



NOVEMBER 2020



B.R.A.V.E. Monthly

Dear Crusaders,

I can't believe it is already *November*! Praise the Lord, we are in school and healthy! I attribute this to our conscientious parents and staff! Everyone is very diligent about communicating with our nurse, Jenna Cunningham, and our front office. Students showing symptoms of any illness are staying home, which is much appreciated and contributes to our school's overall safety. On the school end, we are continuing our cleaning protocol that was put in place in our reopening guidelines. We continue to screen and take temperatures, limit visitors, and teachers are wiping down desks frequently. Mr. Myers wipes door handles and cleans bathrooms daily. At the end of the day, once everyone has left, we fog the classrooms with an EPA approved disinfectant. We have been very creative with our classroom layouts, keeping students safely apart, and our students and staff are very cooperative in wearing their masks and abiding by Diocesan policies. All of these combined efforts are working! Let's pray our community remains healthy now and in the months to come.

On October 6, the Diocese of Charleston performed an Internal Review of our school. St. Andrew was rated on 31 indicators in four different categories. The four categories are: insufficient, initiating, improving, and impacting. We strive to be in the 4th category of impacting, illustrating that desired practices are deeply entrenched in the culture of the school. I am pleased to report that our school had zero ratings at insufficient, zero ratings at initiating, nine ratings at improving, and 22 at impacting, the highest rating possible! We are very proud of our report! The Diocese of Charleston recognizes that our school is driven by our Mission Statement and that our stakeholders work collaboratively to create and deliver top quality instruction, a safe environment, and an atmosphere of service, all delivered in the light of Gospel values. We are well on our way to renewed accreditation through Cognia. Thank you to everyone for your continued support!

We have much to be thankful for in this season. We continue to pray for safety, health, our country, and our school. We are blessed to have been in school for a full quarter and to be able to provide a quality education to virtual students and students in our *BRAVE at Home Program*. We appreciate your continued prayers for our faculty, staff, families, and students!

Shalom,

Debbie Wilfong
Principal

Principal's CORNER

Shalom

And let the *peace* of God rule in your hearts.

Colossians 3:15

puravida bracelets giveaway



to win:

- Take a pic of your Crusader in their uniform and post to your Instagram by Sunday, November 8.
- Tag us @standrewschoolmb
- Tell everyone why you choose St Andrew!
- Drawing for participants will be held on Monday, November 9.

@StAndrewSchoolMB



Officers

Mark: Secretary/Treasurer;
Mrs Sedota: Sponsor;
Annabella: Officer of Ecology;
Christian: Officer of Spirit/Sergeant-At-Arms;
Joe: Vice President; James: President

2020-2021 Student Council

Class Representatives

Dr Vaughn: Sponsor;
8th Grade: Lilly and Gaby;
7th Grade: Amelia and William;
6th Grade: Giana and Matthew



Crusader CONGRATS!

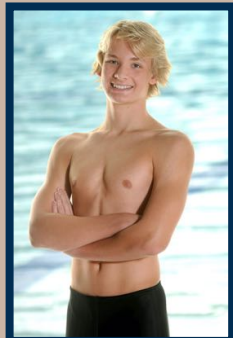


Jack Coan
SAS, Class of 2019



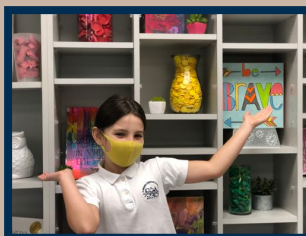
First place Myrtle Beach
High School Cross
Country Runner!

Seth Riley
SAS, Class of 2018



Myrtle Beach High
School All Region Swim
Team MVP!

Photo by Lisa Young



Third grader, Mia, is the only child in the seventeen year history of the Seacoast Art Gallery "Fall for Art" Show to have her artwork exhibited.

Coastal Carolina University Associate Professor of Art, James Arendt, says that Mia has a "great eye for composition and color and has a mastery of her material". He encouraged Mia to "knit the world together by creating".

