

Schafer Paper

Brought to you by your editor, Conor Schafer and staff.

2009 was an eventful year. Many things occurred!

Our school year so far has been epic and fun filled:

- Parts of the new additions were finished, including the new music room, the new computer room, and the Narthex. We all appreciate it and love the new changes!
- We had many wonderful field trips as well. Washington DC was probably the most eventful for 8th grade, while 7th grade enjoyed all of their mini trips.
- We continued the 7 habits assemblies which are always fun-filled and peppy. Last year, also had many guests visit St. Peter. A few included, speaker Mike McCoy, the African Acrobats performers, and a few career speakers, including a occupational therapist and a judge.

Many exciting things occurred in world news:

- Balloon Boy was a huge hoax. Everyone had fallen under their spell. Later we found out it was nothing but a lie and the boy was hiding in their attic the whole time.
- This was also the year of heroes such as Sully Sullenberger landed an airplane successfully in the Hudson River in the time of need. All of the passengers lived and Sullenberger was given high honors.

This year, celebrities had a lot to buzz about:

- Michael Jackson and Billy Mays died this year and they will always be remembered.
- Taylor Swift's speech at the VMA's shocked everyone when Kanye West jumped onstage and interrupted her! Definitely a memorable moment.
- The Tiger Woods scandal erupted, tarnishing the amazing golfer's reputation.

Many awesome movies came out this year, among the top were:

- Avatar
- The Twilight Saga: New Moon
- Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince
- Transformers 2
- Paranormal Activity

The top 5 songs this year:

- Poker Face – Lady Gaga
- All the Single Ladies – Beyonce
- 21 Guns – Green Day
- Empire State of Mind – Jay Z and Alicia Keys
- Tik Tok – Ke\$ha



There was spectacular news when it comes to sports this past year:

- Baseball:** the New York Yankees defeated the Philies capturing the World Series Title.
- Football:** the Pittsburgh Steelers defeated the Arizona Cardinals despite Arizona having their first appearance in the Super Bowl, led by Hall of Famer Kurt Warner.
- Basketball:** the Los Angeles Lakers led by Hall of Fame guard Kobe Bryant defeated the Orlando Magic capturing Kobe's 4th NBA Title.



This month's Dog of The Month is Roshena Hugenburg. Roshena's favorite pastime is getting into trouble. The proud owner of Roshena is Mary Beth Hugenberg. Congratulations Roshena and Mary!

~ Elena Ehrhardt

FOUND this past month was action packed and fun filled!
DODGEBALL- THE GAME OF DEATH! It was divided into 2 (somewhat) equal teams. The first game was the ever famous Boys versus Girls. Boys ultimately came out on top, but girls made an awesoe comeback! From there, the teams were divided randomly and the real game was about to begin. The first whistle blew and each team fired the dodgeballs as accurately as they could. The night went on with more face-paced games, but slowly it had to end. As each FOUND meeting goes, we end with a prayer thanking God for all good things in our lives.

Also this week was everyone's favorite Video!!

~ Elyse Hilotin.

On Monday, the 11th of January, St. Peter was paid a special visit for Mike McCoy. The former Greenbay Packer and Heisman finalist, McCoy taught us about how to listen to those around us to do right and to avoid life's obstacles. He did it and accomplished great things, so why

don't you?

~ Joey Mueller

How to make mini cheese cake.

- 24 Vanilla Wafer Cookies
 - 3 (8 ounce) packages of cream cheese, softened.
 - 1 cup white sugar
 - 3 Eggs
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 - ¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1 (12 ounce) can cherry pie filling

Directions:

Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. Line 24 muffin cups with paper or foil baking liners. Place one vanilla wafer in each cup.

In a large bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Beat in the eggs one at a time then stir in the nutmeg and vanilla. Pour mixture evenly into prepared muffin cups filling each 2/3 full. Bake for 20 minutes or until set. Cool completely then top with cherry pie filling. Cover and refrigerate until ready to serve.

Memoirs of a Schafer.

Well, as most of you know, I always have a story to tell. Thus I'm writing a column on it. Today is a good day, I've realized my roof caved in on my house. My dog obviously likes to be outside because he tried to escape. My ¾ foot tall dog tried to jump a whole story high. I also tried telling all of my (ignorant) peers that a banana is grown on a plant, not a tree. IT IS THE WORLD'S LARGEST HERB!!

Grab Bag: Did You Know?

1. President Kennedy was the fastest random speaker in the world with up to 350 words per minute.
2. There are 2 credit cards for every person in the United States
3. The King of Hearts is the only one with a mustache.
4. A man named Charles Osborne once had the hiccups for 6 years. (wow)
5. It's impossible to sneeze with your eyes open. (Please don't try this at home)
6. Cleveland spelled backwards is 'DNA LEVEL C'.
7. The first words Thomas Edison said into the phonograph were "Mary had a little lamb."

8. Pnigophobia is the fear of choking on fish bones.

9. Trichotilomania is the sudden urge to pull someone's hair out.

10. More people use blue toothbrushes than red ones.

11. If you earn \$20,000 a year, one minute of your time is worth .17 cents.

12. Most people can guess a person's gender with 95% accuracy just by smelling their breath.

13. There are more telephones than people in Washington DC.

14. When christening a ship, instead of using champagne, a Viking would make a human sacrifice.

The longest game of Monopoly played in a bathtub lasted 99 hours long.

~ Breanna McCaughey