

Monthly Classroom Highlights

St. Joseph School

School Year 2007—2008



Featured Grade of the Month: Seventh Grade

Upcoming Academic Highlights:

*The Revolutionary War is being studied in the 7th Grade History class. In addition to the text book, they are reading “*My Brother Sam is Dead*” where the students are keeping a journal of their interpretations of quotes made by characters in the book. In November, the students will research and write a report on a battle from the Revolutionary War.

*Science class entails many fun and interesting experiments such as growing and studying bacteria cultures from various locations around the school. The seventh grade tradition is to dissect frogs at the end of the year.

*In Math, as an Archdiocesan requirement, the students are preparing for 8th Grade Algebra. They are learning about integers and balancing equations.

*The Seventh grade Religion class is saying a rosary weekly to honor the “Month of the Rosary”, for October. They will also be studying the Mysteries portrayed in the stained glass windows of the Church.

Upcoming Academic Highlights:

* In Geography, the students are studying the weather and climate. Their upcoming focus will be a map study on North America, Central America, South America and Western Europe.

*French or Spanish is studied by the 7th Graders, with fun exercises given to learn the language.

Field Trips Scheduled:

10/11/07: Students visited a Corn Maze with the 6th & 8th Grade

2008: A trip is planned for the Bristol Historical Society for the program “Made in Bristol”.

Spring 2008: Seventh Grade annual trip to Boston which includes a visit to Fenway Park, a Duck Tour, a historical overview on Boston, and Quincy Market.

Community Service:

The 7th Graders are “Special Friends” with the 3rd Grade. The 3rd Grade will join the 7th Graders in studying the stained glass windows of the Church and what they represent.

Seventh Grade Snapshots



Next Months Featured Grade: 6th Grade