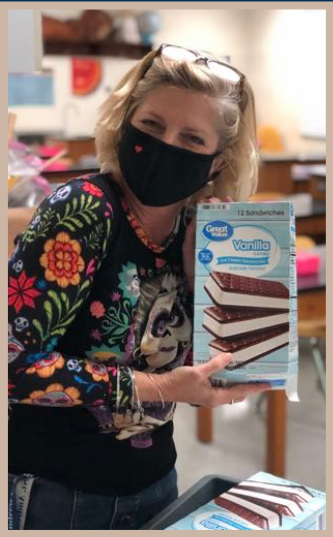
Professor Arendt called Mia a prodigy and compared her paintings to the art of Romero Britto and Peter Max.

We are so proud of you Mia!

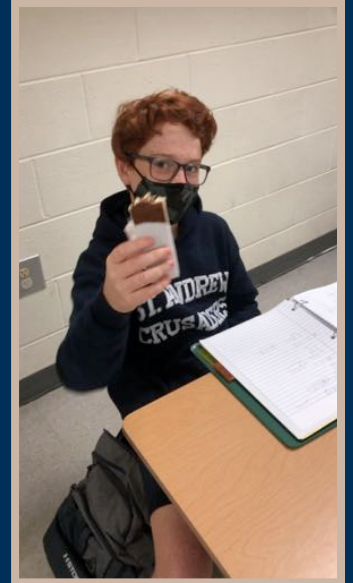
Young Artist



Mary K Harlin Scholarship Recipient



AR GOALS MET FOR 1ST QUARTER *Congrats!*



3RD GRADE

Sophia C, Elliot C, Dana D, Audrey E, Drew F,
Sawyer H, Mia L, Matthew N, Carmella P, Mason P,
John Henry P, Ashby R, Amelia T, Erin W

4TH GRADE

Emily A, Matthew A, Chase D, Colt D, Audra D, Sharon L,
Craig M, DeSales M, Sebastian N, Charbel S, Garrett W

5TH GRADE

Lukas A, Dani Grace B, Kevin B, Richard C, Kamryn C, Elizabeth C, Cullen C,
Brodie D, Holden D, Russell E, CK H, Luca H, Matt M,
Audrey M, Isabella O, Nick S, Grant S, Abigail T, Mia T, Lydia W, Ruby Y

6TH GRADE

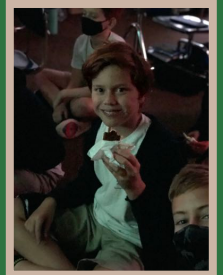
Thomas A, Braeden C, Makena D, Evan D, Merritt F, Giana L,
Brendan M, Mary Hannah M, Ben P, Eric S, Elizabeth W, Nate W

7TH GRADE

William M

8TH GRADE

James A, Skylin A, Annabelle C, Gaby D, Evie D, Joe H,
Joseph H, Lilly J, Jordan K, Erin M, Ben M,
Madison M, Rachel P, Emma S, Christian W



NOVEMBER 2020

Save
THE
Date!



#iGIVECATHOLIC

24 Hour Day of Giving
December 1, 2020



ST ANDREW
CATHOLIC SCHOOL
MYRTLE BEACH, SC

Hello!

It is hard to believe that we are into the fall season and already through the first quarter of the school year! I would like to extend a *congratulations* to all of you for your transparency, communication, and patience as we navigate this school year during the COVID-19 pandemic. By working together, we will continue to keep our children, faculty, and staff as safe as we possibly can. We understand that a face to face learning environment has an inherent risk.

This month, I would like to address the importance of having a thermometer in your home. An elevated temperature is often the first sign of a developing illness or infection. Several options are available on the market, including a digital oral, tympanic, temporal, axillary (don't buy those, they do not work), and even rectal thermometers. Price points for thermometers are very reasonable to hundreds of dollars for the medical-grade versions. I know that Grandma always relied on the back of her hand as a screening tool, but that type of temperature screening is not accurate. The first question I ask most of you when your child is home ill is "What is the temperature?" Please consider purchasing a thermometer for your home. **Click here for information about the different types of thermometers available.**

As always, feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns regarding your child's health.

