



Epiphany Newsletter

| October 2022 |

Principal's Announcements

We are very happy to announce that two extra teachers and a school nurse are now working at Epiphany as a direct result of the Emergency Assistant to Non Public Schools II Federal program.

We are thrilled to welcome these extra faculty members to Epiphany and look forward to being even more supportive of our students' educational needs.

Welcome to Epiphany!

- Mrs. Shelley Shankle will be working 20 hours per week, helping students with special needs.
- Mr. Keith Kuzas will be working full time as an intervention teacher.
- Mrs. Meredith Hawkins joined us at the beginning of the school year as our school nurse from 10am – 2pm daily
- Mrs. Julie Koontz our new Business Manager.

Classroom Activities

Preschool had a fantastic month starting with fire safety from Brandy Station Fire Department and then ended with a great trip to Graves Mountain Farm!



Fourth Grade had a fun time with Pumpkin STEM.

We measured, weighed, estimated, and got very messy with pumpkin seeds. We carved pumpkins and had a great time.





Fifth graders attended to annual STEM Day at the airport earlier this month.

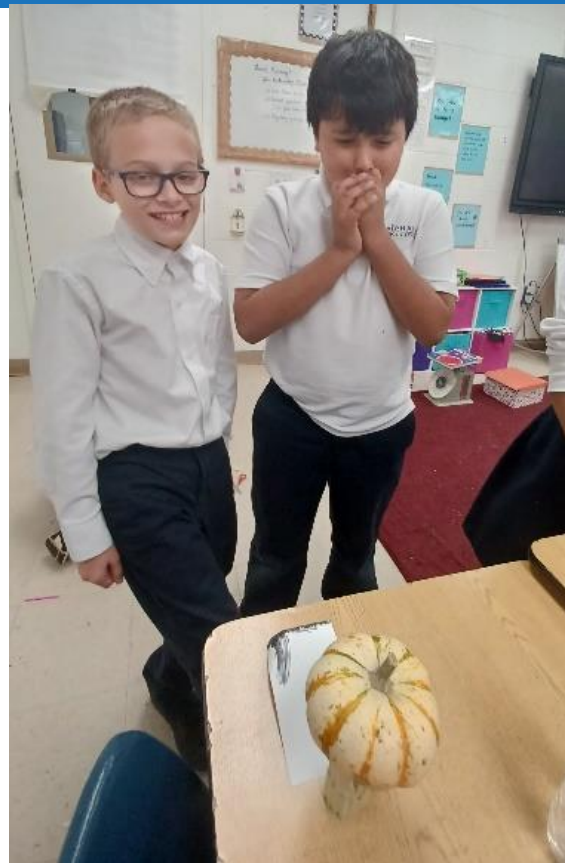
They flew drones,

completed coding activities, and learned about WW2 planes. It was a day out of land!

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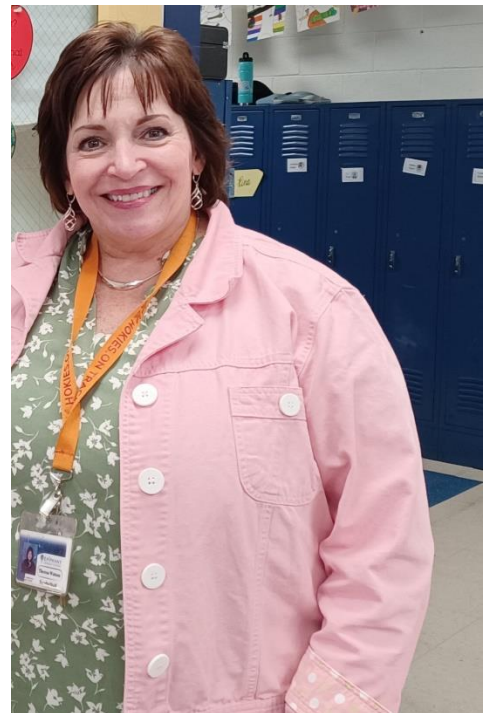
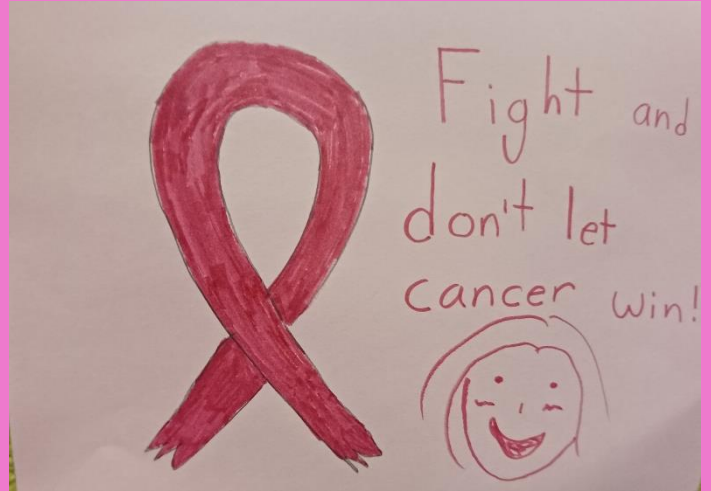
Who do you know that can balance a pumpkin using only 20 straws, a meter of tape, and an index card?



These super smart fifth graders, that's who!

Think Pink

SCA hosted a "Think Pink" day to support breast cancer research.



Sports



Soccer had an amazing season! With more than fifteen games through the season our Stars worked very hard, and they sure played their best.

Special Thank you to Coach Bradley and Coach Morrison, we appreciate all the time and love that you gave to our Epiphany Soccer Stars!



It was also a fantastic season for Volleyball. The girls stayed busy for quite some time with games in different counties and a tournament in the middle of the season. Our volleyball team brought some victories to Epiphany.

Thank you, Mr. Griffin, for the time and effort that you put into our team.

Upcoming events

November

- **3 – 10** Book Fair
- **10** Parent/Teacher Conferences
No School for Students
- **11** Veterans Day
No School for Students
Teacher Inservice
- **13** Epiphany Students at PBCC
11:30 Mass
- **13-19** Discover Catholic Schools
- **22** 1st Trimester Ends
Early Dismissal, 11:30
- **23-25** Thanksgiving Break



Sports

Coach Thornton is holding basketball tryouts on November 2nd, and 3rd from 3:00pm to 5:15pm. for boys and girls (grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 only). This is for anyone interested. Any children who plan on playing basketball in the winter must submit a completed permission form. They must also submit a completed physical form signed by a doctor unless they have done so already for fall sports. The athletics participation fee is \$65.00.



Music

Guitar classes for middle school every Thursday from 3:00pm to 4:00pm.