

# The Rock Review

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY • PARADE OF SAINTS • SPORTS

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## Make a Difference Day

By: Anneliese Madson-Clemen, 5th grade

National Make a Difference Day is on the fourth Saturday of October. It's an amazing time when you can do lots of volunteer work to help others and the Earth. You really can make a difference! People have been doing this for 25 years (since 1992). You should have noticed all the inspirational quotes in the bathrooms. That was directed towards Make a Difference Day! Maybe your whole family can do something together. Be sure to help someone or the Earth on the 28th! Remember, even little things count.

### Some things you could do are:

- volunteering at Matthew 25
- picking up litter
- volunteering at an animal shelter
- helping a neighbor



## School Families

By: Brady Heybruch, 4th grade

At All Saints, we are very lucky to have school families. School families are named after different saints. Each school family has one or two students from each grade. This year our focus will be to spread joy to others in our school and community. School families help us make new friends while having fun!

“The bathrooms look great! They are colorful and it makes me feel happy when I go in. I like that moms and dads said all that about us. They must really love us a lot!”

-Adrian Dummond, Kindergarten

## Parade of Saints - Oct. 31st



The Parade of Saints is for students in kindergarten to second grade. Your child can dress up as any saint they want to be. Your child will walk around the gym. Parents may come if they would like to. Also their teacher might have a fun activity for them that day!

Audrey Detchon, 2nd grade

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## Read what these students have been working on in school:



Students in grades Kindergarten - 2nd enjoyed a visit from author, Marianne Richmond.

We've been learning about our 5 senses! We have a nose and ears and eyes. We can taste with our mouth. We tasted apples. My favorite was the red apple!

**Theresa Hudek, Kindergarten**

In Kindergarten we are learning Math, Writing and Letter sounds. Kindergarten is fun and special because you have a lot of new friends.

**Gianna Bailey, Kindergarten**

In first grade we are learning about wants and needs. Water, shelter, food, clothing and coats are needs. Needs are things that we need. Wants are toys and everything else.

**Gabriella Bonaventura, 1st grade**

In Mrs. Hazel's math class we are working on doubles. My favorite thing to do in 1st grade is our science experiments. I really liked the experiment with celery. We put it in colored water and saw the leaves turn to that color.

**Thomas Stigler, 1st grade**

I am learning about 1's, 10's and 100's in math. In science we are creating our own transportation. The Gaga Pit is really fun for recess!

**Sara Grace Cannon, 2nd grade**

Ms. Griffiths and Mrs. Hinton's class is very fun. In religion class we worked on making good choices versus bad choices. Math class is very exciting because we can use addition and subtraction to help solve real world problems. Our new spelling words are focused on double consonants and "ck".

**Paxton Dodsworth, 2nd grade**

In Miss Lawless's class, we are learning multiplication. Six times four means you add six four times. The daily five is really fun too. It's what we do for reading. In library, our class used the laptops for the first time. I love learning new things!

**Riley Pressler, 3rd grade**

The fourth graders are currently learning about the Lewis and Clark expedition in Social Studies. We just finished up a lesson on the rosary.

In science class, we are learning about volcanos, earthquakes, erosion and deposition. Fourth grade is a lot of fun so far, and I hope to have a great year!

**Quinn Bohmer, 4th grade**

*Fourth graders are collecting postcards from all 50 states!*

Right now we are learning about decimals in math. In social studies we are learning about ancient Indian tribes and in English we're preparing for a test on quotations. We are also reading the book *Wonder* with Mrs. Whyte, it is really good!

**Finn Hayes, 5th grade**



On Tuesday, October 17th we went to Lake Isabella for a river explorers field trip. We had so much fun fishing with nets and exploring the river bed. We found fossils and looked for creatures living in the shallow waters. Mr. Dienger had us wear old shoes, which was a great idea because our shoes got all wet! It was a great field trip.

**Audrey Bergmann, 6th grade**



## STUDENT WRITERS WANTED

If you are interested in writing for the Rock Review, please send an email to: [ASrockreview@zoho.com](mailto:ASrockreview@zoho.com).



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## STAFF SPOTLIGHT



### Ms. McDonald, 4th Grade

Written by: Maddie Nixon, 4th grade

Ms. McDonald is a fourth grade teacher. She has 3 dogs, 1 turtle, and 2 hedgehogs for pets. She likes to play basketball for fun. One fun fact about Ms. McDonald is that she was a National Champion in division 3 basketball. Her favorite sports team is any team in Cincinnati. She has 1 older sister and she loves cheesecake. Also, she went to Maple Dale for grade school. Her favorite trip she has taken was to Spain. One of the things she likes about our school is the people because they are nice.

## All Saints Students Visited Exciting Places in October!



*Miss Pike's and Ms. McDonald's classes took a trip to Recreations Outlet for having most class donations for the Shamrock-a-thon.*



*Some 8th graders visited the Taft National Historic Site. Here they are participating in a mock trial from when Taft was the Chief Justice.*



*The kindergarten classes enjoyed a beautiful morning at Shaw Farms in Milford. They each picked out their own little pumpkin!*

## GIRLS ON THE RUN

By: Kathleen Keehn, 3rd grade

All Saints has a girls on the run team made up of third and fourth graders. Girls on the Run is about learning to be healthy and to take care of yourself and others. On November 18th, the girls will walk/run a 5K. The girls also learn how to deal with certain problems like if a new kid is lonely and needs a friend. At the end of each lesson, we do energy awards to celebrate what the girls have accomplished during the lesson.



## Rocks Sports Update



By: Janie Rumley, 8th grade, Volleyball

I have had so much fun playing volleyball at All Saints because of the great volunteer coaches, friends, and competition. I have played volleyball for 6 seasons and I love playing with some of the same people every year as well as a few different players each year too! Because volleyball has been so much fun at All Saints, I decided to try out for a club team so I could keep playing all year. All Saints volleyball gave me the beginning skills to continue playing.

I look forward to playing in high school too! Our coaches are definitely preparing us well enough to beat the teachers!



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## ART GALLERY

Brooklynn Kinsley,  
1st grade



Mikey Palermo,  
3rd grade



Elise Razzano,  
2nd grade



Olivia Tinnemeyer,  
6th grade

Maria Martini,  
8th grade



Alex Held,  
4th grade



## Awards & Recognition



Congratulations to all students who earned a Shining Shamrock award over the past month! Here are just some of them:



## DINE & DONATE SUCCESS



Thanks to all who enjoyed Pizzeria Locale in Kenwood for the October Dine & Donate night! The PTO will receive a check for \$1076 from Pizzeria Locale!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to 7th grader, Elizabeth Steil, for winning the \$25 Target gift card from the Pizzeria Locale receipt contest!

### Next Dine & Donate Events:

11/8: Chipotle, 11257 Reed Hartman Hwy.

12/31: Envision, Cornell Rd.

1/17: Buffalo Wild Wings, Blue Ash



**CONGRATULATIONS** to the All Saints Golf Team for winning the cup back from St. Margaret of York in their Ryder Cup match. GO ROCKS!



**Visit 7th grader Brooke Hausfeld** at Books by the Banks at the Duke Energy Center on October 28th from 10 am-4 pm. She will be selling her books, *The Puppy Tooth Fairy* and *Visions of Light: A Christmas Story*, under her pen name, Piper Hawkins. She would love to see her classmates there! The admission is free.