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Catholic Schools Week 2024

Catholic Schools Week is the annual national celebration of Catholic education.

This year's celebration ran January 29th through February 2nd and was filled with a spaghetti & trivia night, the student showcase, a day of service, the evening of light luminaria prayer walk, Mass with Bishop Steven Biegler and capped by a middle school dance.

It was a wonderful week focused on the value Catholic education, what it provides our students and its contributions to our church and community as a whole.

Thank you to all that made this week possible. Our parents, teachers, staff and community volunteers are the backbone of everything we do at St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School.



Middle School students play bingo with nursing home residents.



Above: 1st graders matched plastic eggs for an upcoming community Easter Egg Hunt.

Below: Middle School students pack food bags at Joshua's Storehouse.



Students in grades kindergarten-2nd grade made hot cocoa bags for local police officers, firefighters and EMS workers.

St. Anthony Young Authors Winners



We are so very proud of all of our students whose work was entered into this year's Young Authors Contest. We had quite a few winners across the board. Congratulations to the following:

Kindergarten

Fiction

1. Elliot Pridgeon
2. Colter Novotny
3. Andrew Fehringer

Non-Fiction

1. Simon Titus
2. Elliot Pridgeon
3. Evy Detrick

1st Grade

Fiction

1. Victoria Barritt

4th Grade

Non-Fiction

1. Lucas Titus

Poetry

1. Agnes Niglio
2. Jane Nicolaysen
3. Lola Martin

8th Grade

Fiction

1. Chance Harmon

Students Represent School at District Science Fair

Science is cool and Science Fairs are a wonderful way to showcase unique hands-on learning that could quite possibly spark a lasting interest!

This year's St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School's annual Science Fair played host to projects from students grades kindergarten through 8th.

All projects were judged and ten of our students' projects were chosen to represent St. Anthony's School and present their projects to the Natrona County School District Science Fair held annually at Casper College.

District ratings ranged from progressing and proficient to Best In Show, which was awarded to 4th graders Jane N. in Consumer Science and Lucas T. in Life Science. Fifth grader Oskar S. competed in the Physical Science category and won Best In Show, the Charles E. Wolf



St. Anthony's students at the Natrona County School District Science Fair held in January.

Award and Best In Show for all district science fair projects grades 4-8.

Finally, 8th grader Teo M. won Best in Show in Engineering Mechanics and was invited to the Wyoming State Science Fair, which takes place at the beginning of March in Laramie.

What an amazing experience! Congratulations to all!

Blue Envelope Health Fund

Thank you to the Blue Envelope Health Fund for a grant which allowed the purchase of two automated external defibrillators and a wall cabinet.

Wyoming Community Foundation




Thank you to the Wyoming Community Foundation for a \$5,000 grant supporting improvements for the school's backyard garden and landscaping.

“St. Anthony’s provides the best learning and family environment and helped me grow into the person I am today!”

-Elizabeth Pieper, Alumna

Why choose St. Anthony’s Tri-Parish Catholic School?

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Inaugural Middle School Speech & Debate Team Competes Statewide

By Mary Kubichek
Volunteer Speech & Debate Coach

This was the first year St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School had a Middle School competitive speech and debate team.

During the school's first trimester students focused on research and evidence analysis, logos, how to present themselves as credible speakers, ethos, and how to use persuasive arguments, pathos. They practiced and honed their skills on the topic "The US Supreme Court Justices should have term limits."

"The United States should increase its use of nuclear energy in the energy production center," was the competition topic released for the second semester. Debaters learned about fossil fuels, the development of fusion, the use of small modular reactors, thorium fuel and how to use these arguments in their affirmative and negative cases.

Each debater also competed in interpretation with a piece of literature. The team excelled in both debate and interpretation in statewide competitions and received compliments on their convincing arguments and cross examinations.

As the second trimester winds down, the team is preparing for an Intramural Tournament that will be judged by three outside judges who will name a Debate and Interpretation Competition winner.

"I am so proud of the skills they have mastered, their enthusiasm, their passion to learn, their "coachability", their humor, their extraordinary sportsmanship and their incredible kindness to each other and their competitors. Their level of preparedness and success exceeded all expectations."

Coming off an amazing first year, I am already excited for next year!



Coach Kubichek and the St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Speech and Debate Team (Trey G., Quinly F., Nate M., Maya T., Jack V. and Colin H.) at their first competition held at Natrona County High School .



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Partners In Education to be held March 16, 2024

Partners In Education (PIE) is St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Foundation's largest fundraiser in support of St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School. For the 2nd year in a row, our March 16th event is sold out thanks to the generosity of all our amazing sponsors and supporters.

The evening will include cocktails, dinner, a silent & live auction and a paddle raise. All monies raised will

be used to support current and future St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School students, so that they may achieve academically, grow spiritually and live a life rooted in faith.

This year's live auction is filled with exciting new items as well as some PIE favorites! We can't wait to see you there, as it promises to be a wonderful night in celebration and support of our school!

Memorial and Honorariums:

Memorial and Honorarium donations are beautiful tributes with a lasting legacy.

Since our last publication, the following individuals have been honored through memorial or honorarium gifts.

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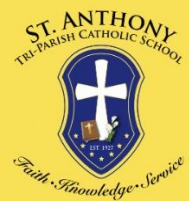
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2024

TUESDAY 23 SPRING PROGRAM
APRIL GRADES (3-5)- 6:30 PM

TUESDAY 21 5TH GRADE BAND & MIDDLE
MAY SCHOOL CONCERT- 6:30 PM

TUESDAY 28 8TH GRADE GRADUATION
MAY

WEDNESDAY 29 ALL-SCHOOL TRACK DAY AT
MAY NATRONA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

FRIDAY 31 SCHOLARSHIP CLASSIC GOLF
MAY TOURNAMENT - 1:00 PM

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We offer a comprehensive curriculum that focuses on academic excellence, character development and spiritual growth. Our teachers are passionate about teaching and are committed to student success.

At our school, students are encouraged to explore their interests and develop their talents in a supportive and inclusive community. We believe that every child has unique gifts and talents, and we strive to provide opportunities for them to shine.



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