

# THE DAILY BAYLEY

## MOTHER SETON SCHOOL STUDENT NEWSPAPER

### 6th Grade Science Class Tests Earthquake Structures

By Lyla Doll

Ms. K's 6th grade science class built a structure to withstand an earthquake. The earthquake was simulated by putting 2 tables on top of each other and shaking them vigorously. Students were to bring items to build with from home and use them in



the week given to build their structure. This project only had three rules: not to use full sheets as the walls, to decorate, and that you can make the structures anything you want. The class had multiple ideas for what to build, like a church, a house, a skyscraper, a White House, etc. Many students enjoyed this project. 6th grade student Bayley Grossnickle said, "My group had fun building a barn we put animals in, and our project survived the earthquake." 6th grade student Ava Donovan said, "I had a lot of fun and we built a house. It was quite difficult to build things from home, but it was still fun." 6th grade student Morgan Fogle said, "Sometimes the project was tough and irritating, but most of the time it was fun. We built a 2-story apartment."

### A Day in the Life of a Kindergartener with Parker Glass

By Mara Bond



Most recently, I had the opportunity to interview Parker Glass, a kindergarten student at MSS. I asked her what her favorite breakfast is, and she said, "Waffles!" Her favorite class is coloring, and her favorite lunch is "my dad's sandwiches." When she gets home from school, she likes to put on her roller skates. Parker's favorite dinner is macaroni, one of my personal favorites, not going to lie! I asked her when her bedtime is and she said "I don't know, I just go to bed whenever my mom and dad say so!" She is just so cute! Another fun thing I learned is that she paints every day at her grandma's house during summer break. If Parker were principal for a day, she said she would move the

the lunch time up so she could eat lunch early. She also thinks math tests are hard, but confidently said, "I know I do good because they are easy to me." I love how confident she is! Finally, I asked Parker what advice she would give to pre-K students coming into kindergarten. She said, "Just give them an opportunity to see what they can do."

### Wonderful WICKED Celebration

By Brooke Buser



On February 28, Mother Seton School held its Girls' Night Out, and this year, it was themed after the movie Wicked! Here's a quick overview of the night: The entire gym and cafeteria were filled with Wicked decorations! The middle school art club drew all the beautiful pictures on the walls, and there were silver balloons everywhere, which everyone seemed to love! Music was playing, and everyone was either dancing or hanging out with their friends. There was a huge backdrop where friends could take pictures together, as well as a 3D video booth! How cool is that? You would stand on a little platform with a friend and just start dancing! I did it, and it was very fun. There was also lots of food and pink and green drinks. I enjoyed it so much, and everyone else did too!

I interviewed Payton Cell about her experience at Girls' Night Out. She said it was very fun. "I enjoyed dancing with my friends Faith and Abby!" said Payton. I asked her if she thought anything could have been improved, and she said she wanted more balloons. Payton's favorite part was hanging out with her friends. She enjoyed the refreshments and said, "The cupcakes were tasty!"

# Mr. Wayne: One of the Coolest Guys in the World

By Morgan Fogle

This is a very special article about one of the coolest guys in the world, Mr. Wayne. All of the kids he drives on his van were so excited when they found out I was writing about Mr. Wayne. One of Mr. Wayne's jobs before he became a bus driver was being a manager. He really likes his job and the people in it. "It's one of the most rewarding jobs I've ever had," Mr. Wayne said. Mr. Wayne used to be in a newspaper club for three years through high school. His favorite article he wrote was about Jackie Robinson. "He was just a great man," said Mr. Wayne. The topics they wrote about were what was happening in the world, like a real newspaper. Mr. Wayne really cares about the kids he hauls. "You kids are just good for my soul." He treats the kids he hauls like his grandchildren. He even gives them candy on Fridays.



## Women's History Month: Celebrating Women

Past and Present By Bayley Grossnickle

Women's History Month is a very important month, and we are going to learn why. Celebrating women has taken a long journey. Celebrating women first started off as a day in 1911, the first week was in 1980, and finally women got a whole month in 1987. In this article I will give you some special information on women in history in sports, science, math, teaching, and other things women have accomplished throughout history.

