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Archbishop comes to visit AOLG...

By: Kaitlyn Stobnicki 8C
On October 20th, The Academy of Our Lady of Grace was blessed to be visited by, Su Excelencia Salvador Piñeiro G.C. from Ayacucho, Peru. In honor of the Archbishop's visit, we had a special assembly that included



all of the kindergarten to eighth grade classes.

At the assembly, the students presented the Archbishop with special songs, dances and a speech that they practiced with Sister Joyothi. At the end of the assembly, Archbishop greeted each class and blessed the students and teachers.

On Sunday, October 23rd at the 9:00 mass, the Archbishop expressed how honored he was to be a part of our school during his visit. He spoke about the cross he wears around his neck that was given to him by Pope Benedict.

The Academy of Our Lady of Grace was blessed and so honored by this memorable visit by the Archbishop, Su Excelencia Salvador Pineiro.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 11/17 Breakfast of Champions (1T)
- 11/18 Breakfast of Champions (2K)
- 11/22 Breakfast of Champions (3L)
- 11/22 Thanksgiving Mass at 7:00 in the evening
- 11/29 Breakfast of Champion (Prek4S)

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR OCTOBER

- Pre-K2 Antonio Lindsley
- Pre-K3 Emme Gonzalez
- Pre-K3 Matthew Rodriguez
- Pre-K4 Francesca Wietecha
- Pre-K4 Vasiliki Papageoriou
- KC- Charles Mascarenhas
- KS- Edison Rodriguez
- 1C- Brianna Gonzalez
- 1T- Nyla Diaz
- 2K- Veronica Vargas
- 2B- Sophia Zhuma
- 3L- Viviana Diaz
- 3M- Adryanna Segarro
- 4P- Elijah Weintraub
- 4N- Issack Salazar
- 5I- Nicholas Lahoz
- 6G- Luca Phillipy
- 7A- Amira Walcott
- 8C- Nicole Ronquillo



Third Grade Fairview Fire Prevention Contest

by Amira Walcott

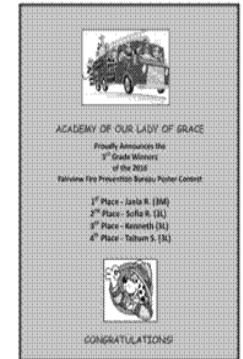


Earlier this month was Fairview's Fire Prevention. One of the things our third grade classes did to participate was making a poster that reflected this year's theme "Don't Wait, Check the Date." The students were allowed to draw, color, and or paint pictures that show the importance of checking the date on your smoke alarms. It is always important to check the smoke alarms and replace them every 10 years. The students that won were awarded a fire truck ride from the Fairview Fire Department and the class was treated to a delicious pizza party.

Congratulations to the following winners:

- 1st Place- Jaele R. (3M)
- 2nd Place- Sofia R. (3L),
- 3rd Place- Kenneth U. (3M)
- 4th Place- Taitum S. (3L)

Both classes worked hard and did a great job. All of the students in both classes had lots of anticipation for this contest. They enjoyed a special assembly where they learned a lot on fire safety and were especially excited when they got to meet firefighters at their pizza party. They were also excited to have a chance at getting a



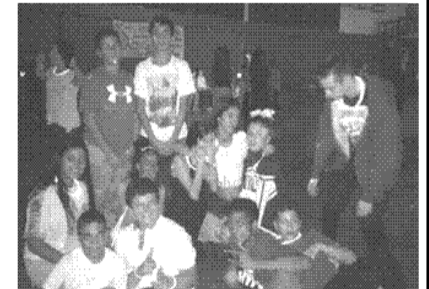
The First Dance of the Year

By Anastasia F

On October 14, 2016 the Academy of Our Lady of Grace held its first "Back to School" dance. The dance was hosted by the eighth grade as an attempt to help raise money for this years activities. This was a special event as it is the first dance of the school year.

This was also AOLG's first glow in the dark dance. Students were given glow sticks which they used as necklaces, bracelets, and crowns. Students were also allowed to bring one guest who doesn't attend our school to the party. "I was so happy that I spent time with my class and met their friends." said eighth grader Heather. Our DJ, Damien Guach, made the event even more enjoyable as he played all of our favorite songs. Over 100 people attended and the eighth grade raised over 1,000 dollars!

On behalf of the eighth grade, I would like to thank Mrs. D'Amico, Fr. Peter, Mr. Bravo, and everyone who helped make this event happen. It was very enjoyable and great start to all the events to



A Spooky Fun Halloween Day

At the Academy of Our Lady of Grace

On Saturday, October 29th the gymnasium was transformed into a monster mash full of exciting Halloween fun for everyone. The day was divided into three spooky Halloween parties. The students had a fantastic time dressing up as their favorite characters and participating in the many prepared activities. Some of the most popular activities were the sand art, face painting, riding the fun hayride around town, picking a pumpkin from the pumpkin patch and of course dancing. Each party had tables displayed with delicious food for everyone to enjoy,

During the Halloween Dance the students in grades fifth through eighth enjoyed a scary tour through the Haunted Hallway designed by our YCT members. Each year many look forward to this fun addition to the Halloween Event. Everyone had a spooktacular time and



Under the Sea at AOLG

By Faustino Quiles

Many months of hard work and dedication finally paid off on Friday October 21st when it was the opening night of the YCT's annual play, *The Little Mermaid*. This performance took place from Friday, October 21st through Sunday October 23rd. Each night the gymnasium was filled with many families and friends that came to see the talent come to life right before our eyes.

