

# THE LION'S ROAR

VOLUME 1, ISSUE 8

MARCH 2017

## SAHAG-MESROB STUDENTS COMPETE IN MANY EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF MARCH

In the month of March, Sahag-Mesrob students participated in the ACSI Math Olympics, ACSI Junior High Speech Meet, and various science fairs.

On March 10, 3rd through 6th grade students participated in ACSI's Math Olympics. Students performed well, and some even placed in different categories. Alex Muradian from 4th grade won 4th place in the Reasoning category, and Patil Tajerian from 4th grade won 5th place in Computation.

Junior high students competed in the ACSI

Junior High Speech Meet on March 3rd. Students performed very well and received Superior and Excellent awards in their categories.

Junior high students also participated in 3 different science fairs. On March 5, 7 students participated in the AESA (Armenian Engineers and Scientists of America) Science Fair, which was held at CSUN in Northridge. On Friday, March 24, most of the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students went to the Pasadena Convention Center to take part in the LA County Science Fair, where they received recognition certificates

and medals.

Students from all grade levels (including K4) displayed their science projects in the chapel during the school's annual Science Day, on Monday, March 27. 4 judges were present to interview the students and choose the best projects.

All 3 science fairs provided a great opportunity for students to learn, as they worked hard to prepare their projects and present their ideas to others.

Congratulations to all students who participated in these events!

### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- 3/2 Read Across America*
- 3/3 Jr. High Speech Meet*
- 3/10 Math Olympics*
- 3/15 End of Q3*
- 3/27 School Science Fair*



### INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

READ ACROSS AMERICA	2
Q3 HONOR ROLL	2
CLASSROOM NEWS	3



“Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.” Psalm 150:6

## CLASSROOM NEWS

### SAHAG-MESROB STUDENTS READ ACROSS AMERICA



On Thursday, March 2, K2-8th grade students celebrated Dr. Seuss's birthday by participating in Read Across America. Read Across America is an annual reading motivation and awareness program that calls for every child in every community to celebrate

reading on March 2. Students were encouraged to wear silly socks (in honor of Dr. Seuss's book *Fox in Socks*) and bring Dr. Seuss books to school. Sahag-Mesrob students enjoyed reading their own books on blankets outside on the lawn.

### 3RD QUARTER HONOR ROLL

#### Kindergarten

Aleksandra Ayvazyan  
Lilit Manvelyan  
Talar Markarian

#### First Grade

Alina Agojian  
Eduard Barseghyan  
Tyler Gordon  
Vana Hovagimian  
Serlee Hzor  
Jonathan Kazanjian  
Avo Klahejian  
Patil Kludjian  
Steven Kouladjian  
Alexander Lambajian  
Chloe Lambajian  
Nareg Mahserejian  
Adriney Mardirosian  
Connor Matossian

#### Second Grade

Nicholas Azilazian  
Michael Kizirian

Laurene Kouladjian  
Vache Muradian  
Haylee Panossian  
Isabella Zovigian  
Natalia Zovigian

#### Third Grade

Nicole Bajakejian  
Tina Garabedian  
Lim Kalemkarian  
Anna Khroian  
Paulena Kojoglanian  
Harout Mitilian  
Ara Rastguelenian  
Nicole Titizian  
Luca Youssefian

#### Fourth Grade

Emily Arabyan  
Alexandra Babayan  
Silva Basmadjian  
Narod Ekmekjian  
Alexandra Karamanoukian  
Isabelle Kizirian

Alex Muradian  
Michael Sahagian  
Patil Tajerian

#### Fifth Grade

Natalia Abadjian  
Daniella Agojian  
Roubeena Akmakjian  
Claudine Azilazian  
Njteh Girichian  
Alique Klahejian  
Vicken Kouladjian  
Arsen Rastguelenian  
Maral Yaghobyan  
Bella Youssefian

#### Sixth Grade

Christopher Atme  
Angela Babayan  
Christina Sahagian  
Natel Titizian

#### Seventh Grade

Kristina Agojian  
Sophia Azar  
Liana Chiranian  
Sonia Darakjian  
Emma Haroutonian  
Shantel Indjian  
Emily Isakulyan  
Angie Mitilian  
Tatyana Sevajian  
Sarine Vartabedian

#### Eighth Grade

Heiko Abadjian  
Tigran Arabyan  
Alexander Azilazian  
David Chepeian  
Hrag Ekmekjian  
Lori Kenderian  
Sevan Krikorian  
Christian Lambajian  
Sosse Minassian

“Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.” Psalm 150:6

## CLASSROOM NEWS

### MRS. ANI KAKOUSSIAN

During the month of March, First Grade went on a field trip to Theatre West in Hollywood to watch live actors and actresses perform “The Princess

and The Frog”. We all enjoyed the experience at the performing arts center and even got to be a part of the act as volunteers.



### MRS. LUCY STEPANIAN

On Friday, March 17, second grade students went on an educational field trip to the Discovery

Cube. Students had a great time experiencing science with hands-on exhibits.



### MRS. MARAL OHANIAN



On Tuesday, March 14, fourth grade students joined 5th-8th graders for a field trip and visited the Headquarters of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church in Burbank. Students toured the inside of St. Leon Cathedral, the

Zorayan Museum (where they saw many Armenian artifacts), and the Headquarters building. Students also learned about the Armenian church and had a Q&A session, where they could ask any question on their mind about Christianity and/or the Church.

In English class, fourth grade students learned about heroes, specifically by reading and studying Gloria Estefan and Lou Gehrig. They also read about what makes a “superhero” and created their own superhero stories. Students

began reading our fourth quarter class novel, *Matilda*.

In social studies, fourth graders learned about World War I and the Great Depression, with many discussions about cause and effect.

Fifth grade students began reading their fourth quarter class novel, *Where the Red Fern Grows*.



“Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.” Psalm 150:6