



Saratoga Central Catholic High School

# News and Notes

Preparation for College - Values for Life



*The call of Advent  
is a call to live wide awake  
so that we can be alert  
to God working in us  
and in our world  
to bring about the Kingdom.*

*Awareness is another  
way of talking  
about being awake.*

*Work today to be aware of the  
needs of people around you.*

***Progress Reports have been mailed out today!***

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***Math Tutoring!***

If you are interested in signing up for the math tutoring,  
Please contact Mike Niles before  
Thursday, December, 31, 2015

You may reach him at:

[mniles44@gmail.com](mailto:mniles44@gmail.com) or 518-729-6317

***COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID NIGHT***

Thursday, January 7, 2016

6PM

Room 104

A RPI financial aid advisor will be here to explain the financial aid process and the F.A.S.F.A. program (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)

## **GUIDANCE NEWS**

### **PSAT Results**

The October PSAT results will be emailed to the students by College Board within the month of December. Paper copies of the results will be sent to the school in January.

### **HVCC Spring Course Sign up**

The HVCC Spring Course Signup information is available in Mrs. Barnes office for those Junior and Senior students interested in taking a course. Students need to see Mrs. Barnes ASAP to sign up so that they do not get closed out of courses.

### **Free SAT Prep Exam**

Kaplan is offering 2 Free Full Length Practice SAT Exams for SCC students. This Practice SAT Exam will be the new SAT that will begin in March. Students can see Mrs. Barnes for an information flier.

Sign up is required at

February 3rd Exam      [bit.ly/spafebruary](http://bit.ly/spafebruary)

If the website does not work please call to register at 1-800-527-8378, please reference that it is the Saratoga Catholic Free SAT Practice Test and the date or dates that you would like your child to take the exam.

Sign up is required at least 1 week in advance of exam to ensure that there are enough proctors available.

## **SAT Prep Course**

Kaplan will be holding an SAT Prep Course at SCC from February 27 - April 23. The cost is \$629 if you sign up by February 1, 2016, registration will then increase to \$829. Sign up is at [kaplanatschool.com/spacatholic](http://kaplanatschool.com/spacatholic) or by calling at 1-800-527-8378.

## **Seniors**

This is a reminder to check with the schools to make sure that all of your information is there so that they can make a decision.

If you are planning on applying in the next few weeks. Remember that the Holidays are coming up and things get very busy. All requests that need to go out before Christmas Vacation need to be in Naviance by December 16th. This includes any request for a January 1st Deadline.

## **Scholarships**

### **Middle School/High School**

The Violet Richardson Award Honoring Young women for Volunteer Action  
This is for a young woman between the ages of 14 - 17 who volunteers in your community or school. See Mrs. Barnes for an application. Deadline is December 31, 2015.

## **Seniors**

### ***The Greater Capital Region of NYS PDK Scholarship***

This scholarship is available to any high school senior who will be majoring in education.

Application is available in the Guidance office. Deadline is March 1, 2016.

### ***New York Credit Unions Scholarships***

If you are a member of a NY Credit Union, they are all currently holding a scholarship program. Check with your individual Credit Union.

### ***The New York Credit Union Association***

NYCUA is also holding their own scholarship for anyone who has an account with

a NY Credit Union. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. Deadline is January 15, 2016

***Newcomer Funeral Service Group***

"The Tradition of Caring Scholarship - applications can be downloaded and printed at [www.NFSGI.com/scholarship](http://www.NFSGI.com/scholarship). See Mrs. Barnes if you would like a paper copy of application. Deadline January 31, 2015

***2016 GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program***

[www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships](http://www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships) Deadline is January 7, 2016

***Huntington's College Scholarship*** Sweepstakes Text "500" to 84444 to win \$500

**PEER MINISTRY - COMMUNITY SERVICE - RELIGION - NJHS & NHS**

**MARCH FOR LIFE AND YOUTH RALLY AND MASS!**

*Any high school student who would like to attend The March for Life and Youth Rally and Mass in Washington, D.C. on January 22, 2016, please email Mrs. McHale as soon as possible! [mchale@saratogacatholic.org](mailto:mchale@saratogacatholic.org)*

*Tickets are limited!*

*There will be approximately a \$60 /student cost for the bus.*

*We will be leaving the night of January 21 and traveling all night to arrive in D.C. in time for the Mass! We will be returning late January 22.*

**Please visit our photo gallery on our website for pictures of activities at Saratoga Central Catholic School.**

**[SCC Photo Gallery](#)**

If you have photos of activities or events please send them to:

[tarkleson@saratogacatholic.org](mailto:tarkleson@saratogacatholic.org)

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## DRAMA - CLUBS - OTHER ACTIVITIES

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The 2nd Edition of the Quibbler is out!  
You can read this by clicking on the link below or visiting our  
website.

[Quibbler Christmas Edition](#)

## Christmas "Pot Luck" 6th & 7th Grade Performances

Congratulations to all who participated in this wonderful event!  
A job well done!!







Auditions for the High School Musical  
"Mary Poppins"

Have been changed to:  
January 4th and 5th  
6-8pm  
in Room G-19

Students must prepare 16-32 bars of a Broadway show song and be prepared to dance.

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*Saturday Work Day*  
*December 19th - 12 - 4pm*

*We will also meet each Wednesday until vacation from  
2:30 to 3:30. No practice during vacation unless  
individual teams want to get together on their own.*

*If you have any questions please email me at*

[dubois@saratogacatholic.org](mailto:dubois@saratogacatholic.org)



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## ATHLETICS

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VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR THE ATHLETIC CALENDAR!

[www.saratogacatholic.org](http://www.saratogacatholic.org)

Go SAINTS!



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## FUNDRAISERS GRADES/ATHLETICS/EXTRA CURRICULAR EVENTS

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Stinky Dog is an artist-run business located on 488 Broadway in Saratoga Springs, NY.

They sell fun, locally produced products for dogs, cats and humans of all ages based on the art's lovingly created character, Stinky Dog.

Stinky Dog will donate 10% of all online purchases made by SCC families and friends to the school. Online shoppers simply choose our school (Saratoga Central Catholic) on the dropdown menu of the final checkout page (right above the Place Order button). This is an ongoing, year round offer.

For the month of December only, she is also willing to donate 10% of all in store purchases made by SCC families and friends to the school. In store shoppers should mention they

are with Saratoga Central Catholic to the cashier.

Please Visit Stinky Dog by clicking on the link below!

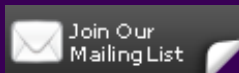
[Stinky Dog Website](#)

THANK YOU!



Please be sure to visit our website for more information and additional events happening!

[www.saratogacatholic.org](http://www.saratogacatholic.org)



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