



Yippee! It's Emerald Auction Time again!

The Auction Procurement team is looking for help. We are recruiting parents who would be willing to donate items, or solicit businesses to donate gift certificates or products. We will need a few parents who can spend some time in the morning once a week to log in the items that have been committed to the auction. A few weeks prior to the event, parents will be needed to go out and pick up those items that have not been delivered to the school (if any). Finally, we are looking for help to assemble the hundreds (we hope) of items so generously donated by Friends of St. Thomas so that the Auction presentation will be perfect. **THANK YOU! LET'S MAKE SOME MONEY FOR OUR SCHOOL, EVERYONE!** Contact Maureen Muraski with any questions at 676-3917.

Book Fair Winners and Helpers

A BIG thank you to all students who entered a poster into the Book Fair Poster Contest. ALL of the entries were fantastic. GREAT JOB! And congratulations to the winners...

First Grade

First Place: Ciara White

Second Place: Mary Claire Mikolay

Second Grade

First Place: Anezka Kovarik

Second Place Tie: Julia LaVoie & Lauren Mary Mushinski

Third Grade

First Place: Maddie Zimelis

Second Place: Addison LaVoie

Fourth Grade

First Place Tie: Cameron Hunt and Lizzie VanderZee

Second Place Tie: Jessica Herold and Rachel Syrba

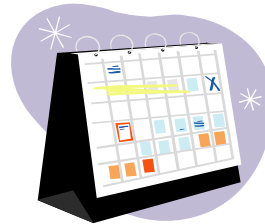
Fifth Grade

First Place Tie: Aubrey LaVoie and Luke Ens

Second Place: Molly McNeely

The Winner of the Monkey Candy Guessing Game was Max Aulbach. Congratulations Max!! The Actual number of candy in the jar was 486. Max's guess was 474.

Also, a HUGE thank you to all of the volunteers who made this year's Book Fair a success! Carla Klimp-VanDokkumburg, Rebecca Staggs, Tara Simonait, Angela Yondo, Sharon Aulbach, Kate Dykema, Tanya Molotky, Tammie Mushinski, Jennifer Clemens, Sue Heishetter, Mary Hunt, Paula Veneklase, Michelle Kane, Anne Crittenden, Lynne Benzer, Jennifer Firlit, Patty and Don Kennedy, Brad Shiel, Jake Fether, Matthew Fallon, Paul Veneklase and Zeke Skinner. **THANK-YOU, THANK-YOU, THANK-YOU !**



St. Thomas Christmas Vespers

Please mark your calendars for Wednesday, December 20th at 7:00 p.m., and join students in grades 4-8 for our annual Christmas Vespers service. Singers, ringers, choral readers and recorder players will lead us in a series of readings and music celebrating the prophecies and fulfillment surrounding the birth of our Lord. It's wonderful to enjoy the true meaning of Christmas. ~ Mrs. Kathy Proulx



A Special Thank You!

Thank you to Dave and Joni Poggi for hosting the final Parent Grade Gathering of the year for the 6th grade class! Please contact Jennifer Clemens at jmclemens8@comcast.net if you are interested in hosting next year.