Here are some important events coming up:

- **Tuesday February 4th**: SCRIP orders are due.
- **Saturday February 7th**: Add/Drop Deadline
- **Friday February 7th**: Report Cards are mailed out
- **Saturday February 8th**: Junior Prom 6pm – 10 pm @ Traditions

- Please see the Schedule Galaxy website [https://www.schedulegalaxy.com/schools/163](https://www.schedulegalaxy.com/schools/163) on our website for up to date sports schedule.

- Readmission emails for the 2020/2021 school year will be sent to the email address of the primary contact in Rediker, beginning this Monday. Please contact the school if you do not receive an email.

- We will be collecting personal care items to fill shoe boxes for local boy and girl teens. The boxes will be handed out through Catholic Charities. We are also collecting shoe boxes and Valentine wrapping paper to wrap the boxes. Please have your son/daughter bring to Ms. Schmidt.

Also, please note a major change with Smart Tuition. Beginning with the 2020/2021 school year, all families will be able to access their Smart Tuition account information through one log in. This change was made to improve the experience of our families with children in more than one school. This does require every family to re-enroll their payment plan under the new school ID - Catholic Schools of Broome County 11201. Instructions on how to complete this will be included in the readmission email. If you have been paying by automatic deduction from a checking or savings account, please have this information available.

- Applications are now being accepted from high school seniors in the class of 2020 to represent New York State at the 2020 National Youth Science Camp (NYSCamp). Two students from each state, Washington, D.C, and 8 countries will attend the all-expenses-paid program which is held from June 22 through July 15, 2020. For additional information and to apply, visit [https://nysf.smapply.io/](https://nysf.smapply.io/)

- The National Association for College Admission Counseling is sponsoring National College Fairs in Syracuse, NY on Monday, March 16 and Tuesday, March 17. For more information and to register, visit [http://gotomyncf.com](http://gotomyncf.com)

- Rising high school seniors (current Juniors) are invited to apply for the Appalachian Entrepreneurship Academy. The Appalachian Entrepreneurship Academy will bring together 26 rising high school seniors from all over Appalachia to work and learn alongside top entrepreneurs, startups, and businesses leading innovation in the region through a four-week, all expenses paid, immersive experience in Pittsburgh, PA. Students will team up with other students to develop a business idea or innovation and at the end of the 4 weeks your team will present it to a panel of judges and investors in a pitch competition for a chance to win $1k. Application deadline
is March 6, 2020. For more information and to apply, visit https://www.surveygizmo.com/s3/5400227/ARC-AEA-Student-Application

- The SCC Robotics Team finished out their First Tech Challenge Competitions with their best showing ever! With Captain Gabe Rogers, Drivers Eddie Wirth, Collin Wickizer, Caleb Woodley-Dickinson & Matt Searles, and Scouts Lincoln Lin, Aidan Winters & Vincent Arlequin the team finished 4th of 17 teams in the Qualifiers and moved on into the Semi-finals. During the Semi-finals, we were selected for an Alliance by the 2nd place team and with them won our Semi-final match. This moved us into the Finals match, where we finished in 2nd place overall. A super ending to our First Tech Challenge year!

Now we will transition into our SUNY-Broome competition, where we will compete in six different categories of Legos and VEX Robotics. There is still time to join our group and learn to build, program and compete at this competition on April 1st. We meet Mondays after school from 3 to 5 PM in room 210. Come see us and what we can do on Feb 20th during the STEM night here at SCC!

- The PreACT will be offered at Seton Catholic Central during school hours on February 27, 2020 to all 10th grade students. The PreACT is optional but highly encouraged. Please check your email for more information.

- Seton boys swimming defeated the Oneonta Yellow jackets on Friday 99 to 83. Led by Jack Olsian's four wins. Other outstanding performances were turned in by Sam Allen and Adian Howard. Great job and good luck on the remainder of the season.

