

# Pen With No Ink



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Good-bye 2014, hello 2015! A new year is here, and with a new year comes new promises and resolutions! Read on to find out what the Knights are planning for this year, and what they'll miss about last year!

# Inside the classrooms...

## Kindergarten

The kindergartners had a wonderful New Year's Eve and Christmas vacation. They were all happy to have had a good, long, break, but were happy to be back in school. They haven't learned about Martin Luther King Jr. yet, but Mrs. Rodgers said that the kindergartners will be learning about Martin Luther King Jr. soon.

-Eddie O. and Benny B.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

This New Year, the first graders are looking forward to graduating and moving into 2nd grade. They're also looking forward to writing in cursive, learning multiplication, going on new field trips, new games in P.E., and going a step further in English. So far, they've enjoyed mystery sharing and making snowmen!

-Jasmine D. and Jessica J.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

For the second grade's New Year's, Gabby went to Lake Tahoe while Amira went to the Philippines. Darren went to Viva Las Vegas and had lots of fun. Maya is hoping to go to Florida in the summer and see her cousins, while another is hoping to go to Lake Tahoe in February.

-Derfel T.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

The third grade is very excited about the New Year! They plan on getting better grades, exercising, and eating healthier. They have learned multiplication, information on the solar system, and homophones. The third graders are looking forward to field trips, such as Coyote Point and the tide pools. They are also looking forward to Fun Day and Blackberry Farm.

-Rebecca B. and Vincent S.

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

For the New Year's resolution, the fifth grade class chose to get better grades and have better conduct and cooperation in class. This year they're really looking forward summer vacation already. There are exciting things happening at school and outside of school this year.

-Vincent S.

### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

We're about halfway through the school year, and the 6th graders seem to enjoy the ring of the bell signaling the end of the day. In this New Year of 2015, Luis has made a resolution to eat a vegetable or fruit every day! Riley is excited for archery at CYO and Gavin wants to go canoeing at CYO. Sounds exciting!

-Garson C. and Sean S.

### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

Martin Luther King Day is around the corner, the 7th graders think of what a great leader M.L.K was. The students think that he was a courageous and brave leader. They are excited for advancing to 8th grade already, and feel sad to leave the school.

-Jerin O. and Alec T.

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

As our last two quarters approach, everyone begins to feel nostalgic about school. We had our HSPT test last week, and it wasn't as hard as we thought! Wish us luck when we get our results in March!

-Gabe S.

# Sports Column

**Basketball season is off to a great start! 4th grade training is loving basketball so far, especially the defense. The boys even won 2nd place in both the Flame Tournament and the St. Robert's Winter Tournament!**

**5th is doing great, keeping score for the first time. Some of their favorite things about basketball are doing layups and playing offense.**

**6<sup>th</sup> grade boys won 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the St. Roberts Winter Tournament and 7<sup>th</sup> grade won 1<sup>st</sup> place in the St. Charles tournament. Some of the seventh graders said that Shane should be a cheerleader!**

**-Maddie H.**