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REILLY REPORT

Last night we graduated the 102 Wildcats in the Class of 2010. It seems like just a year or two ago they were celebrating their First Eucharist. (You might be interested to know 87% of that second grade class stayed here through graduation!) On the other hand, they have grown immensely. They are certainly ready to "Go make a Difference" as Nathan H. charged them last night in his Valedictory Address. Please see the attached pages from the program.

iWalkamania has reached every corner of our campus. By the time you read this you will know if we reached our goal. I sincerely hope you noticed sensitivity to the aggressive goal of \$40,000. We intentionally minimized the competition that increases pressure on individual students and families. As of Friday morning, we were just over \$31,000....



On Friday, June 4th, there will be a slight change to our afternoon dismissal. **The back Boomer Road entrance by the tennis courts will be closed during afternoon dismissal.** Only the main driveway entrance will be in use for car riders and buses entering AND exiting. The Athletic Association is having the annual Pig Roast tent erected that day in order to have time for the proper inspections. We will have police officers at the main entrance to help parents and buses get into and out of the lot as efficiently as possible. The road construction crew is also cooperating with us to make the traffic as manageable as possible. We appreciate your patience and cooperation.

Our Student Council elections were held last Friday. We admire all for their courage to run and admiration for their willingness to serve their fellow students and our school. Our new Student Council Officers are: Rachael P.-President, Claire T.-Vice President, and Audrey W.-Secretary.

A final reminder...

ALL account balances (Tuition, Cafeteria, Library, Morning Care, & After School Care) must be paid in full by 11AM on June 1st in order for students to receive their report cards/next year's homeroom placement. After this time, even if balances are fully paid before dismissal on the last day, report cards will need to be picked up at the business office. Tuition questions should be directed to Barb Campbell in the Parish Office on Tuesday or Thursday at 661-6565.

No School on Monday in honor of Memorial Day

If you are a parent of a student with a **cow's milk allergy**, please be sure to see the special Cafeteria note located in School News regarding a procedure change for next school year.

Students have logged 6,325 miles so far during our end of the year "**15 Days of Fitness.**" With three school days remaining in the quest for the coveted big stinky shoe, here are the current leaders (miles per student):

Grade K: Room 107	Grade 4: Room 302
Grade 1: Room 203	Grade 5: Room 305
Grade 2: Room 114	Grade 6: Room 313
Grade 3: Room 211	Grade 7: Room 311

Overall Leaders:

1st – Room 302 with 17.7 miles/student
2nd – Room 114 with 17.2 miles/student
3rd – Room 211 with 15.7 miles/student

LUNCH MENU

(fruit and milk are served daily)

Week of May 31st

Monday	No School
Tuesday	Hamburger/Cheeseburger, potato
Wednesday	Hot Dog, miscellaneous potato
Thursday	Miscellaneous pizza, carrots & dip
Friday	Chicken patty, vegetable

UPCOMING LITURGIES

June 1	Mr. Gemperline/Chastang	9:15AM
June 8	All School Mass, K	9:15AM

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 31	No School – Memorial Day
June 2	1 st Grade Field Trip – Zoo
June 3-4	Health & Safety Fair
June 3	15 Days of Fitness ends
June 5	Pig Roast
June 7	Olympic Day Market Day Pickup 6-7PM
June 8	Last Day of School



St. Ignatius has earned the 2009-2010 Buckeye Best Healthy School Award! This was awarded based on our efforts to develop school health policies and programs that promote a healthy environment. Thank you to Mrs. Wissel, Mrs. Bachman, and Mrs. Seifert who were on the research team for this award. Attention to the physical health of our students is high on our list, right next to the academic, social, moral, emotional, and, most importantly, spiritual health of everyone here.

Speaking of good health, our annual *Good Health is No Accident* Health/Safety Fair is ready to launch next week. Students will be bringing home an outline of the events and presentations they attended. Our purpose with the Fair is to provide students with healthy reminders as they head out for summer fun and relaxation.

SCHOOL NEWS

CAFETERIA NOTE REGARDING MILK

The USDA has announced a change to their rule regarding Milk Substitution for Children with Medical or Special Dietary Needs. For students with a recognized disability who cannot consume cow's milk, the school/cafeteria must now have on file a written statement from a licensed physician in order to obtain a substitute drink. For further questions, please contact Nancy Bachman, 389-3242, ext 2010.