**Simone Biles**

Was born on March 14, 1997, in Columbus, Ohio, and is the most decorated gymnast in history with 37 Olympic and World Championship medals. Simone Biles has spoken about her mental health struggles, including the "twisties," which can cause a mental block and loss of air awareness in gymnastics, along with managing ADHD and past trauma. But even with the struggles, Simone is still pushing herself to be better. Thanks, Simone, for showing us to push through the struggle.

**Rosa Parks**

Born in Tuskegee, Alabama, on February 4, 1913, she was an African American civil rights activist. Rosa was an African American woman known for not giving up her seat on a bus in Montgomery, Alabama, for a white man. At this time, African Americans, or people of color, were forced to sit in the back of the bus. Thank you, Rosa Parks, for showing us how to stand up for what we believe in!

**Helen Keller**

Born on June 27, 1880, in Tuscumbia, Alabama, she was an American author, disability rights advocate, and political activist. In February of 1882, at 19 months old, Helen contracted an illness that left her blind and deaf. Even though Helen was blind and deaf, she graduated with a bachelor's degree and became the first deafblind person to earn a college degree. Thank you, Helen Keller, for showing us that even with a disability we can reach our dreams.

**March Madness** By Aiden Moore



Have you ever heard of March Madness? If not, you've been missing out. Many people think March is all about Women's History Month, but there's more to this month than that. I'm talking about March Madness—and it has quite a history. March Madness began in 1939 with the NCAA Division I men's basketball tournament. Originally, it was just an eight-team event organized by the National Association of Basketball Coaches. The first championship game was held on March 27, 1939, with Oregon defeating Ohio State. Since then, the tournament has been held every year—except in 2020, when both the men's and women's NCAA basketball tournaments were canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This marked the first time in the tournament's history that it did not take place. The decision was announced on March 12, 2020. So, have you ever watched March Madness?



Now we have learned about some wonderful women from history. Let's learn about girls from our own school.

**Dancers**

Marybelle Ress was born on January 27, 2015. She has been dancing for 10 years.

Sadie Grubby was born on February 10, 2014, in Pennsylvania. She has been dancing since she was 3. She has sprained her wrist and foot, but she has been pushing herself to keep dancing.

**Volleyball**

6th grader Jaylenn Mort was born on August 8, 2014. She plays volleyball and has been playing for 3 years.

7th grader Reese Moore was born on November 12, 2013. She has been playing volleyball for a year.

**Horseback Riding**

Gemma Common was born on February 13, 2014, in Waynesboro. She has been riding horses her whole life, and a day before a big tournament she had to get stitches on her finger.

**Soccer**

5th grader Izzy Lowman has been playing soccer for 2 years, even though there have been things that have stopped her from playing at times.

5th grader Charlie Atkins was born in West Virginia on November 8, 2013. She has been playing soccer for 3 years.

**Rugby**

Finley Brodski has been playing rugby for 9 years. She was born on May 30, 2013.

**Field Hockey**

Amelia Nevias was born on July 27, 2015. She has been playing field hockey for 2 years.

Girls and women, never give up on your dreams or doubt yourself. Everybody has a gift, so go out there and use it!

# The Christmas Puppy

By Francesca Kinnamont



Hey, everyone! If you were in 3rd grade with me, you may have seen some photos of my adorable puppy, and I'm talking about him today! In case you weren't, here's the article! (Brace yourself for major cuteness.) My dog, Nicolas Charles (or if you're boring, Nico, but Nicolas is his full name), is a mini golden doodle- a mix between a golden retriever and a poodle. I say mini because regular golden doodles are pretty big, while Nico is probably just knee-height. But he's huge when he jumps! He can get up to my chest! He was born on November 27th, 2022, which means he's 3 years old right now.

Now, you may be wondering why the heading is called The Christmas Puppy. When I was in 3rd grade in December of 2022, we opened all of our Christmas presents and started opening them behind our couch. Suddenly, I came into the living room and saw a single unopened present from all of us. I called everyone in and we opened it. I thought it was clothes because it was so soft. When we opened it, I saw words reading Kinnamont Puppy.

