

Peace Valley Prepares for ACSI Events

On February 8th and 9th, students at the Peace Valley Campus of Plumstead Christian School participated in grade level speech meets. Students in grades 1 – 5 competed in categories such as poetry, Bible memorization, and fables. Winners were selected based on the students’ memorization of a selection as well as his/her public speaking skills during a presentation in front of parents and a panel of judges. The winners will continue to hone their skills as they prepare for the ACSI Eastern Pennsylvania District Meet on March 18. The following students will represent Plumstead at that competition:

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| <u>First Grade</u> Poetry: Caroline Welsh and Ava Spratt | <u>Second Grade</u> Poetry: Tyler Foote Bible: Mia Provan Fable: Nicholas Maxel | <u>Third Grade</u> Poetry: Rachel Mandia & Noah Spratt Bible: Emma Fichera Fable: Anna Hamilton |
| <u>Fourth Grade</u> Poetry: Jacob Young and Christa Hopkins Bible: Ben Weaver and Grace Carpenter Fable: Lauren Applegate and Jonathan Assaad | <u>Fifth Grade</u> Poetry: Alex Hartzel and Julia Savage Bible: Andrew Greiner | |

We have also completed the “in-school” testing to determine which students will represent Plumstead at the ACSI Math Olympics in April. These students will participate in weekly lunch-time practice sessions to prepare for the competition. Our Peace Valley team will consist of the following students:

- Third Grade** – Reasoning: Noah Spratt, Cassidy Robertson, Billy Jacobs
 Computation: Zach Mayro, Alex Read, Joel Skitt
- Fourth Grade** – Reasoning: Josiah Provan, Grace Toll, Scott Gisondi
 Computation: Matthew Zilligen, Jacob Young, Chloe Kent
- Fifth Grade** – Reasoning: Maddy Hawkins, Alex Hartzel, Hannah LaBouliere
 Computation: Kristen Weeder, Luke Brautigam, Andrew Greiner