WILDCATS ON THE MOVE



Congratulations to the newest members of the Ten Mile Club: Alexander B., Hanna F., Grace H., Allen N., Stephen S., Madison V., Olivia B., Timm R., Gabriell W., Amber T. We offer a special congratulations to Gracie F., Erin G., Evan H., Hannah L., Matthew N., Jack O., Grace R., Andrew S., Louis W., Clare W., Luke G., Summer H., Mitchell K., Riley O., Logan A., Sara R., Rose N., and Joseph V. for reaching the 50 Mile Club. A huge congratulations to Sophia K., Connor F., Edie L., Graceanne S., Daniel H., Daniel K., Matthew W., and Kyle R. for reaching 100 Miles! We also have a brand new member of the 250 Mile Club – Derek S.! Way to go! Keep walking!

SCRAPBOOK PHOTOS NEEDED

Memory albums are being made of each grade and we need printed photos of as many children as possible. Please take a minute to gather some extra pictures that you may have taken of school functions such as parties, field trips or special days and send them into your homeroom teacher labeled accordingly:

- Kindergarten-Valerie Sharpshair
- 1st grade-Melissa Linneman
- 2nd grade-Tera Wolf
- 3rd grade-Alison Nieman
- 4th grade-Judy Belanger
- 5th grade-Kathy Hoernschemeyer
- 6th grade-Jane Oka
- 7th grade-Maria Leonhardt

This effort is different than pictures for the yearbook. If you have digital photos for the yearbook please email them to Susan Drago at sdrago12000@yahoo.com.

ALUMNI NEWS

Congratulations Kathryn G., class of 2007, for recently receiving the Catherine McAuley Award, the highest award given at McAuley. Katie was recognized by the faculty at McAuley for her commitment to her school, community, faith, and all that she exhibits to those around her and exhibiting the ideals of Mother McAuley.

Bravo to the following St. Ignatius alums who received nominations or commendations for their participation in high school theatre at McAuley High and St. Xavier High School (If we missed anyone please let us know): Justine and Celina J., Andrew

K., Katie G., Nora G., Samantha M., Katlyn K., Michael S., Katie F., Tracy and David M.

PARISH NEWS

KIDZSHOW 2010

St. I's is doing a show this summer! Want to be a part of it? Sign-up sheets are available in the school office. Any student in Grades K through 12 may join the cast. (We hope to have a big dance number with high school kids.) Rehearsals will start in mid-June. Adults are needed for writing, coordinating, and staging. For more information, contact Jenny Bates.

WOMEN WHO INSPIRE

As part of McAuley's 50th anniversary festivities, a special evening recognizing *Women Who Inspire* will be held in October. Nominations are currently being solicited. Nominators and nominees need not be affiliated with McAuley. For detailed information, criteria, and how to nominate a woman who has influenced you, visit:

www.mcauleyhs.net > about McAuley > 50th Anniversary Celebrations > Women's Forum on 10/28. Deadline for nominations is June 1st. Please contact Brigitte Foley at 681-1800 or Angela Morrissey at 256-4311 with any questions.

ENRICHMENT NEWS

ORCHARD HILL SWIM CLUB

Orchard Hill Swim Club is hosting an Open House on Saturday, May 29, 2010 from 11AM-3PMpm. Stop by for a tour of the facilities. This is also the date for the second sign-up for Swim and Dive Team. Ask for Matt or Kevin to sign-up. If you have any questions contact Sandy Stross.

SUMMER CAMP INFO

Information on the following summer camps is available in our school office:

British Soccer Camp
Cheviot Summer Basketball Camp
Cincinnati Recreation Commission
– Spanish Language Summer Enrichment
Elder High School Color Guard Clinics
Elder High School 2010 Summer Camps
LaSalle Summer Camps
McAuley Sports Camps
McAuley Summer Enrichment Camps
Mercy Healthplex Kids Camps 2010
Mercy High School 2010 Summer Camps
Miami University Summer Reading Skills
Mt. St. Joseph Basketball Camps
Mt. St. Joseph Football Camps
Northern Kentucky University Camps
Spanish Summer Class
St. Ignatius Laffalot Summer Camp
St. Ignatius Volleyball Camp
St. Ursula Volleyball Camp
St. Ursula Summer Camps
Vandergriff Summer Gymnastics Program
Western Sports Mall – Volleyball Camp
Western Sports Mall –
Co-Ed Junior High Volleyball Leagues
Xavier University Soccer Camp
YMCA Camp Ernst

