

# ECHOES OF ANGELS

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ...

## A Note of Thanks

To Our Fellow Holy Angels Families,

I wanted to write this letter to reach out to our fellow Holy Angels families, staff, and community. I would like to thank you all for the tremendous generosity our family has received over the past several months. When being diagnosed with ovarian cancer back in March I was faced with so many uncertainties. Thanks to the boundless prayers, well wishes, donations, and meals I have been able to focus on healing from the surgeries and fighting through the side effects of chemo therapy. A simple "Thank You" does not even come close to expressing my gratitude. We have been blessed to be surrounded by the most amazing community. From the bottom of our hearts Thank You!

We hope everyone has a safe but wonderful summer.

God Bless,

Jenny Mitchell



## Above and Beyond

Students were honored today at our end-of-year assembly. Sixty-three 6th & 7th graders were honored with achieving honor roll status. In addition, thirteen students received *Perfect Attendance* awards. They are: Jacob Buchmiller, Nora Oester, Andrew Buchmiller, August Eggleston, Brecken Oester, Grace Aleckson, Cecilia Hilby, Marissa Masciola, Samantha Ochoa, Liam Schwartz, Kevin Stanislo, and Ryan Swann. Reagan Barr and Lanie Nash received an *Angelic Attitude Award*. Congratulations!

## Strutting Our Stuff

All students that participated in a sport were recognized during our sports assembly last week, but the class of 2018 had some





## Cadet Golf Outing

The Marmion Alumni Association is hosting it's 35th Annual Cadet Classic Golf Outing on Friday, July 20 at Bliss Creek Golf Course. There is an early bird discount of \$125/golfer until June 4. All registration after June 4 is \$135. The event begins at 1 PM with a shotgun start. All registration can be done online at [www.marmion.org/cadetclassic](http://www.marmion.org/cadetclassic) or by contacting Bill Fox at the Marmion Advancement Office at (630) 966-7665.

## Piano Lessons

David Kellen, our school organist, is offering piano lessons for students. If interested, he can be reached at [www.studiokmusic.com](http://www.studiokmusic.com) or by calling 630-461-5966.

## Summer Camps

Be sure to check our website for all the summer camps available to our students at the various high schools.

extraordinary student athletes. Our 8th grade gold basketball team went undefeated this past season and won the conference championship and tournament. The varsity football team finished 2nd. The 8th grade girls basketball team finished 3rd in the Aurora Catholic League and 2nd in the tournament. Our volleyball team got 3rd in the conference tournament and our varsity soccer team finished 4th.

We had seven athletes qualify for the State track and field finals. They were Katie Ubertino, Jackson Burroughs, Danny Chung, Michael Incandela, Jonathan Elliott, John Conover, and Morgan Berry. Four school records were broken this year in track and field. Katie Ubertino broke both the 800 meter and 1600 meter. Jackson Burroughs broke the 200 meter record, and the 4 x 200 relay team of Jackson Burroughs, Danny Chung, Michael Incandela and Jonathan Elliott broke the school record.

In the City of Aurora's Sports Fest our school team took 2nd place out of 18 other schools. Receiving 1st place finishes were our bowling team (Hannah Bartlett, Molly Griffin, Nick Ray, and Joey Siddiqui) and our tennis team (Anya Ritchie and Andrew Stephens.)

## Out with the Old and In with the New

Home and School is still looking for some willing volunteers to round out their leadership team. They could use a vice president, and chairs for the Easter Egg Hunt, 8th Grade Recognition Night, Family Bingo Nights, New Parent Program, and Spiritual Enhancement. Please contact Laurie Wirtz at [lukelaurie2@gmail.com](mailto:lukelaurie2@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining this remarkable team of volunteers.

## So Many Books, So Little Time

To prevent the summer slump, we require students to read throughout the summer. Students entering 1st grade are required to read 300 minutes (with parental assistance if needed). Students entering 2nd grade are required to read 500 minutes (with parental assistance if needed). Students 3rd-8th grades are to complete two book reports before the first day of school. One of the books must be a non-fiction book. For a list of recommended reading and the book report forms please see our website. You will find it under *Enrichment*.

In addition, we have free access to thousands of eBooks through Capstone Interactive. These eBooks can be used with a laptop, desktop computer, or an iPad. Check out all the titles available using the login information below. Go to [www.mycapstonelibrary.com](http://www.mycapstonelibrary.com). Login: summer18. Password: lovetoread.

## On a Closing Note

One of the things that Holy Angels does well is to say goodbye in style, and that's because we appreciate all those people who walk through our doors and who make us better people with their presence. With that being said, on behalf of the school, I would like to wish all those students who will not be returning next year a very fond farewell. Please know that they will be missed!

For the rest of you, we will see you at the Open House on August 21. Have a safe, restful, and enjoyable summer!

## Next Week at a Glance

Summer hours begin on Tuesday for the office. We will be here from 9:00 until noon throughout the summer.

## Bringing Home the Faith

### Summer Vocation Camps

Exploring vocations is an exciting and rewarding experience. The Diocese of Rockford's Office of Vocation's camps and retreats turn these experiences into fun, informative, and prayerful events. If you have any questions or would like more specific information, contact the Office of Vocations at (815) 399-4300 ext. 374. The cost of the camps is \$90.

**St. Therese** for young women (7th grade through college age) is June 24-27.

**Jeremiah Days** for young men (7th -9th grade) is July 8-11.

**First Call** for young men (10th grade through college age) is July 15-18.

<i>Mass Times:</i>	<i>Saturdays 4:30</i>
	<i>Sundays 6:45, 8:00 (Extraordinary Form, Latin, 1st &amp; 3rd Sundays), 9:30, 11:00</i>
<i>Confession Times:</i>	<i>Sunday after 9:30 Mass</i>
	<i>Tuesday after 8:00 Mass</i>
	<i>Wednesday 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM</i>
	<i>Friday after 6:30 AM Mass</i>
	<i>Saturday after 8:15 Mass and 3:15 PM - 4:00 PM</i>

**Mission Statement**

Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Holy Angels School is committed to spiritual formation, which nurtures the Catholic faith and inspires its practice. It is committed to academic excellence, which fosters the growth of each individual. Holy Angels School strives to meet the intellectual, social, and ethical challenges of living in a technological, global, and culturally diverse society.

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