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St. Theresa Book Fair

Thank you to all those who attended the book fair on Friday, December 4, at the Barnes & Noble in River Oaks. It was a great success with many exciting visitors. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Sentmanat, sounded wonderful singing a variety of Christmas carols. Mrs. Ilski read two delightful stories to our little ones, and Santa brought many smiles as he listened to children's wish lists while posing for photos. Thanks to Mrs. Vig special artwork created by our very talented students which was visible throughout the store. What a marvelous way to celebrate the Christmas season with this fun-filled community event!



Please join our Facebook page to see all the latest events going on at St. Theresa!





December Birthdays

FABIOLA P.-DECEMBER 1 HUDSON V.-DECEMBER 1 LORENZO V.-DECEMBER 1 GARRET Y.-DECEMBER 1 CHARELES M.-DECEMBER 3 MICHAEL C.- DECEMBER 7 CHASE M.-DECEMBER 7 MILAS C.-DECEMBER 7 ANTHONY H.-DECEMBER 9 RODRICK S.-DECEMBER 9 SARAH S. - DECEMBER 9 VARICK W.-DECEMBER 9 LAURA V.-DECEMBER 13 DIEGO E.-DECEMBER 14 CHRISTOPHER B.-DECEMBER 17 OLIVER B.- DECEMBER 20 SASHA D.- DECEMBER 20 THOMAS G.-DECEMBER 20 **KALEB G. DECEMBER 22 CATHRINE M.-DECEMBER 22 JUDE W.-DECEMBER 28 CECILIA R.-DECEMBER 29 LOGAN H.-DECEMBER 30 JACKSON R. DECEMBER 30**





Christmas Traditions

By: Natalia and Katarina

The year has come to a point when we start celebrating Jesus. Even when it is his birthday, we are the ones who get presents, and in return, we celebrate him, his mercy, and his love. Here are a couple things we can do to show Jesus a fraction of how much we love him:

Send a holiday card to your cousins or grandparents

Make ornaments

Go green (recycling, planting trees...)

Share traditions with friends

Go through your room and put together a give-away box

Spread sweetness

Make or buy an advent calendar

Spread cheer

Make thank you cards to everyone who has helped you throughout the year

Go caroling

Watch a holiday movie

Bake cookies for Santa

Last, but not least, have fun! Give thanks to Jesus for everything he has done for you.





December Zoo Lights

LOCATION

The Houston Zoo 6200 Hermann Park Drive Houston, TX 77030 (713) 533-6500

Prices and Ticket Purchase

Value Nights: Member \$9.95 Non-Member \$14.95

Prime Nights: Member \$14.95 Non-Member \$19.95

Children 1 and Under - FREE

Online ticket sales end at 5 p.m. for that night; after 5 p.m., get your tickets at the gate.

This is a separate event from general Zoo admission.

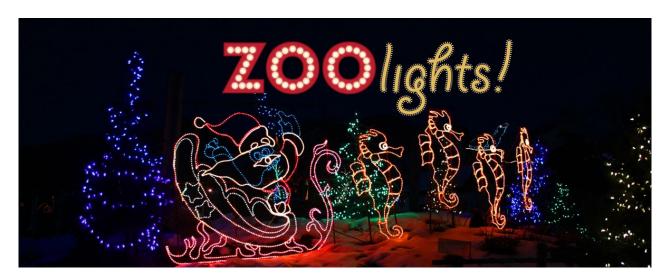
The Zoo closes for the day at 5:00 p.m. and re-opens at 6:00 p.m.

Parking and Free Shuttle

The Zoo's Medical Center entrance will not be open, so be sure to go to the main entrance. Parking lots near the Zoo's main entrance fill quickly. A later arrival (8 p.m. rather than 6 p.m.) may improve your parking options.

Our overflow parking lot is at 7100 William C. Harvin – Entrance 35. Parking is \$10 per car. Free shuttle, easy in, easy out! Last parking entry at 9 p.m

November 20, 2015 – January 9, 2016 Closed December 24 & 25



By Maddie Ethridge

Art Corner

By Mrs. Vig's Middle School Art Class









Favorite Video Games

Antonio Gutierrez and Ryan Torres

We asked people around the school what their favorite video games are and here are the results from the people we asked. We think these are all incredible games. We all like exciting adventure games. It's up to you to choose your exciting games.

James-Destiny

Sammy-Halo 3

Jonathan- Dragon City

Kyle-NBA 2k16

Isabella-Fifa 16

Anthony-Fifa 16

Aiden-Black Ops 3

Jeff-Black Ops 2

Maurico-Madden 16

Gabe-Disney Infinity

Ella- Destiny

Cielo- Madden

Evan-Super Smash Bros

John-Madden 16

Rafael-Super Smash Bros

Milano- Agario

Diego-Star Wars Battlefront

Hudson-Dragonvale

Bishop-Jurassic World





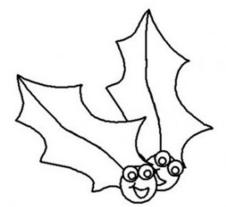




By:Ninfa L.aurenzo

Christmas Word Search

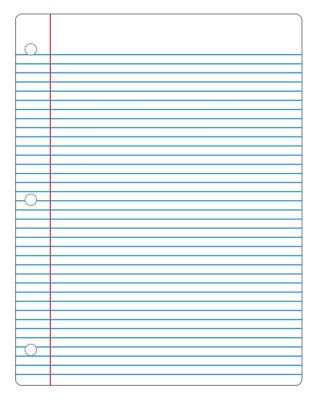
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Decorate the tree>

MAKE YOUR WISHLIST





Sports

Basketball

By James Gibson and Patrick Martinez

Basketball is a team sport. Two teams of five players try to score the ball into a hoop that is elevated 10 feet above the ground. Basketball is one of the most popular and viewed sports in the world. A team can score two points by shooting the ball through the basket during regular play or one point from the foul line. There is also a three point line where any basket made beyond that line are worth three points.

There are positions in basketball, just like any other sport. Traditionally, the taller and stronger players of a team are called a center and/or a power forward. While slightly shorter players who possess the ball handling skills are called a point guard or shooting guard. Overall basketball is a very fun sport to play! You should try it!

Vikings Sports Photos



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