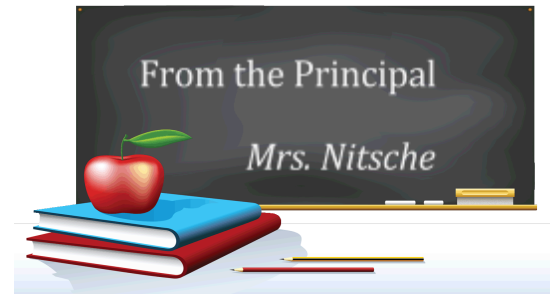


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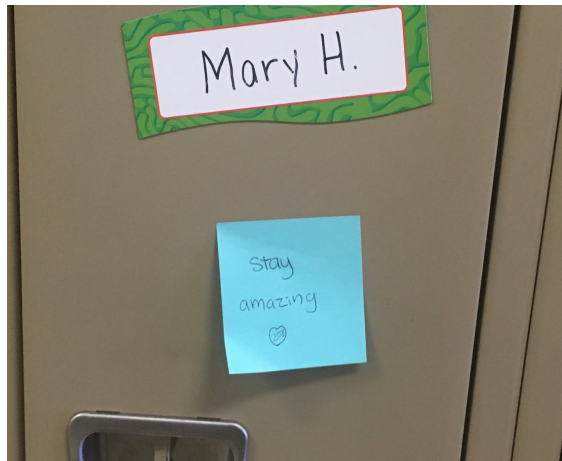
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I would just like to thank one of our seventh grade students, Caroline Knight, for being an advocate of the message we want to instill in all children here at St. Cajetan. Caroline was trying to think of a way to build community within the school. She met with Ms. Kyler and developed the idea of lining ALL the lockers in the Upper Grade Center with sticky notes containing motivational sayings or positive messages. Two hundred sticky notes later and our students were treated to a wonderful surprise as they arrived at their lockers Friday morning. Below are some of the messages shared.

You're Awesome  
Stay Amazing  
Believe in Your Dreams  
Dare to be Different  
Be Proud of Yourself



Positive behaviors are contagious so be go emulate Caroline's actions and make a difference in someone's day!

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## All School Mass

Wednesday, February 15th at 8:30 marks our next all school mass.

## St. Baldrick's T-shirts

DUE TODAY!!! If you would like to order a St. Baldrick's t-shirt, please print out the [order form](#) attached. The students will be able to wear these shirts for a dress down day in March. To sign up or donate for this cause please visit <https://www.stbaldricks.org/events/stcajetan17>



## Boy's Basketball- Pack the House

The 8th grade boys basketball team will play their very last home game in our gym on Monday, February 13th at 8:00 pm. Come on out and give them the send off they deserve!!

## **Boy's Volleyball**

Bump, Set, Spike- come on out this Spring and play Boy's Volleyball. See the attached [registration form](#) if you are interested in playing.

## **Confirmation Retreat**

Wednesday, February 15th at 7:00 in Memorial Hall, our 8th grade students and their Confirmation sponsors will be gathering with Fr. Richie Mercado for their Confirmation Retreat.



## **Crossing Guards**

We have received a few concerns regarding the adult crossing guards not being at their posts. Please know we are working very closely with the Ward Office to make sure these posts are covered at all times. There was a substitute guard last week at one post but our regularly assigned guard is back. If you ever pass by in the morning and do not see a guard by 7:30, please call the school office immediately.

## **Dress Down for Fox's Dine-Out**

If you attended out Fox's Night, you may dress out of uniform on Monday, February 13th. The kids received their dress down passes today in school. If your child does not come home with one, please email the teacher directly.

## **Fun Lunch**

Waldo Cooney's will be sponsoring our next Fun Lunch on Wednesday, February 15th.



## **Increased Illness**

Over the past two weeks we have had an increase in the amount of children calling in or going home sick. We have asked the teachers to do a thorough cleaning of the desks, chairs and doorknobs and followed that up with the cleaning staff giving attention to banisters, outside doors, etc. We are asking that if your child is home sick, they do not return unless they are fever free for more than 24 hours. Also, please speak to your children about the importance of washing their hands regularly. The attached [flyer](#) may be helpful in learning about flu symptoms and treatment options.

## **Irish Sweatshirts**

FSA will be ordering sweatshirts for St. Patrick's Day. Please see the attached [order form](#). All orders are due February 13th.

## **No School Feb 17 & 20**

February 17th is a Staff Professional Development Day so students will not be in attendance. February 20th is President's Day, which is a non-attendance day for staff and students. Happy LONG weekend!!

## **Preschool Waiting List**

Preschool is filling up quickly for next year so I **HIGHLY** encourage any parents interested in this program to register next week if you are looking for specific days. If you know someone who attended our Open House that is not a current parent, please pass this information along.

## **Trivia Night Thank You**

A great time was had by all that attended Trivia Night. Thank you to Shannon Gall, School Board Members and the entire team of volunteers. Your hard work paid off!

## Valentine's Day

Since we absolutely **LOVE** our students, we are giving them a free red and pink dress down day on Tuesday, February 14th. Happy Valentine's Day! Student Council will also be selling heart-shaped suckers at lunch for \$1.00. Individual teachers will be sending home details regarding classroom events so be on the lookout for that.

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## Community News

Frozen in February -Sing along with the McAuley Choir [flyer](#)

## Ridge Run



