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WEEKLY NEWS



Newsletter Attachments:

- Tuition Assistance Information
- January Exam Schedule
- SAT/ACT Informational Sheet
- Catholic Schools Week Information
- CSBC at the Binghamton Black Bears
- CSBC Open House Flyer

PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

SCC Community:

The hallways were full of discussion of study guides, how to use a calculator effectively, and general anticipation of Midterm week. As SCC we take great pride in our Midterms. We believe that these Midterms provide our students the opportunity to simulate testing conditions and length of tests that our students will see in the high-stake Regents and Advanced Placement Exams later in the year. The work that students and teachers put into these exams really pays off in June and July when we receive the results on these important assessments. Please encourage your children to get extra rest, eat a healthy breakfast, and to come to their tests with a positive attitude next week!

Attached is also information for Catholic Schools Week which starts on Sunday January 29th. The CSBC and Student Council at SCC have been working hard to plan an exciting time celebrating who we are as a Catholic school community. The national theme is Faith, Excellence, and Service. We hope that we have highlighted these themes in our offerings. At SCC we will be having service projects with our Hoops for Haiti fundraiser where our boys and girls basketball programs shoot free throws raising money for Haitian ministries of Sister Brigid. Of course, we will end the week with our highly competitive House Olympics!

Catholic Schools Week is also an opportunity to thank our parents, grandparents, and others who make the sacrifice to send their children to SCC. We strive every day to make this investment pay dividends forming students who are faith-filled, academically prepared for their next step, and committed to their fellow humans. Thank you!

God Bless,
Mr. Patrick Monachino '03

NOTES FROM GUIDANCE

Freshman:

- Any Freshman who is interested in taking the Pre ACT test please see the guidance office.

Seniors:

- Please share with us news of your college acceptances and fill it in on our bulletin board. We want to celebrate with you!

SAT/ACT Information

- Please see the attached document regarding information and resources for the SAT and ACT exam.

MIDTERM/JANUARY REGENTS WEEK 1.23-1.27

Attached to this email is the Midterm/January Regents schedule. All students in grades 9-12 report to school when they have a test. If they do not have a test, they do not need to report to school. Grades 7-8 will have exams in the morning followed by a modified schedule of their classes. On Friday January 27th, after their morning exams, 7th and 8th grade students will be participating in a variety of programs organized by Mrs. Isaacs, Mrs. Edwards, and our PE teachers. 7th and 8th grade students are expected to be in school all day this week.

****IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER CAUSING A DELAY OR CLOSING MR. MONACHINO WILL SEND AN EMAIL UPDATING FAMILIES ON THE MIDTERM/REGENTS SCHEDULE****

FREE AFTER SCHOOL MATH TUTORING

We will be having free Math tutoring next Tuesday only next week. It will be from 3:05-4:05 in the SLC. We have had a great turnout for these so far this week and are looking at ways to make it more efficient. Thank you to our teachers and students for making this possible!

TEACHER LUNCHEON ON JANUARY 27TH

We will be having a luncheon for teachers on January 27th as a kick off for the following week's Catholic Schools Week. We are looking for donations of a side dish, beverages, or paper products to help with the event. Please drop off all donations to the main office by Friday January 27th at 11 AM. Thank you in advance for your support of our hard working teachers!



7TH AND 8TH GRADE DANCE FEBRUARY 24TH

7th and 8th grade will have a dance on Friday February 24th at the SCC Gym. Please look for an email from Mrs. Isaacs in the coming week for details!



NOTES FROM MRS. SCHMIDT

- Teen to Teen Project
  - Starting Catholic Schools Week and ending on Friday 2/10 we will be collecting personal care items for local teens in our area as well as shoe boxes to package them. Students fill, wrap, and give the boxes to Catholic Charities where they will be distributed to local teens in need. We are looking for the following items:
    - Shoe boxes
    - Red/Valentines Wrapping Paper
    - Shampoo/Conditioner
    - Bar Soap/Body Wash
    - Deodorant
    - Brush, Combs, Hair ties
    - Toothbrush/Toothpaste/floss/mouthwash
    - Razors/Shaving Cream
    - Tissues

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

- High School Yearbook
  - We are collecting Senior baby pictures (hard copies or digital) by Monday February 6th. Any baby pictures submitted after this date will not be in the yearbook. We have a very strict deadline.

- Christ University-India Info Session
  - There will be an informational meeting about a two week exchange to Christ University in Bengaluru, India in October 2023. We are looking for students in grades 10-12 who would be interested in learning about another culture and their academic system, service projects, and cultural landmarks. The meeting will be on Wednesday February 8th at 6:30 PM in the Student Learning Center with Sr. Brigid, Mrs. Schmidt, and Mr. Jones. Please email one of the teachers or call the front office to RSVP for the event.