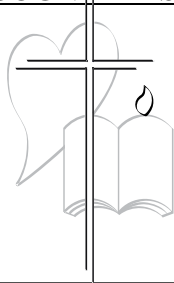


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LifeWorks Ohio's Annual Youth and High School Art & Essay Contest: This contest allowed our youth to reflect on the inherent dignity and sanctity of each human life from conception until natural death.

The Art & Essay Contest was open to all youth from fourth grade through twelfth grade. Participants had the chance to win the following cash prizes: 1st place \$50, 2nd place \$25, 3rd place \$15, Honorable Mention \$10. These prizes were offered in each grade level in the essay, art, computer-art and photography categories.

We are very pleased to announce that the following students from our school were chosen as winners in this years contest:

Gr	Division	Place	Student name	School
6	Essay	1st	Daniel Jamieson	St. Gregory the Great
6	Essay	2nd	Jonathan Loya	St. Gregory the Great
6	Essay	3rd	Hayley Lawless	St. Gregory the Great
6	Essay	3rd	Rachel Novinc	St. Gregory the Great
7	Essay	1st	Joe Corrao	St. Gregory the Great
7	Essay	3rd	Elise Mascia	St. Gregory the Great
8	Essay	1st	Jon Medovich	St. Gregory the Great
8	Essay	2nd	Jacob McAllister	St. Gregory the Great

CONGRATULATIONS are in order for the group of seventh and eight graders who competed in the **NORTHEAST OHIO REGIONAL SCIENCE and ENGINEERING FAIR** at Cleveland State University. The fair is sponsored by Dominion East Ohio, The Plain Dealer and the Cleveland Clinic. All of the over 400 student competitors were from the greater Cleveland area. The contestants of St. Gregory's were **Tessa Kruchan, Catie Himmelman, McKinzie Trotta and Alexandra Rummel (grade 7) Therese Becker, Emily Ianni and Kelsey Kotik (grade 8)**. Catie and Tessa won 3rd place awards in the Biology division for 7th and 8th graders. Alexandra and McKinzie earned Honorable Mentions in the same division. Therese earned an Honorable Mention in Physics. Emily earned an Honorable Mention in Earth Science, and Kelsey earned Honorable Mention in the Environmental Science category. Congratulations to all of these students for their hard work!

Last years auction was another huge success!! Without each of you who donated their time, talent, auction items, and raffle basket items, the evening would not have been the success that it was! We will be having our first Auction 2008 meeting on Thursday, April 10th at 7:00PM in the PFC. The more people the better. All existing chair persons will be there. Come and listen to what we would like to do this year. We would love your input! Thank you for all of your past support! Let's continue making this fundraiser one of our best!
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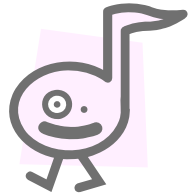
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SUMMER SOLUTIONS: Attached to today's newsletter is information about ordering Summer Solutions for both grammar and math workbooks. Orders will be accepted through April 7th. If you have any questions please call Mrs. Joanne Paulett at (216) 291-2563.

Teachers available for summer tutoring: Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Hanus, Mrs. Mullins, Mrs. Rybka, Miss Soukup, and Mrs. Webster. Please call the school office and leave a message for the teacher of your choice.

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM NEWS: An amended order form is attached to the newsletter for use on Monday, April 7th ONLY. Please use this order form as the certificates listed are the ONLY ones available for that week. We will resume our regular certificate availability on Monday, April 14th. Thank you for your cooperation.

NOTES FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT: Students in grades 1, 3, 5, and 6 will be performing in "The Wonderful World of Disney" a spring concert that will be held on Thursday, April 24th at 9AM and 7PM in the PFC. Performances will also be done by the 4th and 6th grade Recorder Clubs and the Junior High Chime Choir. This is a required performance for all 1st, 3rd, 5th and 6th grade students. Apparel is blue jeans and gym shoes for all; solid colored shirts as follows: grade 1/red – grade 3/yellow – grade 5/white – grade 6/black. Students should be dressed in this concert apparel for both performances. Please mark your calendars and notify extracurricular coaches and/or teachers about this required event to prevent any conflicts with program attendance.



If you have any questions about the concert, please direct them to your child's homeroom teachers or to Mrs. Freas. Thank you for your assistance for this upcoming event.

INFLATABLES DAY: To celebrate the St. Gregory the Great School's fantastic magazine drive this past fall, the entire student body is invited to participate in Inflatables Day to be held on Tuesday, April 15th and Wednesday, April 16th. Each classroom will be given an assigned time on one of those days to visit the gym and enjoy the Inflatables. The students will be able to dress in their gym clothes on their assigned day. Please watch for permission slips which will be coming home soon.

We need lots of help to make Inflatables Day a success! Please contact Carol Sisson (216) 381-9317 or pcja4639@sbcglobal.net if you are able to volunteer. Volunteers are needed from 8:30AM – 2:30PM both days. Please volunteer for an entire day or even just a couple of hours. THANK YOU!

PTC NEWS: PTC intent forms were due today. If you have not already done so, please return as soon as possible. Any questions, please call Charlene Krebs at (216) 382-2305.

GOT MILK?? Thank you to all who brought in your milk jugs. We now have the 200 we need. Thank you again for your help!
Mrs. Guzan

JAGUAR READERS: Thank you to the following students for donating books to the Library: Maria Fallon, Sabrina, Stefanie, and Samantha Bauman, Maggie King and Anabel McGuan.



Return to Spring: The Women's Guild would like to invite all women of the parish to our Luncheon/Fashion Show on Saturday, April 19th at the Mayfield Country Club. The event begins with a social hour at 11:00AM and lunch at 12noon. Fashions by Coldwater Creek of Legacy Village, featuring some of our school moms, will be shown during dessert. Tickets are \$40 and proceeds from this will benefit the parish, school, and PSR. Attending this event is a good way to support the work of the Guild and have a great time too! For more information contact Barb Pugel at (216) 291-2941 or Leanne Poelking at (440) 684-0999. Reservations must be in by **Friday, April 11th**.

GREENFEST

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