Blessings.

Jenna Cunningham, BSN, RN
School Nurse

A NOTE FROM THE
Nurse



Welcome New Families!

The DeLozier Family



Colt, Sarah, Chase, Josh and Skylar DeLozier

The DeLozier Family moved from Lancaster, Pennsylvania. They enjoy watching and attending sporting events. They look forward to meeting new families at St Andrew and St Elizabeth Ann Seton, where their oldest child attends high school.

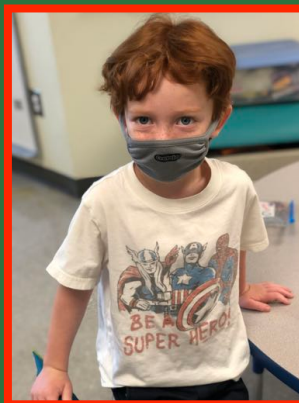
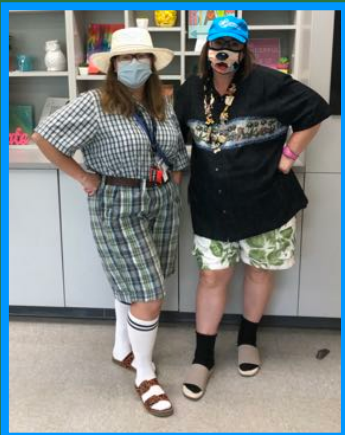


The Pepe Family

Alessandro, Antonio, Lorraine, and Antonio Pepe

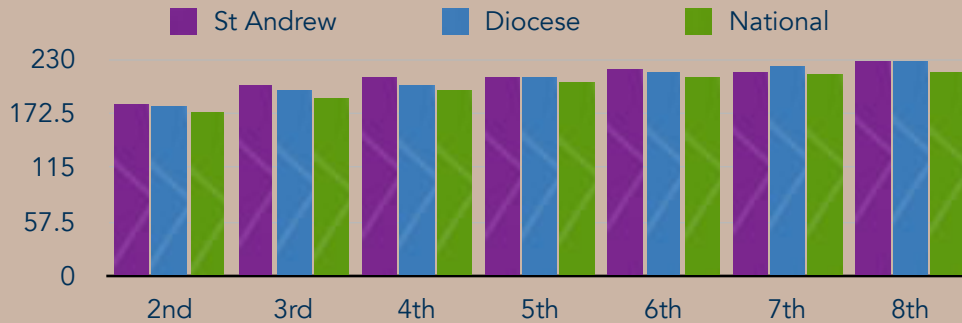
Lorraine and Antonio were both born and raised in Canada. Now, with their fraternal twins Alessandro and Antonio, Myrtle Beach is home.

Spirit Week!

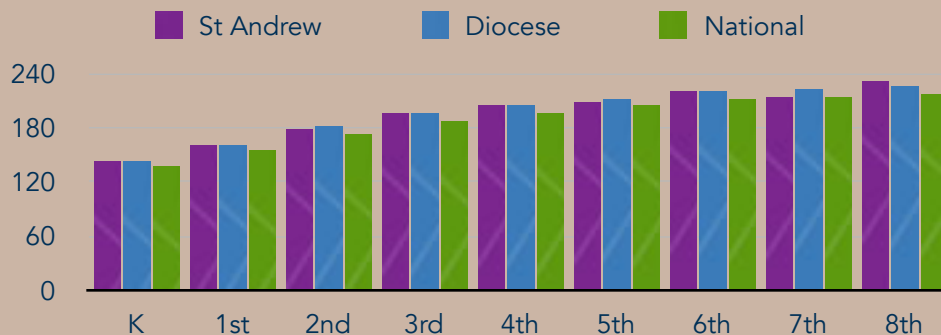


After each testing period, we compare our mean (average) grade level results to those of the Diocese and National Norms. We are very proud to announce, St. Andrew has been consistently scoring on par with our Diocese as well as consistently scoring above National Norms. The following graphs display this year's Fall MAP scores per grade level compared to the Diocese and National Norms. Please feel free to contact the office with any questions.

