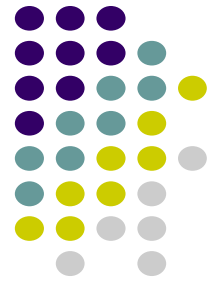




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Bishop Rhodes Visits Queen of Angels

from the 8th grade. He taught us a phrase and After mass was he said “Whenever I go to over Bishop Kevin preach a mass I tell them came around and vis- ited the classrooms. In teach them.” Now that each classroom he spent Bishop Kevin came to our some time in every school our parish is anx- grade preaching to each iously waiting for him to individual class. In the return.

Article submitted by: Alexis Madden

On September 20 Bishop Kevin came to visit our school. The day before Bishop Kevin came we the school busy cleaning to pre- pare for his arrival. When Bishop Kevin came he cele- brated Mass with us. It was very enjoyable to see some- body that wasn't a priest preach the mass. The Bishop had to have seven severs, all of them were

Parish asked if Bishop Kevin could lead us in prayer and he did. It was so The teachers had a special lunch in with him. None of the classes were allowed to leave until Bishop Kevin came to visit, so it took a while.

Everybody was so amazed that Bishop Kevin was at or school. Everybody was thankful and pleased.



Article submitted by: Alexis Madden and Gianna Porfilio

All School Mass

On the 1st of November the entire Queen of Angels School went to The Coliseum for an all school mass. They had the privilege to have the mass celebrated by Bishop Kevin Rhodes, once more. It was a very spiritual day that they spent with all of the Catholic Schools in our diocese. Two students from 8th grade (Alexis Madden and Gabe Nicholson) were able to serve for Bishop Kevin and the celebration of the All Saints Day. On this occasion of All Saints Day our 4th graders picked a saint and dress like their chosen saint in honor of them. After the mass was over the Bishop came to the rows that they were sitting in and asked their teacher if he could talk with them for a little while. The 4th grades were the only school that was invited to have this honor. The whole day was very exciting moment be- cause we had a great time learning from the Bishop at the mass.



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- Elizabeth Balestra — Font
- Juliahna Clark— ROM
- Delany Hickey— Boot
- Alexis Madden— Virus
- Elizabeth Musco— Crash
- Gabe Nicholson— Mouse
- Gianna Porfilio— RAM

Club Moderator

- Mrs. Bledsoe— Motherboard

Principal

- Mrs. Anne Miller— The Processor

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Eight Grade 1812 Re-Enactment Trip

1812 is a traditional field trip for the 8th grade. The United States had just earned their freedom from the Revolutionary War against Britain. The War of 1812 was between the United States and Britain. Did you know that some battles of the war was even fought in Indiana? When the Queen of Angels eighth grade went to the reenactment we saw the battle muskets fired cannons fired "dummy" cannon balls.

The vendors sold things I have never seen before: real arrowheads and Muskets. The vendors also sold authentic clothes the settlers and Indians actually wore back in those times. At one of the tents a blacksmith was pounding a hook out of iron. At another one of the tents a carpenter was turning a leg on a chair. The wood turning contraption is called an lathe.

Article written by: Gabe Nicholson



Pinwheels for Peace



On September 21st in a enormous circle and did a Queen prayer together. All of the of Angels students and Staff sang a peaceful song as a school event family, did activities outside called Pin-together, and stuck our per-wheels for Peace. During the week of the 21st the school prepared for Pinwheels for Peace by praying for peace, and coloring beautiful pinwheels. The day of member to be peaceful not Pinwheels for Peace the entire only all day, but also every school all went outside and stood other day after that day.

Submitted by: Gianna Porfilio



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Queen of Angels Walk-a-Thon

The entire school got to participate in a wonderful fundraiser called a Walk-A-Thon. The fundraiser was to have all kids go home, ask people for some donations, and bring back to school for our supplies. Afterwards, the school would be split up on different times and go to Gren Park and walk for an hour. It made a huge turn out. From grades K-8, there was a 100% participation.

They ended up getting a lot of money and made a big achievement. This was a great way for all the classes to work together to help our parish.

Article Submitted by: Delaney Hickey



Mr. Young dressed for a cold stroll around the neighborhood.



