



# Eagle Express News

Inspiring Hearts & Minds

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## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents,

Sad news to report, our condolences to chef Heidi Walters, whose father passed away last week. Mrs. Walters is back in the kitchen this week. Join us in sending prayers to her family.

On the flip side of the coin, I also have happy news- Mrs. Jasica, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher, delivered a beautiful, healthy baby girl this weekend! Georgia Joan Jasica was born on Saturday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>, 4 lbs. 15. oz. Mother and baby are doing well. Prayers to the Jasica family, as well!

This week we kicked off our **“Teach Love” Campaign**, with 10,000 acts of kindness in the week before Catholic Schools Week! All of the students, staff, parishioners, and you as parents, are encouraged to perform a total of 10,000 for the week. If your child does something kind at home, email their teacher and they will add it to our kindness fish bowl!

The **4K Lunch & Learn** is this Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:30-12:30. If you have a future 4K student please come to learn more about what we offer, and ask your questions about open enrollment, and the difference between MG 4K/Open Enrollment/our NEW Early Childhood Program. If you don't but know someone who does, please share this information with them!

The **Early Childhood Education Coffee** is coming up on Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-9:30 a.m. If you have a 3-4-5 year old that needs school and care, please come to learn more about what we offer, and get your questions answered. If you don't but know someone who does, please share this information with them!

**“Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed”** is the theme of this year's Catholic School Week, starting on this Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>. There will be a kick-off Mass at 10:15 on the 28<sup>th</sup>, followed by a Family Fun Day & Open House at the school. A revised Catholic Schools Week schedule is in the Eagle Express this week- a couple of days needed to be switched, please check it out!

Returning families make sure to submit your enrollment for next year by Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>. **After Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, the registration fee goes up to \$200, priority enrollment for current students/parishioners ends and we open our enrollment to families that are not current IHM families.**

Catholic Schools provide a firm foundation for the growth and development of your child. Pray for a year filled with faith and learning. Let us be a community of service to one another and to our world.

God Bless,

Callie Meiller, Principal

## Thank You!

Immaculate Heart of Mary School was awarded a \$3,000 grant towards a new playground from the Madison Gas & Electric Foundation. Thank you to Wendy Burch, Mike Kreigh (MGE employee), Matthew Matenaer (MGE employee) and Rachel Matenaer for making it possible!

## Office Reminders

♥ Returning families make sure to submit your online registration form for next year by Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> to pay only \$50 for registration.

## Upcoming Events

### January

- 24 Mid-Term Reports Available (Grades 6-8)
- 25 8:30 All-School Mass  
**11:30 4K Lunch & Learn**
- 26 No Uniform Day  
1:00 Lloyd Bachrach - “Yes You Can!”  
Speaker
- 28-Feb. 2 Catholic Schools Week
- 28 10:15 Catholic Schools Week Kick-Off Mass  
11:15-1:30 Open House & Family Fun Day
- 29 **Pajama Day** (Grade PreK-5)  
8:30 Grades 6-8: Field Trip to Cascade Mtn.  
2:00 Sledding
- 30 **Crazy Hair or Hat Day!**  
8:30 Math Olympics  
2:00 Speaker Johnny Walsh
- 31 **Dress in your Classroom Theme**  
8:30 Blanket Making  
1:30 Pep Rally  
2:00 Teachers vs. 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Game

### February

- 1 **Dress for your favorite team!**  
No Mass  
8:30 Spelling Bee  
1:45 All-School Bingo  
No Homework Club  
6:30 Talent Show
- 2 8:30 Mass  
2:00 All-School Dance

## PICTURE OF THE WEEK



*8<sup>th</sup> grader Jacqueline dribbles, unconcerned about defensive players flying towards her!  
Thanks to parent Jody McIntyre for the awesome picture!*

### In the Eagle Express This Week:

REVISED Catholic Schools Week Schedule  
Talent Show Flyer  
Candy Grams & Letter  
Taco Bar Flyer

### Lunch Line Volunteers This Week:

Thu. 25<sup>th</sup>: **Nathan McGree & Beverly Speece**  
Fri. 26<sup>th</sup>: **Donna Steffens**  
Mon. 29<sup>th</sup>: **Elizabeth Lynch**  
Tue. 30<sup>th</sup>: **Elizabeth Lynch**  
Wed. 31<sup>st</sup>: **Adrienne Klinger**

**Thank you for your help!**

### IHM Eagles Basketball

#### Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>

8:00 6<sup>th</sup> Boys at IHM  
9:15 6<sup>th</sup> Girls at IHM  
10:30 5<sup>th</sup> Girls at IHM

#### Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>

12:00 6<sup>th</sup> Girls at IHM  
1:00 5<sup>th</sup> Girls at St. Maria Goretti  
3:00 7<sup>th</sup> Boys at Sacred Hearts

**GO EAGLES!**

### **Did You Know?**

The money from the Gala Fundraiser goes to support IHM School? This is what has been raised for the last few years:

2014: Steps, brick wall, Marian Hall air conditioning  
2015: Entry way, school breezeway, classroom blinds  
2016: Lighting gym entrance, classroom upgrades  
2017: Security system, school windows  
For a total of \$87,225.29 !

