

8th grade Newsletter

March 21, 2024

Spring break is finally here. I think we are all in need of a break. I hope when we get back, your students are ready to work hard and finish the year strong.

Attached is the itinerary for our St. Louis trip. I have only received one signed permission slip. They must bring it to me on Monday, April 1 when we leave or they do not get to participate in the field trip.

On Thursday, April 4, we will tour the high school and register for our classes. Make sure you have discussed class choices with your students before then so they are ready to talk to the guidance counselors.

A shout out to Mrs. Wissel's and Miss. Harpenau's religion classes who performed the Living Stations of the Cross for our school these past two Fridays of Lent. They did a fantastic job in humbling displaying Jesus' suffering and death on the cross. We rejoice that this is not the end and that Easter is coming!

The adventures you all have planned for next week sound exciting! I pray that you all have safe travels and memorable experiences with your families and friends. I'll be anxious to hear all the stories and share in their excitement when we return!

SMS Trivia Night- Get a team of six together and try your hand at Movie, TV, Music & Sports Trivia on <u>Saturday, April 6</u>. Sign-in is at 6pm and trivia starts at 7:15pm at the Elks. Contact Eric Ikemire with questions or to sign up a team. This was a BLAST last year!

Have a relaxing and refreshing break!

Next Week in Class

Math- Begin chapter 9- Geometry Social Studies- Topic 13-4, Division & Inequality-1920's English - Flowers for Algernon, Prob./Sol. Essay, Grammar Science - Eclipse Religion - Easter

Calendar of Events

March 25-April 1-Spring Break/Washington D.C Trip!

April 1-2- 8th grade trip to St. Louis

April 2-Classes resume

April 4- Spring picture day

April 17-4th Qtr Midterm

May 3- SMS Dance

March 13- Sports Banquet- Girls basketball, volleyball, track

May 16-8th grade luncheon and graduation