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From the Principal's Desk

As the first semester comes to an end, I want to encourage all of you to look through Power School. Report Cards went live yesterday. Parents and students alike have access to all grades throughout the year, and we want to encourage a healthy amount of oversight. If you have specific questions or concerns, I urge you to call or email your child's teacher. Our voicemail and email inboxes are always open!

As the second semester begins, I want to welcome everyone to what comes next!

- Seniors have the end of their high school careers in their sights! College, Senior Portfolios, Prom and Graduation!
- Underclassmen are ramping up for AP and Regents exams, SATs, and selection sheets for courses and Academies.

The Spring is a wonderful time... and it is right around the corner!

Have a great week Lancers!

Mr. Junik

Prepare for Prom

By: Jarett dePerio

Before you know, it will be time to shop for dresses and tuxedos; time to get those boutonnières and corsages, limos and pictures. That's right! Prom will be upon us much sooner than you may think! On January 12th, the Senior and Junior senate members took a trip to our venue for this year's prom. A spacious interior coupled with tons of downtown culture and themes, our prom will be held at Riverworks in the heart of Downtown Buffalo.



Everyone is extremely excited for this year's dance, and we can't wait to see what 2023's prom has in store! Don't take it from me though, take it from Junior VP Carter Spaulding: "Get ready to have a blast at prom as we get lit under the city lights! Be there or be square!" Keep an eye out for future updates about prom and other school events in the weekly "Scoop!"

The Week Ahead

Mon. Feb. 6th - A Day

***REGULAR DRESS CODE**

Tues. Feb. 7th - B Day

***REGULAR DRESS CODE**

Wed. Feb. 8th - C Day

***REGULAR DRESS CODE**

Thurs. Feb. 9th - A Day

***REGULAR DRESS CODE**

Fri. Feb. 10th - B Day

***ST. MARY'S PRIDE DRESS**

***Registration Deadline for 3/11
SAT - Collegeboard.com**

A New Legend Added to the Rafters

By: Josh Gennocro

The Buffalo Sabres unveiled a new legend to the raptors on January 19th. Ryan Miller's banner was raised to the rafters where the rest of the Sabres legends are! Ryan Miller was a goaltender for the Sabres from 2002 - 2014. He won a Vezina Trophy in 2007 and a silver medal in the 2010 Winter Olympic Games.

Ryan Miller had such a great career. He was a great guy on and off the ice and will be regarded as one of the best Sabres players of all time. He was so good that he led the Sabres to the 2007 Eastern Conference Finals, where they eventually fell in seven games to the Ottawa Senators. Ryan Miller will always be remembered as a Sabres legend!



Mon. Feb. 6th

5 pm - **W. JV Basketball**

@ Mount St. Mary

Tues. Feb. 7th

8 pm - **Club Hockey** vs EA @ EA

Wed. Feb. 8th

4/5:30/7 pm - **M. Basketball** @ Canisius

Thurs. Feb. 9th

4:30/6 pm - **W. Basketball** @ Nichols

Fri. Feb. 10th

4/5:30/7 pm - **M. Basketball** @ Nichols

9 pm - **Club Hockey** vs St. Joe's @ Cheektowaga

Sat. Feb. 11th - No Contests

Sun. Feb. 12th

8:30 am - **Club Hockey** vs St. Joe's @ Hyde Park

All Day - **Wrestling** CHSAA Tourney @

St. Anthony's



Important Dates

February 8th - Senior Day of Caring Group #1

February 16th - Financial Reality Fair sponsored by Bank on Buffalo (Juniors & Seniors)

February 17th - Senior Day of Caring Group #2

February 28th - Senior Day of Caring Group #3

FEBRUARY SWEEPS!



Virtual Sweepstakes
Siesta Key Getaway
1-Week Stay
2-Bedroom, 2-Bath Condo - Sleeps 6
Donated by Tom & Kara (Schaller) Bestpitch '96

\$50 per chance **\$3,000 value**

SM Tickets on sale Feb. 1st - 28th

IMPORTANT SAT INFO

St. Mary's High School is excited to, once again, offer an SAT Prep course to our students. The course will cover both verbal and math skills and help students to navigate the intricacies of the SAT exam given by the College Board. The course offered will serve either the March 11th or the May 6th exams.

The course is \$90 (Review book included)

Payments can be made by cash, check, or charge. The course will run 4 days a week for 3 consecutive weeks.

*** Note: Registration for the SAT exam itself is done separately through the College Board website. St. Mary's cannot register individual students for the exam!**

SESSION I

March 11th Exam

- Registration deadline for the actual exam is February 10th.
- **Registration deadline for the prep course is February 3rd.**

Course Dates:

- February 14th – 17th (Tuesday – Friday)
- February 27th – March 2nd (Monday – Thursday)
- March 6th – 9th (Monday – Thursday)



St. Mary's High School
presents
Ski Day
at
Holiday Valley®
Saturday, February 11, 2023
8:30 am - Close
\$80 per student
Includes: All-day lift ticket,
Hot Cocoa Bar, & Finger Foods
All levels of skiers and snowboarders welcome!
Bring your own skis or rent them
(additional cost)
Reserve your spot at smhlancers.org.
\$100 per adult!
Contact Doug Buczak at
(716) 683-4824
dbuczak@smhlancers.org

Session II

May 6th Exam

- Registration Deadline for the actual exam is April 7th (Good Friday).
- Registration deadline for the prep course is March 31st.

Course Dates:

- April 17th – 20th (Monday – Thursday)
- April 24th 27th (Monday – Thursday)
- May 1st – 4th (Monday – Thursday)

