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IMPORTANT DATES

January 5 - 16

Ron Speed Boys Basketball Tournament

January 16 - NO SCHOOL

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

January 29 - February 3rd

Catholic Schools Week

February 10

Jr. Hi Valentines Dance 7:00-9:30 PM

February 20 - NO SCHOOL

Presidents' Day

February 24

End of Second Trimester

March 1 - 24

Iowa Testing Dates

FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Dear Parents,

Welcome Back from a wonderful Christmas break. It was so nice to have time with family and friends. The children must have been very busy while they were gone as in every classroom that I visited, they all looked as though they needed a nap. In fact, one student suggested an afternoon nap with an announcement from me saying, "It's time for everyone to Stop, Drop and Sleep!" I imagine it will take a few days to adjust back to the routine of school.

Let me take this opportunity on behalf of all the faculty and staff at Cardinal Pacelli to thank everyone who helped with all the holiday festivities. We could not have done it without your help. Every day I count my blessings to be surrounded by such loving and caring families. Also, thank you to everyone who contributed to the staff gift card collection spearheaded by our wonderful PTO. The teachers and myself are so grateful for your generosity!

Grade 6 will be participating in the Monsignor Quinn Memorial Scholarship Test. It will be administered a couple days this week and part of next week. They will be tested in Science, Math, Religion, Social Studies, Reading and will also write an essay. The student with the highest overall average will be awarded a full tuition scholarship and four additional partial scholarships will also be awarded to students who place in the top spots academically. These scholarships will be used for the remaining two years tuition at Pacelli. I know the students are very excited about the possibility of this scholarship opportunity.

On January 10th, our standardized test prep class will begin after school for 8 weeks concluding on Tuesday, February 28th. This after school elective is for students in grades 5 - 8 at a cost of \$100 for the eight-week course. The Powers Educational Services will be conducting the class. If you are interested, please let the school office know so we can add your child to the list. You can bring a check made out to Powers Educational Services on the first day of class, January 10th.

It sounds like snow may be on its way. If not tomorrow, it will come sometime this winter. This is just a reminder that in the case of a delay/closing, you will be notified in multiple ways: via One Call, our automated school phone system; the Cardinal Pacelli website; and both Channels 5 and 12 will post the delay/closing listed as Cardinal Pacelli School. For more detailed information click here <http://cardinalpacelli.org/index.php/resources/indement-weather-information/>

Let me close with a quote from Elizabeth Ann Seton as we celebrate her Feast Day January 4th, "The first end I propose in our daily work is to do the will of God; secondly, to do it in the manner he wills it; and

thirdly, to do it because it is his will." (Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton).

Blessed and Warm Wishes for a Wonderful 2017!

Mrs. Terri Cento

CROSS GUARDS (Grades 6-8 only)

The new schedule for cross guards will be coming out soon. Please email Mrs. Baker at baker_k@cardinalpacelli.org by Friday if you wish to become a cross guard or If you are already a cross guard and need to change from AM to PM or PM to AM. If you have been a cross guard this year, you are still on the list and need to do nothing. Thanks.

POST BOAST

Enjoy the pics from Grade 1 and the creation of their gingerbread houses!



JANUARY LUNCH MENU

January menu is now posted on website. Go to Quick Links above to view or you can [CLICK HERE](#)

NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL NURSE

There are quite a few viruses making their rounds in the school. They include both upper respiratory and gastrointestinal viruses. They seem to be staying with individuals for more than a few days. Remember to have your children wash their hands before eating, and after getting home from school and other activities. Have regular nutritious meals with limited sugar and at least 8 hours of sleep at night. These all help students be resilient.

PTO NEWS

Enroll in Winter Enrichment Programs

Chess Club: January 11-March 22, 2017. [Register here.](#)

Spanish: Wednesdays after school. [Register here.](#)

Yoga: January 4-February 22, 2017. [Register here.](#)

Young Rembrandts: January 12-February 23, 2017. [Register here.](#)

For details about these enrichment programs, visit the [PTO After School Enrichment website.](#)

Shop. Save. Earn \$\$ for CPS.

Have you linked your rewards account at Kroger or Remke to Cardinal Pacelli yet? These simple community fundraising programs make it super easy for you to help raise money for our school with each trip you make to the grocery. [Enroll at Kroger](#) or [enroll at Remke](#) today and start earning!

FINE ARTS

Pacelli's Got Talent!

Everyone's looking forward to our annual Talent Show on February 1, 2017! If your child would like to participate, please contact Jill Giles (jill.d.giles@gmail.com) for more information. [See flyer for details!](#)

JUNEFEST

Christ the King Gala
MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!!!
LIVE AUCTION, FOOD, FRIENDS AND MUSIC

Saturday, February 25, 2017 at Hyde Park Country Club.

Invites are being mailed now! To pay online and attend just go here:

<https://ourlordchristtheking.cincyregister.com/gala2017>

ATHLETIC NEWS

Ron Speed Boys Basketball Tournament

January 5th - January 16th

Ron Speed Basketball Tournament is an annual tradition of our school, raising funds to support our athletic programs.

The funds specifically help to keep our student sport registration fees down, help to purchase our fabulous uniforms for all sports beyond basketball, maintain the gym, rent baseball fields, purchase our new volleyball netting system and so much more! ALL SCHOOL FAMILIES are urged to volunteer in the concession stand and admissions. Never done it before? Contact alethrhoades@mac.com for details. TO SIGN-UP, CLICK HERE: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d48afad2aa0f58-ronspeed>

If you are interested in being a sponsor, please contact Kim McBride at mkmcbride@fuse.net for more information.

EXCITING THINGS GOING ON AT AREA HIGH SCHOOLS

Be sure to check the websites or links below for news, updates and upcoming events at our local High Schools!

Archbishop McNicholas High School: <http://www.mcnhs.org/>

Roger Bacon High School: <http://www.rogerbacon.org/>

Purcell Marian High School: <http://www.purcellmarian.org/>

St. Xavier High School: <http://www.stxavier.org/>

St. Ursula High School: <http://www.saintursula.org/>

Ursuline Academy: <https://www.ursulineacademy.org/>

Summit Country Day: www.summitcds.org/

Moeller High School: <http://www.moeller.org/>

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