



GAZETTE

June 2011

Pastor: Fr. Gerry LeBoeuf
Principal: Ms. Sharon Hammerschmidt
Assistant Principal: Mrs. Anne Eddy



HAMMER TIME BY SHARON HAMMERSCHMIDT

“Do not be afraid, put out into the deep water and lower your nets.” Luke 5:4. We have taken many new steps out into the deep this past school year. I don’t know where the time has gone.

We have much to be proud of during the 2010-2011 school year. The students have taken on a new understanding of going out into the deep and to not be afraid. We have been together helping those in need, with the birth of new brothers and sisters, the death of family members, helping to stock St. Vincent de Paul shelves and much, much more.

Our 8th graders will be graduating this evening. They leave us with lasting memories of their smiles, laughter, tears and willingness to help each other out. Their class motto is “*So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect*”. Though things weren’t always perfect for them, they played hard and worked hard.

As we make our way to the end of the school year, know how much I truly appreciate your ways of going out into the deep. Guardian Angels Catholic School is the best school around because of your commitment, dedication and love. I am proud of what we have done and look forward to seeing everyone in August.

Special Top Honors

With the closing of St. Dennis last year, we welcomed many new students to GA. We would like to extend a special congratulations to the top two academic achievers from St. Dennis for their 8th grade year at Guardian Angels. Congratulations!

- 1st Place – Isabella dela Cruz
- 2nd Place – Lori Stolz

Top Honors

Congratulations to all the students who have worked hard this year to achieve academic excellence. We would like to extend a special congratulations to the top three academic achievers for all three years in the Academy in the graduating class of 2011.

- 1st Place – Mickey Davey
- 2nd Place – Katie Bromm
- 3rd Place – Izzy Marcelletti

8TH GRADE SUBJECT AWARDS

Art

Derek Hackert

Computers

Steven Jacques

Language Arts

Juli Saad

Literature

Alyssa Gosselin

Math

Julia Cwiek

Music

Bella dela Cruz

Physical Education

Katie Bromm

Science

Joe Coyne

Social Studies

Marianne Krause

Spanish

Marissa Medici

Religion

Mariam Hanna



STUDENT OF THE MONTH AWARDS

6th Grade



Brent Buttrey



Michaela Brzuchowski

7th Grade



Hannah Kimmel



Andrew Baranski

8th Grade



Katie Bromm



Sarah Padrick

WRITING PAY\$ OFF



Congratulations to 6th grader, Ethan Groth, for winning the \$500 Michigan Catholic Credit Union Make a Difference Scholarship. Ethan was one of ten students chosen based on his 300 word essay describing how helping others has made a difference in his life.

Dear Guardian Angels students,

Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness and Christian service toward others this school year. Throughout the year, for various holidays and special occasions, you have made greeting cards and place mats for the residents of Cambridge Nursing Center, The Veteran's Hospital, and the clients of Mary's Children. I have had the pleasure of delivering the items to Mary's Children and Cambridge Nursing Center, and have witnessed the gratitude from the staff of both facilities. Mrs. Raine has delivered the items for the Veterans, and has told us of the excitement and joy you have provided to those who are hospitalized. Your efforts to spread the love of Jesus through Christian outreach has brought joy to so many that you will never know or meet. You have touched the lives of many who struggle and who, just maybe, needed some loving care and encouragement that day! God bless you for reaching out to others through this year long project!

Love, Mrs. V.



Foley Happenings

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248-585-1210
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Euchre Parties



Field House
\$10
Third Saturdays

THANK YOU GAP!

We would like to say a BIG thank you to our **Guardian Angels Parents**. Thank you for all you have done throughout the year to make this a wonderful school year. Whether you helped on a fundraiser, field trip, staff luncheon, class party, field day, etc. your dedication to Guardian Angels Catholic School is so appreciated.

