



THE “ADALBERT INQUIRER”

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DON'T FORGET:

IF BEREA CITY SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED DUE TO BAD WEATHER, SO IS THE ACADEMY OF SAINT ADALBERT!

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Spotlight...

A Seventh Grader with a Big Heart

By Maggie Wetter

We all know that an unfortunate accident happened just a few months ago. One of our students, Charlie Kho, passed away on Tuesday, October 18, 2011.

Charlie valued his faith and his actions always reflected his Catholic education. For example he always wore dress clothes to church. Since he always dressed up, we sold ties that were black with a pink monogram. We asked for a minimum amount of ten dollars per tie. The money raised is being used for his family and to make a Charles Kho Memorial.

His wake was held in the Keller Center and a lot of past teachers and Deacon John, our past principal, came. His wrestling team was also there. A journal was passed around at his wake so people could write their favorite memories of him. There was also a slideshow of pictures and he was always smiling. A funeral was held a few days later.

Please donate money to the Charles Kho Fund!

The Spaghetti Dinner by Savannah Meyer

There have been a few fundraisers over the past quarter, but the most successful one was the Spaghetti Dinner.

At the Spaghetti Dinner there were about three-hundred people who attended. For the basket raffle there were twenty-three baskets and the school made \$1,800.00. The most popular basket was the Principal for the Day, and the winner was Emily Wetter in

second grade.

There was Italian music playing and the tables had red table cloths on them. Instead of spaghetti they served rigatoni. The meatballs were from Bucci's and the salad was from Olive Garden. I really felt like I was in a real Italian restaurant.

The parish and the school came to the dinner. It was fun

catching up with old friends and old teachers. The best part was the teachers served you!

Thanks to all the volunteers the Spaghetti Dinner was a success.

Catholic Schools Week Events January 29 - February 5

Sunday - We Celebrate our Alumni

Family Mass @ 11:30am

Open House & Reception

Monday - We Celebrate Service to Others

PTU Toboggan Night

Tuesday - We Celebrate our Parents

Lunch with parents and grandparents 11:30-12:30

Wednesday - We Celebrate our Teachers

Lunch provided for faculty and staff by PTU

Thursday - We Celebrate our Students

Dress Down Day

Bowling Field Trip for all students - 10:00 - 1:00

Friday - We Celebrate Academics

Dress Up Day & School Mass 8:30am

"Are You Smarter Than An 8th Grader" Competition 1:00pm

Small School with a Big Heart
After School Activities
Interesting Special Classes
Nice Teachers
Technology in all classrooms

Artistic
Dedicated Education
Always living the Gospel
Lively Classrooms
Best School
Every Student is Unique
Ready to Succeed
The best principal ever!

By Maggie Wetter



The Celebration by Cole Aiton

In two years St. Adalbert will celebrate its 140th anniversary years of education for years to come. This is a once in a lifetime event and its something you can't miss.

The school has gone through many years of construction. So, get your camera, grab your clothes, and make those memories! This is the history of the school:

The Academy of St. Adalbert, founded in 1874 by Polish immigrants in Berea, has served families in the

southwest suburbs of Cleveland for 138 years.

The construction began in April, 1874 which started a new generation of Catholicity. Eventually, St. Adalbert celebrated its 100th anniversary in 1974.

This school is known for fun activities, great employment, education and amazing teachers with the best treatment you'll ever see.

So, if you're feeling miserable at your school, then move to St. Adalbert.

If you are a student of the Academy of Saint Adalbert, congratulations on being part of a Small School with a Big Heart!



ASA Sports by Savannah Meyer

The volleyball season is over and there are a few people that need to be thanked for their hard work besides the girl's volleyball players.

This article is dedicated to Karen and Sharon for letting the girl's volleyball team practice in their backyard. Whenever the team was over Karen and Sharon also made them dinner after their exhausting practice. The

girls' volleyball team wants them to know that they are very grateful for their kindness and generosity.

Now that the volleyball season is over the basketball season has begun. There is a boy's and a girl's team. One of the 6th grade girls reported some information about how the girls season is going. She told us that there are currently five players on the team. They

have won no games so far and have lost five. The coach this year of the girl's basketball team is Mr. Mangano.

