



Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter: 05/26/2023



5th Grade

Teacher's Message/Announcements

- We are getting ready for our last CBG party, which will be held on Monday, June 5. We will send out a Sign-Up Genius this weekend, requesting snacks for the students to “purchase” with their CBGs. We greatly appreciate all the support you have provided this year for this very special event each quarter!
- Students were given information about middle school Student Council elections. Please see the handout for information.

Calendar/Important Dates

- **Monday, 5/29:** No School -Memorial Day
- **Tuesday, 5/30:** Dodecahedron Project is due
- **Wednesday, 5/31:** Quiz on diagramming sentences (VIE 9.3 and 9.4)
- **Thursday, 6/1:** Test on the Beatitudes
- **Friday, 6/2:** Field Day (water bottle, sun screen, blue/gold wear)
- **Monday, 6/5:** Last CBG Party and End-of-Fifth Grade Party

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Social Studies

We have been focusing on the causes of the Civil War. In class this week we will be learning about some key figures of the Civil War.

Math

We will be reviewing math concepts this week and solving composite volume problems.

*Students will need to complete (mastery level) Khan Academy *Add and Subtract Fractions*, *Multiplying Fractions*, and *Algebraic Thinking* by the end of the 4th quarter.

* Please practice the basic multiplication facts at home or in the car coming to and from school. Knowing your multiplication facts is a vital skill that students will be needing for success in math in school and in daily life.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

This week students continued learning how to diagram sentences and worked on the Dodecahedron project. They also wrote the rough draft of their short story.

Next week, we will have a quiz on diagramming sentences (subject, verb, subject complements, prepositions, and modifiers) and will continue to write their short stories. They will also present their fourth quarter IRAs.

Religion

This week students recited the last four Beatitudes this week and they will have a test on all the Beatitudes next week.

Science

We will be focusing on science in the news, especially engineering and technological discoveries and advances.