

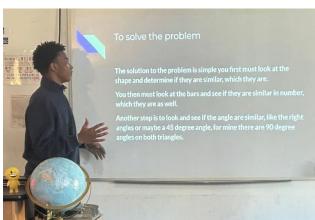
The Nativity North Star

March 25, 2024

Pi Day - March 14th

How many digits of Pi do you know? Jyrell Bergland, 7th grader, impressed us all with a whopping 87 digits which earned him the opportunity to pie the Head of School, Jay Goldrick. The student from each grade who knew the most digits also earned the privilege of tossing a pie at a faculty member and participating in a fun Nativity tradition.





8th grader, Trent Latimer, is explaining to his classmates the math problem he created focused on triangle congruency and similarity.

Speaking of Math

Nativity students engage with mathematical concepts through the enVision Mathematics curriculum and achieve proficiency that exceeds state standards for their grade level. The goals of the program are to learn procedures and methodologies to solve problems, build critical thinking skills, and develop fluency. Students also make connections between curricular content and real world problems through project-based learning.

Meanwhile in Science



7th graders are observing evidence of primary and secondary succession (moss, lichen, small plants, etc.) as a part of an ecosystem unit in science class.



Succession is the re-establishment of a species after they have been cleared out due to a natural or manmade event.



The 8th grade is observing the solubility and reaction with iodine of different baking ingredients as a part of a unit-long chemistry lab.



Young Alum Open Gym Night

On March 13th, Nativity hosted an open gym evening for alumni from the Claver, Arrowsmith, Cuffee, Temple, and Douglass classes - at least one alum from each of those classes attended the event. The current high school and college students enjoyed basketball, pizza, and camaraderie.

Alumni from the Douglass class also

came back last Friday to join us for fun-night, which all recent alums are welcome to do!

Congratulations!

Every month boys who demonstrate the characteristics of a Nativity gentleman are recognized during morning assembly.



The Buttonwood Park Zoo Fish Bowl Fundraiser

Thanks to sponsorship by the Baldwin Brothers Inc., faculty and students had a fun afternoon bowling at Wonder Bowl and supporting a great cause - the Buttonwood Park Zoo! Thank you, Baldwin Brothers Inc.!



Guest Speaker Series

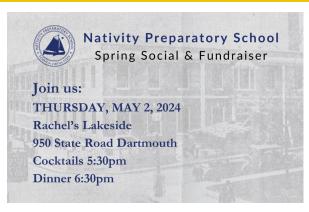
Local professional photographer, Peter Pereira, inspires the boys with his personal and professional journey and photographs. You can check it out on our YouTube channel @NativityPrepSchoolNB.



Upcoming Events

Purchase your tickets <u>here</u>. Can't attend? You can sponsor an alum's attendance.







Thank you to our Spring Social Sponsors

The Cooper Family







Important Family Reminders

<u>Nativity Merchandise</u> is available for purchase on our website.

<u>The Admissions process</u> for the 2024-2025 school year is underway. Share the word with your friends and neighbors. More information is available on our website.

<u>4 in 2024</u> - Please sign up with Ny-Jah Eastman to complete your four hours of service.

<u>Student Fees</u> - Can be paid online on our website. Questions? Please contact Christine Quirk.

<u>Update your contact info</u> - We want to stay in touch! Just drop a line to Christine at cquirk@nativitynb.org or Ny-Jah at neastman@nativitynb.org

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Mark Your Calendars

Thursday, March 28 - NO Dress Down Day Cards
Friday, March 29 - **NO SCHOOL** - Good Friday
Monday-Friday April 1-5 - SPIRIT WEEK
Saturday, April 5 - MABACH 9:00am - 2pm Bishop Stang High School
Tuesday, April 9 - Flag Football Game 4:30pm
Friday, April 12 - Field Trip Friday

Monday - Friday April 15-19 - **NO SCHOOL** - Spring Break Saturday, April 27 - SloGrass Band in the Living Room 5:30pm

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