I was confused! Was it for Nova, our dog whom we only had for a few weeks before dying very young? But when my older sister, Gianna, saw it, she hesitated and said, "Wait..." Then she started YELLING! I was still SO confused! But then my brother, Anthony, did the same, and I finally understood- we were getting a puppy! I was so excited!

I wanted this article to be special, so I decided to interview Nico! Now, I know what you're thinking... "He's A DOG! He can't talk to you!" But you're wrong! Just you wait- I mean, read. 1st Question- "How's your day today?" Answer- "Rough." 2nd Question- "What's your favorite thing to chew on?" Answer- "Bark." 3rd Question- "Are you excited to be on the Daily Bayley?" Answer- "Yip, yip!" And finally, I asked a math question. "Nico, what's 2-2?" Guess what he answered? NOTHING! He's a genius!

Nico gets the zoomies all the time- he loves to run around the house and jump on the couch next to my mom. He chews up things that are cloth or blanket material THAT quick if he's not watched, so don't give him that dog toy you got for your new pup! Besides all of the craziness and just pure NICO-NESS, he's also really cute. You should see him, he's adorable- when he's not STINKY! Bleugh!

## Pokémon Presents 2026: A First Look at Generation 10

By Elliott Brown



On 2/27/2026, Pokemon released Pokemon Presents, a film that goes over all the latest Pokemon news. It comes out twice a year, on 2/27 and 7/27. In this presentation, there are a series of videos about Pokemon. There is one specific thing I want to talk about: Generation 10. This region is based on Southeast Asia, specifically the Philippines and Malaysia. At the beginning of the video, we look at a sketchbook of every Pokemon region. We then meet Mr. Windychu and Mrs. Wavychu, two Pikachu whom we don't really know anything about. They are dressed in islandy wear, with Mr. Wavychu with the white hat and Mrs. Wavychu sporting a blue hat with some kind of logo. We then get a glimpse at the amazing (not to mention heavily forested) region. (We don't know its name yet.) Afterward, we see the player characters, both with a backpack and a device that kinda looks like a hoverboard.

Then, we finally met the STARTERS. The grass bird Browt, the flaming Pomeranian Pombon, and the aqua gecko Gequa. Which of the starters would you pick?

## History of St. Patrick's Day



By Piper Seiss

We all know about the green holiday St. Patrick's Day! But did you know that St. Patrick was British and was kidnapped by Irish raiders? Or that the original color for St. Patrick's Day was blue, and it was not until the 18th century that green became popular? St. Patrick also taught the Irish about Christianity, according to tradition, using a clover to represent the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. There is also a legend about St. Patrick driving the snakes out of Ireland. And in Chicago, people have dyed the river green for St. Patrick's Day since 1962. St. Patrick's Day is held every year on March 17.

## Anne Frank: A Story of Hope

By Abigail Null



On June 12, 1929, a baby girl named Anne Frank was born to Otto and Edith Frank. Growing up, she liked to read, write stories, and visit ice cream parlors with friends. Anne Frank also had an older sister, Margot. Unfortunately, the Nazis forbade Jewish people from doing many things. They had to attend different schools, and the restrictions kept increasing. Soon, Jews had to wear the Star of David on their clothing whenever they left the house. To stay safe, Anne's family went into hiding. Anne could only bring what fit into one small bag, and she had to leave her cat behind.

They hid in the annex for more than two years. All the while, Anne wrote in her diary, talking about hope and never mentioning hate. She called it Kitty. On August 4, 1944, Anne and her family were discovered and taken to concentration camps. Anne's head was shaved, and a number was tattooed on her arm. Unfortunately, Anne died in March 1945 of typhus. In the end, only Anne's father, Otto, survived. After learning that his family had died, a woman who had helped them in the annex gave Otto Anne's diary. He published it, and now it tells the story of a young girl full of hope.

