

Newsy News

Conn-Area Catholic School



Applause! Applause!

Happiness is within. It has nothing to do with how much applause you get or how many people praise you. Happiness comes when you believe that you have done something truly meaningful. Martin Yan

In this month's issue I think a round of Applause is due for so many from the directors, actors and crews in Sister Act, JR., to the cheerleaders and basketball team along with their coaches, to the participants in the science fair, to creative writers, and to the habitat builders and to their teachers. They have all shared something truly meaningful, and for that Applause! Applause!



sixth grade appreciation

Addison and coaches Megan and Renee



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Josh, Scout, and Braden and coaches Lindsy, Chris and Matt

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SCIENCE FAIR

grades 4-6

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FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE

Bible verses

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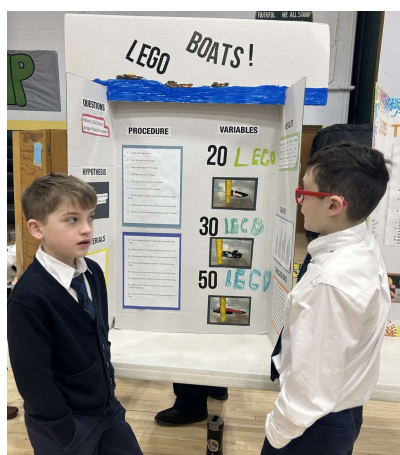
Animal Habitats

The students in grades 4-6 participated in the annual Science Fair that was held on January 28, 2025. The children worked through the scientific process to obtain their results. The Science Fair projects were very interesting, and the students enjoyed sharing the results of their hard work.

The second-grade class is exploring properties of matter. They were challenged to build a paper house that could support a large textbook. The challenge was successful!

Students in the third-grade class have been learning about the life cycles of plants and animals. We discussed how plants produce a fruit to provide a casing around their seeds. When the fruit drops from the plant or an animal consumes the fruit, the seeds can be dispersed, and the life cycle can begin again.

We began to select a Student Scientist of the Month this school year. This recognition is given to students who are working hard, completing assignments, and showing an interest in Science. Adelyn Bell was the Student Scientist of the Month for February. Past recipients include: Joshua DiPaola, Travis Snyder, Kalista Bryant, Kit Witt-Hess, and Brielle Dziurzynski.



The snowy month of February led to an exciting figurative language activity in fourth grade. The children wrote about a winter's day using either a simile, metaphor, personification, or hyperbole and finished with a drawing inside of a snow globe. It was a fun-filled learning activity!

In addition, February was the perfect month to write bible verses about love. The children chose a verse, wrote them on a heart and then decorated them. They also wrote ways they can show love to God and love to others. This tied in nicely with their unit on the *Ten Commandments*.



Figurative Language