- The League of Women Voters of Broome and Tioga Counties is accepting applications from high school juniors and seniors for the NYS Students Inside Albany Conference to be held May 17-20, 2020. The deadline for receipt of applications and references is February 3, 2020. For additional information and application materials, visit http://www.lwv-broometioga.org.

- On Tuesday, March 3rd Broome Tioga BOCES is holding their Center for Career & Technical Excellence open house from 5:30-7:30. All students and parents are welcome to explore the unique classrooms and tour their state-of-the-art facilities, meet with staff, and receive more information regarding courses and training offerings.

- Driver’s Education Spring Session for High School Students is being held at SUNY Broome Community College. Registration ends on January 27th, 2020. Please see your Guidance Counselor for details or go to www.sunybroome.edu/ce

- Please join us for our second annual Stem Night on Thursday, February 20th from 6:30-8:00pm. Representatives from; BAE, Lockheed Martin, Binghamton University, Animal Adventure, Cornell Cooperative, Ross Park Zoo, Roberson Museum, Kopernik Observatory, Raymond Corporation, etc. K-12 Welcome!

Note: Science Fair awards immediately afterwards for Grades 7-12

- SUNY Broome is offering SAT test prep for the May 2nd test. Visit your counselor for details or please call 778-5012/ visit www.sunybroome.edu/ce to register online by February 28. There are only 15 spots available!

- The annual STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) Pathways Evening will take place on Thursday, February 27, 2020 from 4:30-7:00pm at Binghamton University’s Innovative Technologies Complex.
Youth in grades 7-12 as well as parents and educators are invited to learn more about career opportunities and the pathways to achieve desirable careers in the STEAM fields. Meet local STEAM businesses, Binghamton University and SUNY Broome students, and college advisors. For more information and to register, visit https://conta.cc/306P2O1

- Lockheed Martin is seeking high school software engineering interns. An intern in this position will work closely with a team of engineers in a technical application area such as military aircraft avionics, mission systems, sensor subsystems or mail handling systems, unmanned vehicles, mission planning, simulation or automation. Candidates that have a strong desire to engage, and understand the fundamentals of engineering are encouraged to apply. For more information and to apply, visit https://www.lockheedmartinjobs.com/job/owyego/software-engineering-high-school-intern/694/14546595

- Girls Who Code Club at Binghamton University is accepting student applications from Broome County High School females for their Spring Session. Girls Who Code is a national nonprofit organization working to close the gender gap in the technology and engineering sector. This program runs Saturday mornings from February 8 to May 2. For additional information and to register, visit https://www.gwcatbinghamton.com/

- Attention Juniors: Applications for the New Visions program are now available in the Guidance Office. Applications are due February 12, 2020.

- BAE Systems invites students in grades 9-12 to participate in their Engineering Pathfinder Program. Engineering Pathfinder participants will work closely with engineers from BAE Systems and other area institutions. Each week there will be videos, guest speakers, and hands-on projects in a variety of engineering disciplines for students to take part in. The program takes place on Monday evenings from February 3, 2020 - May 4, 2020. There is no cost to participate in this program. For additional information contact Cameron Vakili at Cameron.Vakili@BAESystems.com.

**HS Yearbook**

- Progress on the high school yearbook is underway, the price is $80. Books can be purchased online at Lifetouch.com, go under yearbooks and enter school code 13225420. High School Yearbook orders can also be made in school through Mrs. Schmidt by cash or check made out to Seton Catholic Central.

- Baby Pictures for Seniors are due by Monday January 27th. Please send to mschmidt@syrdiocese.org or send in a hard copy that we will scan and return.

- There are one full ad page left in the High School yearbook. This page can be split up as an eighth, quarter, half or sold as a full. Email Ms. Schmidt if you are interested. Please submit a digital ad or photos and text of what you want for the yearbook staff to put together. Prices are Full Page- $200, Half Page- $125, Qtr Page- $75, Bus Card-$50. Email Mrs. Schmidt at mschmidt@syrdiocese.org with your ad or to answer any questions.

God Bless,
Mr. Martinkovic
Principal