## Student Spotlight



By Hadley Crone

I interviewed Charlee A. about things at MSS. I came up with seven questions for her to answer. One of Charlee's favorite things about MSS is the people here. "I have really good friends that I can trust," she said. She also loves the food in the cafeteria! Her favorite dish they serve is the Thanksgiving meal. When I asked her what she likes to wear on out of uniform days, she said jogging pants with UGGS. Charlee's favorite subject is "Math because it's easy." We all know we wear both green and white uniform shirts, I asked Charlee which she likes better and she said "green because it suits me." And finally Charlee's favorite special is art. "I love drawing and painting," she said.

# Spring

By Ava Fout

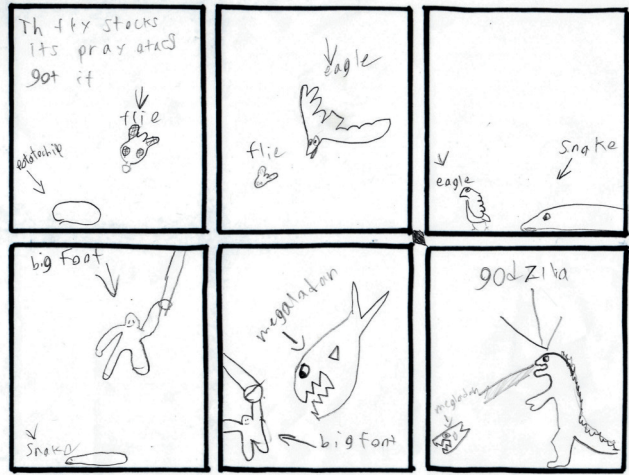
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By Maximilian Field

By Patrick Sheffer



## Math Puzzle

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Each equation has a letter. Solve the equation and match the total on the lines above with the coordinating letter.  
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$10 \times 4 = D$	$5 \times 6 = L$	$9 \times 5 = A$
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$4 \times 3 = I$	$9 \times 7 = H$	$3 \times 7 = T$

By Sophia Monsour

## Eachdraidh àlainn na h-Alba: William Wallace (Scots Gaelic for: History of Beautiful Scotland)

By Sadie Soule

William Wallace was a brave man who lived in Scotland about 700 years ago. He was born around the year 1270. His father may have been Malcolm Wallace, a Scottish knight who cared deeply about Scotland. When William was young, Scotland was having trouble with the King of England. The English king wanted to rule Scotland, but many Scottish people wanted their country to be free. When William was older, he learned how to ride horses, use swords, and lead people. He became known for being strong and brave. As a young man, Wallace married a woman traditionally called Marion Braidfute, although historians are not completely certain about the details. Sadly, their happiness did not last long. English forces were controlling many towns in Scotland. After Marion's death, Wallace decided to fight against English rule. William Wallace began leading Scottish people who also wanted freedom. In 1297, Wallace and Andrew Moray helped lead the Scottish army in an important battle called the Battle of Stirling Bridge. Even though the Scottish army was smaller, they used a smart plan and defeated the English army. This victory made Wallace famous across Scotland. Because of this victory, Wallace was given an important job called Guardian of Scotland. Later, the English army returned with many more soldiers. Wallace fought again at the Battle of Falkirk, but this time the Scottish army lost. After the battle, Wallace stepped down as Guardian, but he still believed Scotland should be free. In 1305, Wallace was captured by English soldiers, taken to London, and executed. Even though he lived long ago, William Wallace is still remembered today. Many people in Scotland still see him as a hero who fought for freedom. In Stirling, Scotland, there is a memorial called The National Wallace Monument. It has many interesting artifacts, and Wallace's sword is on display there.



Sadie and brother Connor with William Wallace's sword at the William Wallace memorial.

If you ever visit Scotland, it is definitely a "Oh-My-Gosh-I-Must-See-This!!!" type of thing. There are many cool artifacts and a video game type of thing that has you create your own shield that you can take a picture with. They also have Wallace's sword on display. They have a gift shop and cafe with hot chocolate that is TO DIE FOR it is called the royal hot chocolate.

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