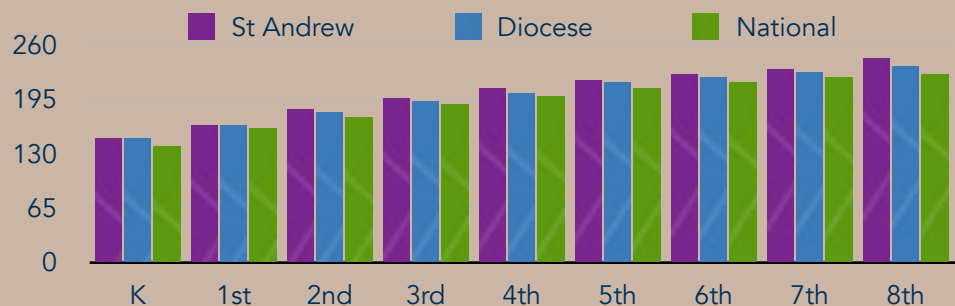
LANGUAGE



READING



MATH



Fall
Scores

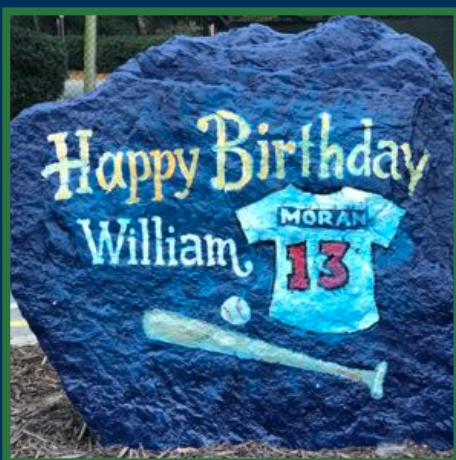
Rent the BRAVE Rock!

To rent the BRAVE Rock,
text Jill Rion 843.457.8905!



Visit our website
for all of the details
and guidelines.

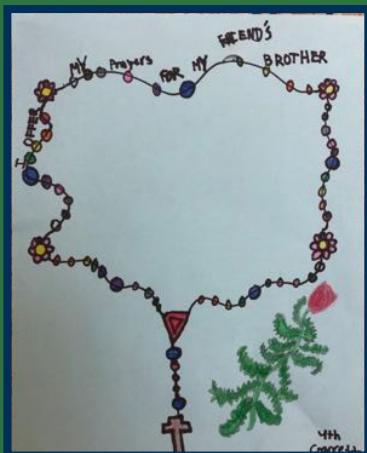
Thank you to Jill Rion for organizing the renting of the BRAVE Rock. All proceeds will fund St. Andrew Catholic School and our initiatives. **A boulder-sized shout out to the following families that cheerfully donated to the BRAVE Rock Fruition Fund:** Brumfield, Glover, Hayek, Player, Rion, Sherfese, and Wood!



Around School ...



5th Grade
Hurricane Proof
Homes



4th Grade
Drawing
Rosaries
in
Art Class



7th Grade
Building a Plant
Cell Model in
Science Class



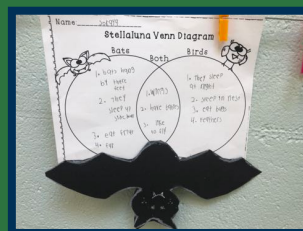
3rd Grade
Social Distancing
in the Library



1st Grade
Art Class
&
Auction Winner
(FROM LAST YEAR)



2nd Grade
Venn Diagram with a
Halloween Twist



6th Grade
Class Discussions



Kindergarten
Colorful Scarecrows



8th Grade
Outside Discussion
with Mrs. Tucker





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Join us in Taste'n the Town
ALL YEAR LONG!

Upcoming Restaurants

November 3-9

DUCATIS PIZZERIA & TRATTORIA

FORTUNE
asian bistro and sushi bar

November 10-16



*Mediterranean
Bistro*

November 17-23



November 24-30

