____ NUMBER OF ADULTS _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN _____ NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER TWO _____

NAME OF FAMILY YOU WOULD LIKE TO SIT WITH _____