From the singing to the acting to all of the wonderful dances, these amazing young people shined the stage. People look forward to our YCT productions each year, but this performance was a special because it was dedicated to a very special angel, Mary Reed who continues to love and inspire on our talented young students.

The Little Mermaid was a great performance that got better each night. Everyone enjoyed coming to see the play and thought it was one of the best YCT productions ever.



Pumpkins, Pumpkins, Everywhere

By: Amira Walcott-7A

On Wednesday October 26, the Academy of Our Lady of Grace held its 2nd Annual Pumpkin Contest. This year there was a little twist to the pumpkin fun. After the contest was held the pumpkins were being sold for a price of \$15 each. The money that was raised will be going to a school assembly for all to enjoy this school year.



This contest had the whole school participating to create the best Halloween decorated pumpkin. Each class did an amazing job. Some of the pumpkins looked just like the character that was designed. The pumpkins were judged by six parents. The judges had a rating scale with numbers from 1 to 5 with 5 being the best.

In first place was Ms. Joia's PreK-3 class with the "Rainbow Fish." In second place was Ms. Rutkowski's 4th grade class with "Popcorn and Movie Treats." Final in third place was Ms. Raddi's 2nd grade class with Blueberry Bird. After the contest was held and the judging was over, all the pumpkins were put up for sale. So in the end, everyone won!



Calling All Champions

By Gabriel 6G

The Breakfast of Champions is a popular school event for parents to enjoy with their child.

During the month of October and November, parents in all grades are invited to attend a lesson given by their child's teacher while enjoying a special breakfast with their child.

For example, the parents of the sixth grade class experienced a lesson in our new science lab. The experiment was mixing different components together and everyone had fun. The components used in the lab was soil, sand and gravel. The students first used a tool to weigh each substance by 10 grams and then they mixed each component together and swiffed the soil.

Breakfast of Champions is a great experience and opportunity for the parents to see how well their child is engaged in school. Many of the parents were thrilled with what they saw. Thank you to all the teachers for their fantastic lessons.

AOLG Brings Pumpkins to Life

In the month of October, each class was given a pumpkin. The classes were then given the task of creating their very own pumpkin character. Everyone did an amazing job with their class pumpkin. Some of the pumpkins that stood out was the pumpkin that was wearing an AOLG gym shirt, the snowman carrying its head, Pete the Cat, and Rainbow Fish just to name a few.

Each class worked very hard as a team and this was a great experience to show team value. Congratulations to all the classes that won.

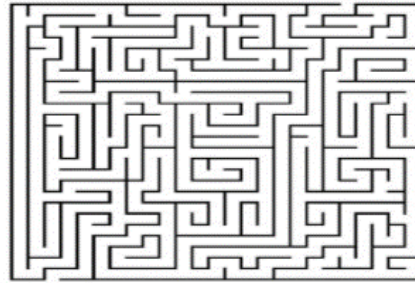


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Halloween Maze

Can you help the spider find her way through the maze to her web?



Can you find the five hidden



- 1 = dark orange
- 2 = dark green
- 3 = pale green
- 4 = tan
- 5 = dark gray
- 6 = light gray
- 7 = light orange
- 8 = brown



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR
OCTOBER BABIES

Pre-K3	Kindergarten	Second Grade	Fourth Grade	Sixth Grade
10/10 Deanna C.	10/13 Christopher V.	10/15 Ishitha M.	10/10 Olivia J.	10/4 Jaiden N.
10/14 Andrea C.	10/15 Maximilliano A.	10/23 Abigail A.	10/13 Andre G.	Seventh Grade
10/26 Lea K.	10/17 Emily C.	10/26 David P.	10/19 Francesca G.	10/5 Azieja Q.
Pre-K4	10/23 Blake V.	Third Grade	Fifth Grade	10/5 Caroline H.
10/8 Talia P.	10/28 Jaden C.	10/8 Vanessa F.	10/7 Sean M.	10/18 Ryan O.
10/8 Gennaro R.	10/30 Brooke J.	10/11 Valeria P.	10/17 Jason M.	Eighth Grade
10/16 Cristiano O.	First Grade	10/13 Miranda P.	10/18 Sabrina R.	10/4 Nicole R.
	10/16 Leah H.	10/16 Dylan C.	10/25 Aidan P.	
	10/17 Gianna B.			
	10/22 Leah P.			
	10/28 Valentina G.			