

Guardian Angels Regional School

PRINCIPALS REPORT

Report on Annual Giving

2015-2016



MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL



Sr. Jerilyn Einstein, FMIJ

November is upon us and December is right around the corner. Our school hallways are filled with the sounds of children, laughing, talking and singing. Sounds which bring a smile to my face.

I am excited to share with you our school enrollment numbers are strong. This year we opened our doors with 197 students in

Kindergarten through 8th-grade and 58 students in Pre-Kindergarten, for a total of 255 students, which is an increase of 12.4% over last year's enrollment.

The dedication of our school administration, faculty and staff have been the driving force for this increase. Many hours outside of the office and classroom have been spent speaking with families and working with them to help make these families dreams of sending their children to our school become a reality. It warms my heart when I hear a parent tell me, "the smile on my son's face made me so happy. He is really excited to be going to your school."

With your support both through your prayers and your monetary donations we are making these dreams come true. For that, I am very thankful ~ thankful that you keep us in your prayers and thankful to our donors, who support of our schools mission financially.

Listed on the next few pages is a list of those who have supported us with their monetary donations as we recognize their support of our school.

The 2015-2016 Annual Fund raised more than \$30,000 for our school community. Our goal was \$40,000. Unfortunately, we did not reach the goal but we are prepared to reach that goal this coming school year.

The 2016-2017 Annual Fund will be beginning soon and I invite you to join those listed in this report in supporting our school.

We truly make a difference in the education of each and every child who enters our school.

Again, I thank you for keeping our school in your thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely in Christ,

Sr. Jerilyn Einstein, FMIJ
Principal

Guardian Angels Fund

We are grateful for the school families, graduates, parishioners, parents, friends, and corporations who have contributed to our Guardian Angels Fund.

Endowment Fund

The Mary E. Zamal Endowment Fund

Franciscan Society

Anonymous

Guardian Angels Society

Anonymous

Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Giuliano

Anonymous

Deacon John Colanero

Mr. & Mrs. Carl Eith

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Mr. & Mrs. William Koehl, Jr.

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Mr. Albert Zamal

Principals Club

Mrs. Rita DeLiberis

Mrs. Ruth Marcianna

Mr. Roy Myers

Mr. Fred Reel (Deceased)

Mrs. Carolyn Scott

Mr. & Mrs. Matt Sebastian

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Verdecchio

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Wagner

Members of GARS School Board

Wings Club

Faculty of GARS	Ms. Linda Sauer	Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Marinelli	Mr. & Mrs. James Tomasello
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Barrett	Mr. & Mrs. Gene Bindi	Mr. & Mrs. James Pandolfo	Staff of GARS
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Mrs. Joyce Ross	Mr. & Mrs. Jaison Kurichi	Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Silvestro	

Blue & White Club

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Mr. & Mrs. Frank Marcucci	Mr. & Mrs. John Coyle	Mr. & Mrs. Lance Gardner	Miss Maggie Gardner '13
Mr. & Mrs. Marcucci	Mr. Demarest, Sr.	Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Kacprowicz	Mr. Aaron Gimpel '14
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Mr. & Mrs. John Mullen	Mrs. Patricia Featherer	Mrs. Theresa Mick	Miss Veronica Tortella '11

In Memoriam Donations

Over the past year the following donations have been made in memory or in honor of someone. We greatly appreciate the families of those who have left this life to join Christ in heaven, for choosing to have donations made in memory of their loved ones to our school.

In Memory of Domenick Chila

Ms. Nancy Cox-Myers

In Memory of June Dee Ciconte

Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Warner

In Memory of Louis DiGiambattista

Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Corradetti

Col. & Mrs. Harry Magazu

Mrs. Mary Cipollini

In Memory of Joe Darpino

Mrs. Dolores Montecello

In Memory of Tom Love

CP Hill

In Memory of Robert Landolfi

Col & Mrs. Harry Magazu

In Memory of John DiGiovacchino

Ms. Carol Knestaut

In Memory of Deacon Bob Willson

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Morris

Ms. Rita Gallagher

Mr. & Mrs. Ramon Sanchez

In Memory of Rose Giorgianni

Ms. Florence Marcucci

Col. & Mrs. Harry Magazu

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Oliveri

In Memory of Lou Donofrio

Ms. Maria Bagliani

In Memory of Antonio Zampoglione

Ms. Anna Gattuso

In Memory of Frank Leone

Ms. Donna Nicholson

Ms. Joyce Magazu

Col. & Mrs. Harry Magazu

Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Marinelli

Mrs. Rita Nastasi

Mr. & Mrs. Nippy DiMarco

In Memory of Ronald Cook

Mr. & Mrs. Ron Garlit

Mr. & Mrs. Gary Cristini

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Bioni

Mr. & