

Happy Friday Everyone!

What a WONDERFUL week in so many ways! We had our PK Thanksgiving Feast earlier this week. Thank you to the teachers and staff who made it so wonderful for the families and students! I was happy to be a part and to get to eat lunch! Then we had our parent teacher conferences Wednesday and Thursday, which went well. And today, our rescheduled race went off with a bang! The weather could not have been better for our Turkey Trot! A HUGE thank you to all of our volunteers that kept the kiddos moving, gave them positive pushes, kept score, kept them fueled, and kept them safe! We had a great time! The following are the top three in each grade from 2nd through 8th. The top students in each grade won a turkey and many donated their bird to the St. Vincent DePaul Society:

8th Grade:

Dan Foglia (4:45) Sarah Ginanne (5:14)

Brian Erick (5:36) Lauren Wegman (5:30)

Aidan Wright (8:05) Dagny Rebhan (5:43)

7th Grade:

Patrick Killian & Jacquie Appenheimer (4:49)

Caden Tag (10:18) Claire Ginanne (5:52)

Brigid Benson (7:25)

6th Grade:

Joe Rebhan (5:13) Olivia Foglia Lefler (6:15)

Antonio Gullo (5:27) Gwen Shivinsku (7:32)

Wilson Hendershot (8:56) Ann Marie Kurtz (7:36)

5th Grade

Keith Allen (5:42) Natalie Folgias (5:36)

Sean Baldi (6:06) Mary Kate Wegman (5:49)

Sean Killian (6:09) Sopha Mezkotowicz (6:02)

4th Grade

Matthew Dolan (5:39) Lezley Roberts (6:57)

Julian Braunstein (6:10) Grace Tag (7:06)

Daniel Hurley (6:53) Lezly Carrenza (8:25)

3rd Grade

Dondre Walker (7:12) Gianna Gullo (6:46)
Gerald Short (8:49) Chole Lauren (7:14)
JJ Heyward (9:51) Emma Spangler (7:55)
2nd Grade
Marquis Harris (5:32) Eleanor Daniels (7:53)
Niko Allein (7:07) Valentina Michno (7:54)
Vincent Benzin (7:38) Madeline Fussell (10:39)

A THANK YOU from NJHS:

National Junior Honor Society students would like to thank everyone that participated in our recent fleece collection. Student members were able to make 88 fleece blankets! These will make wonderful gifts for many babies and children who desperately need basic everyday items. It's wonderful to know that our generous donations will help make this season extra special.

SKI CLUB

I know that there have been a few interested in ski club at St. Andrew's. I have attached the price list again for you to take a look at. We would ski on Sundays in the morning. This club would be open to not just our students, but their families, friends, neighbors, etc. However, in order to have it, I need to have a count of 15. If you are still interested, please email me the number of people that would be in your party. Even if you have contacted me before, I just want to have a confirmation for numbers. It is about a 45 minute drive to Kissing Bridge and it is VERY family friendly. Having never skied before, they made me feel like I could do anything - no matter how many times I fell! They won't push you into anything either - which is very nice! It is a great way to try skiing out if you have never done it. If you have you are free to ski as you want. They give us 8 sessions and 6 of those sessions have one hour lessons for every level. So if you are interested, please let me know by Monday.

SNOW DAYS

Well we knew the chance was there for Monday to be ruined because of unsettling weather. Depending upon what station you listen to, we are still in for some kind of weather from slush to a foot of snow. Please remember to watch the major news stations (2, 4, or 7) for closing information. You can also listen to the major radio stations that pull the closing feeds from the news stations. As soon as I receive a call from the Ken-Ton district, I will send out a school messenger. I am working on getting phone calls added to the messenger as well. Remember is Ken-Ton closes, so do we. If we do have school on Monday, please be careful, dress the children appropriately, and don't rush. Take your time. I am not worried about people being late on weather days. Your lives are more important.

Have a wonderful and fabulous weekend! Stay warm and safe everyone!

Peace,

Mrs. P