- The GA Staff



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

JUNE

- 1 - Nicholas Cacevic
- 2 - Julia Sinagoga
- 5 - Anya Pelshaw
- 6 - Jeremy Cabrera
- 6 - David Isbell
- 6 - Nicolas Maten
- 8 - Caroline Bishop
- 8 - McKayla Krygier
- 8 - Nicole McIntyre
- 9 - Jonathan Nordstrom
- 9 - Raymond Pippin
- 11 - Patrick Carey
- 11 - Laurel Krause
- 11 - Sarah Padrick
- 14 - Ethan Connert
- 14 - Kyle Goodsell
- 15 - Clare McCarthy
- 20 - Samantha Abuel
- 20 - Anthony Alaoui
- 20 - Brendan Baranski
- 21 - Luke Binno
- 22 - Zachary Proctor
- 25 - Mikaela Brzuchowski
- 26 - Joseph Davey
- 26 - Jessica Saunders
- 26 - Drew Schmidt
- 27 - Sydney Golpe
- 30 - Troy Kilanowski

President's Educational Award for 3.5 GPA & Higher

Katherine Bromm	Alyssa Gosselin	Isabel Marcelletti
Samantha Casadonte	Brendan Gracey	Ryan May-Dismuke
Joseph Coyne	Derek Hackert	Marissa Medici
Julia Cwiek	Mariam Hanna	Sarah MeLampy
Michael Davey	Griffin Kacy	Julianna Saad
Isabella dela Cruz	Marianne Krause	Lori Stolz

President's Educational Award for 3.0 GPA & Higher

Allison Curran	Natalie Jefferies	Jacob Raona
Gina DeLaRosa	Nicolas Maten	Sydney Sell
William Gilbert	Brendan McGowan	Emily Theisen
Reginald Golfin	Nicholas Newcomb	Sean Vaillencourt
Steven Jacques	Sarah Padrick	Rachel Walmsley
	Joena Pennington	

Preschool Memories

Preschoolers seem to make the largest amount of growth in a school year. Many are terrified of school in August and by the end of the year they come running into the building as fast as they can move.

In October we visited the apple orchard and pumpkin patch where we picked apples off of the trees. The Holiday season brought a visitor, St.



Nick, to our classroom that filled our shoes with treats. The children and parents enjoyed the gifts that were bought in Santa's Secret shop. Who knew that moms need race cars and dads need pink fuzzy ponies? The New Year brought experiences of some new friends and learning. Playdough is a favorite with cookies and worms to make for the class. Scissors are fantastic because remarkably mom doesn't let us use them at home. The children love to use markers because those can't come home as well, at least that is what mom and dad say. The Preschoolers also went to Troy Gymnastics to tumble and bounce



until their hearts were content. A visit to Nino's Salvaggio showed us so many new fruits, vegetables and a lobster that we could touch! We ended

the year popping up the tent and roasting marshmallows getting ready for the summer.

Needless to say this group is probably the only group that does not want school to end. In previous years students have had major meltdowns with parents because they think their parents are keeping them from school. I wonder if their minds are thinking of the toys in our room like the toys from Toy Story 3.



Many children stare with concern as we pack up the dinosaurs, cars, dolls and animals. Some have asked me if I play with the toys and paint when school is closed. Oh! How innocent and precious their minds are to the grown-up things in their world. Have a wonderful safe summer and come back with some great stories from your summer adventures!



Mrs. Lampman

Jaden Amparo

Mrs. VanFleteren

Lauren Williams

Mrs. Swanson

Nicole McIntosh

Ms. Karol

Emily Williams

SPIRIT OF JESUS AWARD

Mrs. Ottenhoff

Jack Theisen

Mrs. Wagner

Mallory Jackson

Ms. Beebe

Marisa Jacques

Mr. McClain

Julia Boswell

Ms. Harlan

Alanna Lewalski

Mrs. Salgat

Michaela Dorflinger

Mrs. Burke

Lauren Sharpe

Ms. Dunham

Michaela Lewalski

Ms. Eisenhart

Juli Saad

Mr. Wienclaw

Katie Bromm

School-wide Top AR Awards

1st PLACE

Katie Sanocki - 484.9 points

2nd PLACE

Isabel Marcelletti - 466.9 points

3rd PLACE

Hallie Buckner – 455.2 points

Accelerated Reader Awards

Congratulations to the top AR in each homeroom!