We wish both the boy's and the girl's team good luck for the rest of the season and hope they win some games!

Get to know teachers at ASA...

Mrs. Kubicina - Pre-school

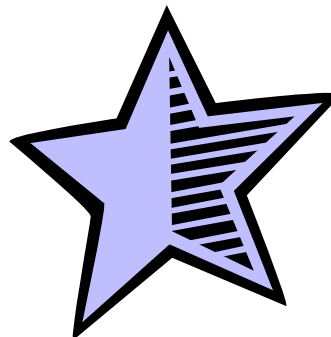
1. In pre-school they are currently planning a field trip to the rainforest.
2. Her favorite thing to teach the children is how to write their name.
3. Her favorite thing to learn is sign language.
4. She went to college at Kent State University.
5. She has been teaching for four years.
6. She hasn't taught any other grade besides pre-school.
7. Her favorite grade to teach is pre-school, she loves it!
8. She currently has nine children in her three year old class, ten in the four year old class and six in the pre-k class.
9. Before she came to ASA she taught at Head Start in Cleveland.
10. Her favorite food is pizza.
11. In her spare time she likes to go shopping.
12. Her favorite activity to do with her class is read stories.
13. Her favorite subject when she was in school was Spanish.
14. Her least favorite subject is history.
15. The thing that means the most to her is her son.
16. She wanted to become a teacher because she loves young children.

Mrs. Bates - 2nd Grade

1. In the 2nd grade class they are planning to go on a field trip to the nature center and to see a play.
2. Her favorite thing to teach is all subjects.
3. Her favorite thing to learn is stories.
4. She went to college at Baldwin Wallace.
5. She has been teaching for three years.
6. She has only taught 2nd grade.
7. Her favorite grade to teach is 2nd.
8. She currently has 15 students in her class.
9. Her favorite food is pizza.
10. In her spare time she likes to play with her son Jack.
11. Her favorite activity to do with her class is science.
12. She doesn't have a favorite subject, she loves them all.
13. The things that mean the most to her in her life are her son and her husband.
14. She wanted to become a teacher because her mom was a 2nd grade teacher.

Mrs. Louis - 3rd Grade

1. In the 3rd grade class they are planning to go on a field trip to Berea Towers.
2. Her favorite subject to teach is math.
3. She went to college at Notre Dame.
4. She has been teaching for 12 years.
5. She has taught 1st and 3rd grade.
6. Her favorite grade to teach is 3rd grade.
7. She currently has 15 students in her class.
8. In her spare time she likes to play with her sons and her husband and sing karaoke.
9. She likes to do crafts and do small group activities.
10. Her favorite subject is spelling.
11. Her least favorite subject is social studies.
12. The thing that means the most to her is her family.
13. She wanted to become a teacher because she likes spending time with kids.



**ASA Teachers
are the STARS of
our school!**



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A Word from your Student Council President...

Student Council has been working hard these past few months. With the efforts of our dedicated members, we have completed several service projects. Student Council has worked in helping better our community and our school.

In October, not many events were being hosted by Student Council. As new members were getting oriented, we helped to run the "Little Witches" room at the Halloween dance. The Little Witches room was a place for small children to participate in fun games and activities so they wouldn't be overwhelmed at the dance.

In November, we hosted a food drive throughout the whole school in order to assist Church Street Ministries. Church Street Ministries helps local families who have no way to get food themselves due to the hard economy. Our school brought in a

very large amount of food, which helps to show we are A Small School with a Big Heart.



In December, Student Council visited the children at the Berea Children's home. We read and participated in craft-related activities with the kids after school. The fact that we were able to put a smile on the faces of those kids really warms my heart.

We plan to do even more in the future. We are here to represent you, the Student Body. If you have any questions about upcoming events, please contact your classroom representative or one of our officers. I hope you all have a nice couple of months, and have fun!

Nick Taylor
Student Council President

Your Student Council Officers...

President - Nick Taylor

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We are always looking for new suggestions for articles. If you have an idea or an article you would like to include in our next issue, please contact Mrs. Lisco at jlisco@saintadalbert.org or one of our 8th grade editors.

