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**NOVEMBER 2019** 



## B.R.A.V.E. Monthly

## Principal's CORNER

Dear Crusaders,

I can't believe how quickly our first quarter has flown by! As I reflect on the past nine weeks, it warms my heart to recognize the many accomplishments of our students.

Our new students have acclimated so well! It is a pleasure to get to know new families and to welcome them into our fold. Our new teachers and faculty members have worked so hard this first quarter to learn all the procedures at St. Andrew and to fall into a routine. We are grateful for the gifts they share with us!

Our first quarter was filled with many successes of our students. We are so proud of our volleyball players, our Mock Trial team that is preparing diligently for competition, our choir members sharing their voices in Mass, and every child who has worked hard to study and be successful in their classes.

Our STREAM theme for this quarter, Día de los Muertos, has been fun and informative. Students have had the opportunity to research, create, use different talents, and learn a little more about their faith. We will begin our second quarter focusing on the community. What are the needs of our community? We will welcome community members into our school, research and plan special projects. It will be a time to focus on "Service beyond Self" and the important part each of us plays in our community and our world.

It's hard to believe that Thanksgiving and Christmas will be upon us in the blink of an eye. We have many gifts to be thankful for here at St. Andrew. Let us continue to pray for the blessings of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank you! Debbie Wilfong



#### GIRL'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM

Congrats to our Girl's Volleyball Team who, under the coaching of Dixie Hix (SAS parent for 21 years), had an UNDEFEATED season and were the Grand Strand Middle School League

Champions!



## Día de los Muertos · 1st QUARTER STREAM







### Crusader CONGRATS!



#### SETON HIGH SCHOOL Swim Meet

Seth (grade 8) took 1st Place in the 200 Free and 2nd Place in the 100 Free. Also pictured, Kaili (student at Seton High School) took 2nd Place in the 200 breaststroke and 6th Place in the 50 Free.

#### **OUR HONOR CODE:**

As a student of
St. Andrew Catholic School:
I pledge to be an example of Christ
to all those around me through
both my words and actions.
I pledge to respect and
show kindness and consideration to
my fellow students and teachers.
I pledge to use konesty
in all situations.
I pledge to always work to the
best of my ability.
I will put God and konor above all.
I pledge a life of
fatth (ove. and learning.



## LEARNING ALLY Summer Reading PROGRAM

Russell (grade 4) was the winner of the Learning Ally Summer Reading Program.
Russell read 20 minutes a day for 90 days.

#### WE MET OUR AR Goals:

• 1st Grade

Sarah, Mia, Ella, Drew, Saoirse, Reagan, Cailen, Eva, Sabrina, Julian, Madelyn, Kieran, Sloane, Vanessa, Camden, Charleigh, Macy, Emma

• 2nd Grade •

Elliot, Dana, Audrey, Aliki, Eleni, Elle, Jacob, Oliver, Mia, Sophia, Jax, Matthew, Harper, Carmella, Vera, Francesca, Amelia, Erin

• 3rd Grade •

Ian, Vivien, Audra, Mae, Olivia, Liam, Michael, Sharon, Zeke, Ava, Craig, Sebastian, Charbel, Charlie, Garrett, Jada, Vincent

• 4th Grade •

Dani Grace, Kevin, Richard, Kamryn, Elizabeth, Holden, Russell, Matt, Isabella O., Grant, Isabella S., Lydia, Ruby

 $\bullet$  5th Grade  $\bullet$ 

Thomas, Adeline, Evan, Chrissi, Madeline, Cassidy, Giana, Mary Hannah, Ben, Eric, Jordyn, Elizabeth, Jonah, Nate, Matthew

• 6th Grade •

Aidan, Fay, Collin, Mark, Maya, Catherine, Abby, John

 $\bullet$ 7th Grade  $\bullet$ 

James, Alyssa, Gaby, Maria, Joe, Joseph, Lilly, Erin, Ben, Katie, Madison, Rachel, Emma, Christian

• 8th Grade •

Jack, Dillon, Alyssa, Ava, Seth, Sophia, Hannah, Jacob, Summer, Nathan, Wyatt





#### St. Andrew's GOLF CHAMP

prestigious Stadium Course, where they host the PGA Players Championship, which was a huge accomplishment. At the famous 17th hole, "Island Green", Madison watched 8 adults hit into the water before she got up there and hit it on the green her very first try. It was a special moment that many dream about!

Madison finished 3rd in driving and putting and 5th overall.

Madison is now one step away from competing at Augusta

Service
Beyond Self:
LEMONADE STAND
FOR BABY BOTTLE
COLLECTION



Oliver (grade 2) had a lemonade stand to raise money for our baby bottle collection.



## Meet A FEW OF OUR NEW CRUSADER Families ...

#### The O'KELLEY Family

Katherine, Harper (Grade 2), Rhett (Future Crusader), Carey, along with Leilani and Soleil their Bichon Frises. The O'Kelley family relocated from Alpharetta, GA.





The GLOVER Family
Holly, Ford (Future Crusader),
Addison (Kindergarten), and
Andrew (SAS Alumni, Class of 1997).

#### The HERNANDEZ Family

Jose, Natalia (Kindergarten), Myra, and Jacob (Grade 2) The Hernandez family relocated from Pismo Beach, California.



## Alumni NEWS



Natalie Roig-McKnight SAS, Class of 2000



Natalie Roig-McKnight has been teaching art at Paul W. Bryant High School in Tuscaloosa City Schools (Alabama) for eight years. She graduated from the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga with a BFA in Graphic Design and went on to the University of Montevallo and graduated with a Masters in Art Education.

Mrs. Roig-McKnight was honored by being chosen as the District 4 Teacher of the Year in the State of Alabama and simultaneously named as being one of 16 finalists for State Teacher of the Year.

She was involved in the writing of the Fine Arts Course of Study Standards and served on the Executive Board as the Secondary Chair for the Alabama Art Educators Association. She currently serves as the Chair of the Fine Arts Department at Paul W. Bryant High School and is pursuing her National Board and Educational Leadership Certification.

In her spare time, she enjoys spending time with her family, being a new mom to her daughter Lucy, traveling, the beach, and photography.



## Tech TALK

Have you ever wanted to contact the parents of your child's classmates but don't have their information? Did you know you have an online directory within FACTS Family Portal (previously ParentsWeb)? It has a list of all school parents' addresses, phone numbers, and email addresses. You can filter it by grade level to easily access information! There is even a print button so you can print the information and hold onto it.

- Log into FACTS family portal at https://logins2.renweb.com/logins/ParentsWeb-Login.aspx
- Open the drop down "School" menu and click "Directory"
- Filter by grade level by clicking "All Grades" drop down menu.
- Don't forget to click "Search" for the system to process your filter request.
- You can also toggle between student and parent information by clicking "Students" or "Parents".
  - "Parents" view is the only way to see the email addresses and cell phone numbers.

If you have any questions, I am happy to help anytime! Just send me an email!

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let's share our good news!

We would love to add

Grandparents. Godparents.

Friends and Family

to our email list to receive B.R.A.V.E. **(Montfly)**.

If you would like for us to add anyone to the list, please email their contact

info to:

social@standrewschoolmb.org



# SEE YOU tomorrow!