3rd Grade

Jarod Amparo
Paul Dedenbach

4th Grade

Hallie Buckner

5th Grade

Finnley Thorp
Lauren Kowal

6th Grade

Alanna Lewalski
Katie Sanocki

7th Grade

Michaela Lewalski
Keara Skoglund

8th Grade

Alyssa Gosselin
Izzy Marcelletti



NEWS

From the

God Squad

By Mr. Kuhar and Mr. Waligora

We celebrate many feasts in the month of June and taking time to reflect on those feast can help us draw nearer to God. We remember the Ascension of Jesus into heaven. The apostles once again felt unsure and alone, similar to how they felt after Jesus' death on the cross. They did not have to wait long to be filled with the Holy Spirit at Pentecost as Jesus promised before He ascended to the Father. The apostles went from hiding out of fear to preaching the message of Jesus proudly and boldly in a split second. This is the power of the Holy Spirit that overcame the apostles and that we each receive at Baptism. We then move on to the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. The great gift of the Eucharist that we are able to receive each time we come to Mass. This is the greatest gift we have been given! As we read in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, it is the source and summit of our faith. Everything stems from and comes to a peak with the Eucharist. It is the pinnacle, the high point, the great sacrifice. This is what sustains us along the journey to heaven. This is what provides us with the spiritual nourishment we need to grow in virtue and follow Christ more closely.

Think about the apostles for a moment and how incredible it must have been to literally walk with Jesus and listen to His teaching. It must have been amazing especially as they looked back on events and the words that Jesus spoke to them as their understanding increased. Now take a moment and really think about what takes place during the Consecration at Mass. Bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ! It is not just a symbol or neat thing but it is truly Jesus Christ Himself! We witness a miracle each time we come to Mass. There is no other explanation. It is said that if the angels could be jealous of men, they would be for one reason and that reason is the Eucharist and the fact that we are able to receive Jesus Christ. Enjoy the summer and remember to keep Christ first in your life!

In Christ's peace, Mr. Waligora and Mr. Kuhar



Foley Happenings



Class of 2015 Welcome Picnic

Date:
June 15, 2011

Time:
5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

BFC Summer Arts and Athletics

A variety of summer athletic and enrichment classes are being offered

Boys and Girls Athletic Camps

Grade in the Fall of 2011

Free Open Wrestling Thursdays 6:30-8 p.m. Field House

6th to 8th Grade during the summer months

Co-Ed Soccer: 10-14 yrs. July 25 - 28 6-9 p.m. \$75 includes Tee

Basketball: grades 5 -9

Girls- June 14 -16 5 - 8 p.m. \$75 includes Tee

Boys - August 14 1 - 4 p.m. \$75 includes Tee

Volleyball: grades 5 - 10. June 20 - 23 6-8 p.m. \$50 includes Tee

Football: grades 5 - 9 July 18 - 19 6-9 p.m. \$40 includes Tee

Lacrosse: grades 5-8 June 20 - 23 5 - 8 p.m. \$50 includes Tee

Cheerleading Camp: grades 5-9 July 18 - 21 6 - 9 p.m. \$50 includes Tee

Girls Swimming: All Girls Welcome

June 14 - 16 5 - 6:30 p.m. \$60 includes Tee

June 20 - 23 5 - 6:30 p.m. \$60 includes Tee

For information and brochures call 248 585-1210 or e-mail MainOffice@bishopfoley.org

How to Succeed in High School (One Week)

This class is designed for the in-coming Foley Freshman. Students will review textbooks, syllabi, sample quizzes, tests, study techniques and time management. Students are required to begin their summer reading assignment, as well as, organize their notebooks for their freshmen classes. The teacher of this class maintains contact with student during their first semester at Foley.

June 20 - 24 - 8 - 10:30 a.m. Cost: \$100

Aug. 1 - 5 - 8 - 10:30 a.m. Cost: \$100

Math Enrichment (One Week)

The class is for incoming Foley freshman whose math skills need strengthening in preparation for high school Algebra.

June 20 - 24 - 10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Cost: \$100

Aug. 1 - 5 - 10:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Cost: \$100

Robotics (One Day)

Registration open to all students that will be in the 7, 8 or 9th grade in the Fall of 2011

June 22 - 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Cost: \$20

Dance

Registration open to all students that will be in the 5, 6, 7, 8, 9th grade in the Fall of 2011. The summer dance program is open to all students interested in dance. No experience necessary and all skill levels are welcome. The program will let the students explore several styles of dance, learning the history and technique of each style in an energetic and fun atmosphere!

June 20 -24 - 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Cost: \$25 (includes t-shirt)

NEWS FROM THE ART ROOM

Art for God's Sake! This year we have many artistic accomplishments to be thankful for. The names are so many, and have been published in the Gazette school paper so we will now offer a prayer of Thanksgiving for the many talented artists who shined this school year. Our 5th graders made clay bowls for the annual Empty Bowls event at the Michigan Art Education Association Conference. These bowls helped to feed the poor. These 5th graders also performed for their school and then again for the Open House as the Talking Artist Museum.

