

PROVIDENCE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



PROVIDENCE PARENTS AND GUARDIANS,

It has been a smooth and successful transition back to school after a long and restorative break. Second semester is off to a great start, and I want to share some updates, highlights, and reminders.

Update

Acceptance letters have been sent to prospective members of the Class of 2027, and registration has begun. We are excited about the increased number of potential new freshman, and the counselors have been working tirelessly to create course placement recommendations.

Hats Off!

Tremendous respect and thanks to Jenna Palmer, Eileen Copenhaver, and the girls' basketball staff and players for Super Celtics Basketball Camp for Special Needs Children. It was held January 5th and 6th, and if you haven't seen pictures, you should check them out on our social media.

Congratulations to the Providence hockey program for incredible results on their annual trip to Minnesota, with both teams taking first place! The JV team won the Rasmus Memorial Tournament, and the Varsity team won the Wayzata JGA Invitational.

Our Celtic Bowlers finished 3rd in the Chicago Catholic League Championship. They had an exciting season, and the future of the program is bright.

Upcoming Events

Wishing good luck to our Dancing Celtics as they compete in IHSA Sectionals on Saturday, January 21st. The girls placed 2nd out of 23 at the Huntley Invitational and are in great shape for a run to State.

Boys' Basketball Alumni Night will be January 27, 2023, where we will honor Walter Downing '81 with a ceremony at 7 p.m. prior to the Boys' Varsity game. There will be a reception after the game for all Basketball alumni, coaches and managers.

The Counseling Department invites you to join us on February 1, for Mindful Parenting, an educational series to help parents gain an understanding of common issues affecting teens. The program is presented by Lotus Therapy Group at 6:00 p.m. in the Commons. See the flyer for more information.

There are many upcoming events for the Celtic community and alumni, so please be sure to visit the website to learn more.

Thank you,
Paul Houston | Principal



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

VIEW DETAILS FOR EVENTS AT
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- 1/27: BASKETBALL ALUMNI NIGHT HONORING WALTER DOWNING '81
- 1/29: NFC/AFC WATCH PARTY
- 1/30: CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK MASS
- 2/1 AND 2/2: SOPHOMORE SCHEDULING
- 2/2: MEN'S CLUB SWEEPSTAKES EARLY BIRD DRAWING
- 2/5: FASHION SHOW
- 2/9: MUSIC DEPT. STEP UP NIGHT
- 2/11: SWEETHEART DANCE
- 2/24: TRIVIA NIGHT
- 2/28: ALL-FEMALE ATHLETE REUNION
- 3/2: MEN'S CLUB SECOND EARLY BIRD DRAWING
- 3/3: ST. PATTY'S DAY PARTY
- 3/28: MEN'S SWEEPSTAKES DRAWING AND DINNER

CELTIC HIGHLIGHTS

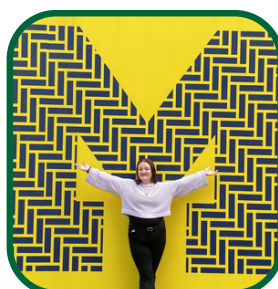
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Parents: Join us on Feb 1 for a series to help you understand common issues that impact teens. Read more.



Music students in 5th-8th grade are invited to come join the Singing Celts or the PCHS Concert Band for a night of music-making and laughter! Learn more about music at Providence Catholic and meet our musicians at this special event.



This past summer, Providence Catholic sophomore Addison Gosslin was accepted into the University Michigan Chamber Youth Choir program – an exciting opportunity as she continues on her high school journey.



Providence Catholic High School is pleased to announce the hiring of new Head Soccer Coach Mike Taylor, who will oversee both the boys' and girls' soccer teams.



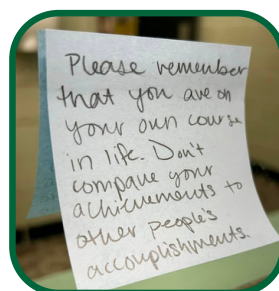
When everyone's included, everyone wins." Providence Catholic Girls Basketball hosted a Super Celts Special Needs Co-ed Camp along with some special Providence Catholic student-athletes and coaches.



Over break, Celtic Baseball took part in community service at Feed My Starving Children - Aurora.



Students are getting back in the swing of things in Honors Biology with a "sweet" group project. In this activity, students modeled the shape of our DNA with candy while learning how the four chemical bases are formed in very specific ways.



The Providence Catholic girls continue to encourage their classmates with these inspirational notes on the washroom mirrors.

HARVEST DRIVE

The Harvest Drive Directory is up online! Be sure to visit the directory when searching for a vendor or company for anything from realtors to restaurants and more! These businesses have generously supported the Harvest Drive Fundraiser, so let's support them in return.

www.providencecatholic.org/harvest-drive/

Providence Catholic
Counseling Department
is hosting:

MINDFUL PARENTING

AN EDUCATIONAL SERIES TO HELP
PARENTS GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING
OF COMMON ISSUES AFFECTING
TEENS PRESENTED BY LOTUS
THERAPY GROUP



**Wednesday,
February 1, 2023
6:00 pm
PCHS Brown Student
Commons**

There are two sessions scheduled for the evening.
Parents will select from the following topics for each session (two total):

UNDERSTANDING TEEN ANXIETY

SAMANTHA MACIAGA, MA, LCPC

CHRISSY HACK, MSW, LSW, PEL

RECOGNIZING THE BIG AND LITTLE TRAUMAS IN YOUR TEEN'S LIFE

KENDRA DEFRANK, MA, LCPC

BRIEA FRETEL, LCSW, CADC

HOW TO UNDERSTAND, IDENTIFY, AND PREVENT DISORDERED EATING WITH YOUR CHILD

LISA CARROLL, MS, RD, LDN

RECOGNIZING PERFECTIONISM AND UNDERSTANDING ITS IMPACT

SARAH HART, MA, LCPC

LAUREN OSTER, MA, LCPC



Please RSVP here to help us plan for
the evening

Snacks and refreshments will be provided.