

North American M A R T Y R S C a t h o l i c S c h o o l



It seems on dreary days like today that everyone is a little less on the ball and a little more sluggish. Sometimes, I think God allows us to be like that so we take some time to slow down. I talked to a person on the phone today and she said she loves these days to be days to curl up on the couch and read a good book, but she's at work. :) I said that sounds wonderful, and it helped me reflect on how important it is to enjoy life even in the midst of working. We all have a lot to be thankful for but when we are moving 500 miles per hour on a regular basis, it can be hard to take the time to do it. It's supposed to be raining quite a bit tomorrow too. Take some time today and tomorrow to thank God for the many blessings you receive. You might find He's been waiting to hear from you. Maybe these dreary days can become ones that bring us closer to Our Father! God bless you, Sr. Janelle

PLEASE NOTE! This year's Christmas concert will be Dec 11th for A-L, and Dec 12th for M-Z.

Cross Country

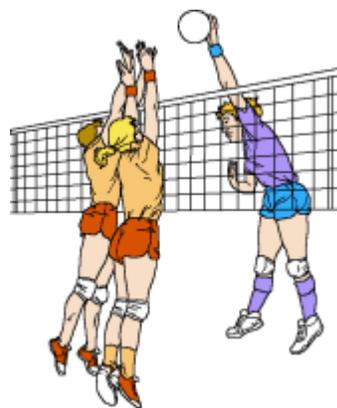
Practice at Seacrest Park at 6:30pm: **Thursday, October 5th**
CC Meet at Roper Park: **Saturday, October 7th (9am girls, 9:30am boys)**



Girls' Volleyball Schedule

Tuesday, Oct 10th:

At Cathedral
6:45pm Cathedral 7 vs. NAM Burgundy
At St. Peter
6:45pm—St. Peter Black 7 vs. NAM Gray 7
At College View Academy
6pm—NAM 8 vs. St. John Gold 8



::Game Change:: Please note, Volleyball team Gray 7 will be playing their October 10th game at **6:45pm**, still at St Peters gym.

Important dates:

Saturday, Oct 7—
Pumpkin Run
Martyrs' Craft Fair and
Car Show 9am-3pm

Monday, Oct 9—
No School

Tuesday, Oct 10—
Martyr's Night out at
Chipotle downtown
4pm-8pm

Monday, Oct 16th—
No school
Last Day to order
Martyrs T-Shirt

Attention Cross Country and Volleyball Athletes! Please join us for a pizza party on Monday, Oct. 23rd from 6pm to 6:45pm in the school cafeteria! Also, please return your uniforms to the office beforehand.



North American Martyrs PTO 1st **Annual Trunk or Treat** will be Sunday October 29th, starting at 4:00PM in the NAM Parking Lot. What is Trunk or Treat you ask? Trunk or Treat lets you the turn the trunk of your car or truck into a trick or treat station and pass out candy to the kids! Decorate your trunk, wear a costume, or just come as you are for a great time! Prizes will be awarded for the Best Decorated Trunks and Kona Ice will be there selling either shaved ice or hot cocoa depending on the weather! In order to make this a great event, we are hoping for a lot of “trunk stations”. We encourage you to pre-register for a trunk spot by signing up using the signup genius or contacting Kim Dalton, home@ckdalton.com or call/text at 402-416-2016. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050a49aead22a64-martyrs2>



Martyrs Shirts, T-Shirts, and Sweatshirts can now be ordered through October 16! Please use this link: https://stores.inksoft.com/north_american_martyrs

Due to having so much FUN, we will move the Monday Pawns and Knights chess club to Tuesday Oct 10 and Oct 17 the next two weeks at the same 3:15 – 4:15. I understand that this may not work for some parents' and students' schedules, but if it works, please come. We will go back to Mondays starting on Oct 24. God bless, Fr. Connor and his awesome team of helpers



Above: Second grade releases their butterflies after reading *The Hungry Caterpillar*.