Annual Visit to Notre Dame

The Notre Dame field trip is an annual field trip for the 8th grade. The students get to go and tour the Notre Dame campus, learning all there is to know about Notre Dame. There the students got to see the outside of the dorms and go into some buildings. While exploring these places, the students learned

rumors and superstitions of the campus. After the tour the kids got to go to the lunch hall and eat lunch with the college students. When lunch was over, the students headed back to school. Notre Dame was an experience for the students that they will never forget.

Article Submitted by: Elizabeth Musco and Juliaanna Clark



Queen of Angels Class of 2012

Red Ribbon



Queen of Angels Drug Free Week

The students of Queen of Angels School learned about how to be drug free. Our school counselor, Mrs. Creager helped by hosting the week with Mrs. Miller, our principal., The students were reminded how important it is to be drug free. Each student got a

wrist band that had “ Be Drug Free” and also has the school's lifelong guidelines. The students get rewarded if they still have the wristband throughout the school year. The lessons taught doing drug free week have had a great impact on the students.

Article submitted by: Delaney Hickey



The 4th Grade Saints

The Queen of Angels 4th grade class had an assignment to find a Saint that the student liked, then the 4th grade found costumes to dress like their saint. The class also found information about their saint by doing a short report on each of their saints. The students then

wore their costumes at the Fort Wayne – South Bend Diocese all school mass which was hosted at War Memorial Coliseum. After the mass the Queen of Angels 4th grade students where honored to take pictures and talk with Bishop Kevin Rhodes after the mass. The stu-

dents also took pictures with Bishop Rhodes while they where in their costumes.

Article submitted by: Gabe Nicholson

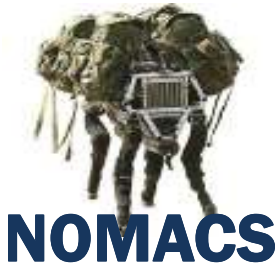


Tech Bytes

WEBINARS

Using the amazing video Conferencing equipment in the computer lab, the middle school students participated in a webinar called Robots Take Over on October 13 . At this webinar, they learned about how robots are starting to replace human jobs. They also learned about certain robots that are in the processes of being made. On November 3 the students participated in another webinar with actual Robotics Experts from the IRO-BOTS company. This one was a more in-depth webinar about robot jobs and how they save human lives every day. Both webinars were great experiences for the students because they helped them learn about the importance of computer technology in many aspects of their daily lives.

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NOMACS Invade

Wane 15

On Thursday, December 15 the NoMacs (Computer Club) and Mrs. Miller went to Wane 15. They got a tour by Nicholas Ferreri who is a parishioner at Queen of Angels . He took them into the control room and talked about the jobs of the director and producer. He then took them on to the set and they got to use the teleprompters and see how the cameras

are used. Next they went to the weather station on the set and they got to use the blue screen and see how technology is used in broadcasting the weather. Finally they took a tour of the offices and talked to some of the office workers. Afterward they enjoyed lunch and time to sit and talk to Mrs. Miller.

Submitted by Elizabeth Balestra



IPFW VISIT

On November 18, 2011, the 6th and 8th grade class took a trip to IPFW. First, the class visited the TV station in the basement of the library. They learned about how they are able to broadcast the TV programs and what goes

into making a programs. After that, they went to the art building. The students met Dr. Audrey Ushenko who is a painting professor at IPFW. She told them about the art degrees that are available at the school. She also showed them the computer labs where they teach 3D graphics and ani-

mation. After our tour, they at lunch in the IPFW cafeteria and headed back to school. The students enjoyed see and experiencing a college campus.

Submitted by:
Elizabeth Balestra

Professional Artist Visit Queen of Angels

On November 18, Dr. Audrey Ushenko, professor of painting and drawing at IPFW, visited Queen of Angels to talk to the middle school students about art and art appreciation. She choose some of the students work to critique. She asked the students to interpret the paintings and to share how the paintings made the students feel. Dr. Ushenko shared her views on the students' work and explained how she interpreted the painting. It was an honor to have Dr. Ushenko give us a tour of IPFW and to visit the school. She is a nationally respected professional

artist with her work featured in galleries across the country. She has also been commissioned to create pieces for many organizations including Indiana University, St. Louis University, the University of Chicago Hospitals and museums in New York, Chicago and St. Louis.



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