

# ECHOES OF ANGELS

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ...

## Report Cards

Tomorrow is the end of the 2nd quarter. Report cards will be available for viewing after 3:00 on January 20. You must be current in tuition to be able to view report cards. As a gentle reminder, you must also be current by February 15, or students will not be allowed to return to school.

## Choir News

Advanced choir will rehearse tomorrow and regular choir will begin next Friday, January 20 after school.

## Concert

Mrs. Taylor will be playing a triple concerto (flute, violin, and harpsichord) with the Elmhurst Symphony this Saturday at Mayslake in Oakbrook at 1:30. She will also be playing next Sunday, January 22 at Elmhurst Christian Reformed Church at 3:00. For more information: [www.elmhurstsymphony.org](http://www.elmhurstsymphony.org).



## Martin Luther King Assembly

Unlike years past, we will not be in school for Martin Luther King Day on Monday. Therefore, we will be hosting our MLK Assembly led by our students tomorrow right after Mass (approximately 9:30) in the Conover Gym. Our keynote speaker is Clayton Muhammad who is an incredibly dynamic speaker. All are cordially invited to attend.

## Essay Contest Winners

Each year the Knights of Columbus sponsor an essay contest. The theme of this year's essay was religious freedom.





## Rosary Events

Rosary High School is hosting a movie night for all girls in grades 5-8 on Friday, January 20 from 5:30-8:00. There will be food, games, prizes, and a fun movie. To register call Sister Geraldine Kemper at 630-896-0831 x233 by January 18.

They are also hosting a Trivia Night at Oak Street Restaurant on Saturday, January 28 at 7:00 for adults. Cost is \$20 per person. Register at [www.rosaryhs.com/trivia](http://www.rosaryhs.com/trivia).

## Dupage STEM Expo

Dupage Area STEM Expo is an event for family fun that includes interactive exploration into science, technology, engineering, and math. Over 50 displays, presentations, shows, activities, and projects for students in grades K-6 are planned for Saturday, February 25, 10:30-3:30, at the Illinois Institute of Technology at the Dan & Ada Rice Campus in Wheaton. Admission and parking are free.

## School Store Open

Our school store will be open tomorrow afternoon for students in grades K-5. Order forms went home yesterday.

Congratulations to the following 8th graders whose essays received a first place rating and will be submitted to the District level: Nick Bianchi, Nick Coffman, Miranda Cuevas, Camden Kuttner, Sarah Shoaf, Carson Vest, Emma Leslie, Anna Lillwitz, Emily DuVall, Emma Kearby, Emily Lentz, Isabella Casanovas, Ryan Miller, Jack Scales, Doug Blankenheim, Gerald Gallagher, and Maxwell Myers.

## Spelling Bee

Our school spelling bee will be held this coming Thursday, January 19 at 8:00 in the Conover Gym. All are invited to attend.

## Calling All Flappers and Fellas for an Evening of Glitz and Glamour

Get dolled up for an evening of fun, feathers and fedoras! You are cordially invited to attend the Eleventh Annual Seraphim Ball on Saturday, March 11, 2017 at Pipers Banquets in Aurora. This year's 1920s-inspired theme, "Puttin' on the Ritz," promises to be a roaring good time for all.

Parents, parishioners and community members are invited to join us for a swanky evening of fundraising, music and spirits—including hors d'oeuvres, a three-course dinner, a live deejay, raffles, silent and live auctions, and a premium open bar—all while supporting Holy Angels Catholic School. The school will also raffle off a \$3,000 tuition credit for the 2017-2018 school year. Now that's the cat's meow!

For additional information, auction donations and all that jazz, contact Yvette McCue ([designsbyyvette@msn.com](mailto:designsbyyvette@msn.com)) or Amy Malatt ([amalatt@comcast.net](mailto:amalatt@comcast.net)).

## Ball Sign Up Parties

Calling all Holy Angels families and staff!! Are you interested in supporting the Seraphim Ball but not sure what to do? Why not be a host of a Sign-up Party? As a host you get to pick the activity, date, time and maximum number of participants for your party. The host coordinates the details of the party and supports all costs associated with it. A value will be assigned

for someone to participate in your party, then families will sign-up at the ball and pay that amount, which goes to the profits of the ball.

Some party ideas are:

- Pizza and bowling at Funway
- Rollerskating at Aurora Skate
- Back to school happy hour at someone's home in August
- First grade breakfast/tea party
- Mommy and Me Yoga
- Build your own sundaes with a teacher
- Craft and games
- Just for Men Poker Party
- Dance and pizza Party during lunch/recess
- Girls' manicure parties
- Movie night in the gym. Join teachers on a Friday night for a movie and popcorn
- Tank time - spend an afternoon at Cantigny Park exploring the army tanks

The possibilities are endless - you are welcome to come up with the theme/activity of your choice. Please contact Natalie Jump with any questions or to sign-up for a party at [njump76@gmail.com](mailto:njump76@gmail.com) or [630-802-1560](tel:630-802-1560).

## Fine Arts Fair

In conjunction with our Open House to celebrate the kick-off of Catholic Schools Week on Sunday, January 29, from 10:30-12:30, Holy Angels will be sponsoring a Fine Arts Fair in the school library. Every Holy Angels student is invited to submit one or two original works of art for display for the fair. Categories include photography, sculpture, fabric craft, painting, drawing, weaving, or any other original creation. Please mount any two-dimensional art on black poster board. All artwork must be labeled with the student's name and homeroom number. All entries must be submitted to Mrs. Williams' office by Friday, January 20. Please contact Bethany Hollarbush ([rnpqa@hotmail.com](mailto:rnpqa@hotmail.com)) or Ann Belskis ([annbelskis@gmail.com](mailto:annbelskis@gmail.com)) with any questions.

## Support our Knights of Columbus

All dads are asked to consider joining the Knights of Columbus. The Knights are a worldwide Catholic men's organization dedicated to helping support the parish, school, and community. For more information, please contact Pat Gengler at [patgengler@comcast.net](mailto:patgengler@comcast.net) or Norb Rozanski at [natr54@hotmail.com](mailto:natr54@hotmail.com). You can also check them out at [www.koc4849.net](http://www.koc4849.net).

The Knights are also sponsoring **Pasta for Priests** event on Saturday, January 21 from 5:00-7:00 in Connor Hall. The cost is \$10 per person or \$25 per family for salad, bread, all-you-can-eat spaghetti, a drink and dessert. This event will help support the awesome priests, seminarians, and evangelization efforts. They are also looking for students who may need service hours to help them with this event. Contact Pat Gengler if your child can volunteer.

## Free Throw Contest

The Knights of Columbus annual Free Throw Contest will be held on Tuesday, January 24 from 2:30-4:00 in the Conover Gym. All students ages 9-14 are encouraged to attend. Permission slips were distributed earlier this week. Students should hold onto these slips until the day of the event.

## Pancakes for Ava

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Holy Cross Church will be hosting a pancake breakfast for Ava Olson on Sunday, January 15 from 6:30 AM-1:30 PM. All proceeds benefit her DIPG brain tumor treatment.

### Next Week at a Glance

Monday - No School

Tuesday -

Wednesday -

Thursday - Spelling Bee 8:00 Conover Gym

Friday - Mass 8:15 & Hot Lunch

Report cards available

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#### Mass Times

Saturday: 4:30

Sunday: 6:45, 8:00\*, 9:30, 11:00

\*1st & 3rd Sundays Extraordinary Form of the Mass (in Latin)

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