

MARCH Newsletter

The last few weeks have been very busy for all of us at Holy Family Academy!

Our annual Banquet/Auction held on March 9th was a great success, thanks to our two co-chairs Tara Cormier and Becky Worden and their team of volunteers. Over 100 tickets were sold and our hope is we will continue to see this event grow.

Tuesday, March 12th was our first annual Arts Night! Mrs. Corso, our art teacher, displayed the students work throughout the first and second floors, while our chorus sang on the first floor for forty minutes under the direction of Mrs. Darby, our music teacher. It was a lovely evening!

The 39th Annual Government Week was held March 18-22. Many local and state elected officials, members of Gardner City Council, the Mayor, and members of the Fire and Police departments spoke to the students in grades 4-8 on their roles within our city and beyond. Dr. David Perda, Superintendent of Schools in the Diocese of Worcester, also spoke to the students on the importance of being involved in the process of government. Thank you to Ron Cormier for all of his organization and work on this project.

The 12th Annual Chess Tournament was held on March 21st in the school. Thank you to Dr. John Worden for organizing and teaching our students the great skill of playing chess. There were 22 participants in the tournament. The overall top winner was Christian Gonzalez!

Kindergarten to grade 2 group:

Gold- Brooke Carr
Silver- Conlan Gauthier
Bronze- Henry Newton

Grade 3-5 group:

Gold- Nathan Snoonian
Silver- Wynn Carr
Bronze- Tai Sayarath

Grade 6-8 group:

Gold- Jaelynn Mucci
Silver- Nicholas Snoonian
Bronze- Anthony Krestyn
Congratulations to all!!!

March 27th- Spaghetti Supper 5-7pm lower church hall

On March 29th, Sam Burak- grade 8 will represent Holy Family Academy at the State Geography Bee. Good luck Sam!!

On March 30th- seven of our middle school students will compete in the annual Declamation Competition in Worcester.

As you can see, a very busy, but wonderful month!

Reminders:

Registrations are due, and if you are applying for any scholarships or grants, your child/ren must be registered to be considered.

April dates:

Monday, April 1st- Lenten Penance service grades 2-8

Wednesday, April 3rd- Science Fair 7-8 pm

Thursday, April 11th- Grade 6 Chrism Mass @ St. Paul's Cathedral

Friday, April 12th- Classroom retreats, Grade 8 Living Stations @ 10:45 am, early dismissal @ 11:30

April 15-19th Spring Break

April 22- No School

April 26th- Father/Daughter Dance