

Fabulous February is here!!!

The fourth graders are moving forward in all areas so hang on to the sides of the cart!

This quarter we continue pushing for all students to make their AR goal with 85% or higher. These are high expectations, and we believe our students are able to achieve this!!! The children know the points they need to make by each checkpoint. If everyone makes their total goal by the end of third quarter, I will provide an ice-cream sundae party for the class. Go, kids, go! I have faith in you!!!!

Catholic Schools Week is a huge success with many fun activities. What a wonderful way for everyone to celebrate our beautiful school!

In science we are learning about electricity. We are preparing for a visit from Marquette seniors to assist us in connecting complete circuits. We continue to learn about how to use electricity safely.

Social Studies class vaults us into discussions about immigrants, growth, and statehood. Students should know the meaning of all the vocabulary words on page 81 of our textbook.

To compliment our language arts program, the fourth graders have completed winter stories. Each child wrote about what winter would look like if he or she were in human form. Students' stories are displayed in the hallway outside of our library. Please come in and take a look at our budding authors.

Valentine's Day is approaching! We will exchange Valentines with classmates on Friday, February 9. Typically we celebrate Valentine's Day on the 14th, however this year that is the first day of Lent. A list of all fourth graders will be coming home to help ensure every child in the class is remembered when filling out Valentine cards.

Please note conferences are being scheduled for Thursday, February 8. If you have a conference, the confirmation time will come to you in an email.

What a winter this has been! Take heart and remember spring is just a breath away. We will make it!!!!

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