We had nine of our 4th graders in the annual Crayola On-Line Exhibit. Five students in grades 1 through 8 had artwork sent to the Regional Young at Art Show.

The students participated in two poster contests (Life is a Gift and the Martin Luther King Jr. I Have a Dream contest) with one honorable mention and two of our students featured in the Michigan Catholic.

ALL OF OUR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 3RD GRADERS were in the annual



Guardian Angels Art Show and selected works from grades 4 through 8 were also in this show. We had one 7th grader win a very prestigious Silver Key Scholastic Art Award! These awards bring scholarships for high school and college level studies.

We also had 26 academy students in the Bishop Foley Catholic High School Art Show and 15 Academy students represented us in the ART for GOD'S SAKE exhibit at Saint Anastasia. Our Guardian Angel Art Angels raised money to feed nearly 200 people thanksgiving meals, and money for Toys for Tots at Christmas time. These Art Angels also made and donated clay and furniture pieces to our school auction. PRAISE THE YOUNG ARTISTS OF GUARDIAN ANGELS CATHOLIC SCHOOL!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO: JULY

- 2 - Sean Stolz
- 4 - Emily Williams
- 5 - Kyle Betlej
- 6 - Julia Cwiek
- 6 - Joeena Pennington
- 12 - Hallie Buckner
- 14 - Padraic Lewalski
- 15 - Jaymes Jackson
- 16 - Kimberly Cotton
- 16 - Janelle Johnson
- 17 - Alison Moore
- 19 - Juli Saad
- 19 - Angela Savino
- 19 - Lori Stolz
- 20 - Reggie Golfín
- 20 - Alexander McIntosh
- 22 - Brian Ankrapp
- 22 - Amanda Cascianelli
- 22 - Aaron McGhee
- 22 - Evan McGhee
- 22 - Maria Shaya
- 24 - Tyler Gosselin
- 25 - Matthew Rynne
- 26 - Daniel Rossman
- 28 - Nicholas Peper
- 31- Andrew Saunders

America & Me Essay Contest Winners



- 1st Place** - Nick Newcomb
- 2nd Place** - Brendan McGowan
- 3rd Place** - Juli Saad



Athletics

www.angelsathletics.com

Sports Wrap Up

As another athletics season comes to an end, we wanted to reflect on what a great year our children had and how well they represented Guardian Angels. Included below is a small list of the highlights of the year.

Fall: Varsity Football made the playoffs but lost to St. Anne, they later played at Ford Field & beat OLGC.

Winter: JV Girls #1 Basketball, won their division, won the end of year tournament at St. Valentine

Winter: Varsity Boys #1 Basketball, won GA Christmas Tourney, won their division, made playoffs, lost in 2nd round (St. Lawrence)

Winter: Varsity Girls #1 Basketball, made playoffs (lost to St. Thecla)

Winter: Competitive Cheer, Competed in Catholic High School league competition and took 4th place.

Winter: Bowling featured one Varsity team & two JV teams. Many of the GA individual bowlers appeared on the high game list.

Spring: JV Girls Softball, won their division

Spring: Track This year the track team included 35 members spanning grades 3 thru 8. All of the varsity track members competed at CYO finals & posted their personal bests. Mickey Davey took 2nd place in the 1600M Run and recorded the 2nd fastest time ever run at CYO Finals. Five new GA records were set over the course of the year.

Spring: Varsity Lacrosse, made it to the final of preseason tournament, finished 2nd.

One thing that makes us the most proud of all our teams is the other teams comments about our heart and sportsmanship. Learning to work together as a team and having fun is what we promote as our goal and the comments we consistently receive reinforce this goal.

Good Bye 2010-2011

As we close the season we want to say good bye and thank you to the members of the Board that have served us well over the last few years. Julie McMurtry and Bill Gilbert who have served for the last 4 years and our outgoing AD Steve Carey. Thank you for your insight and direction in helping to continue the success of this program. You will all be missed.

On the starting line 2011-12

It is never too soon to start looking forward to next year. Registration has already begun and our new board is forming. We currently have 3 open positions on the board, plus a need for a Cheer coach and plenty of volunteers. If you are interested in getting involved please contact David Moore.

Go Angels!!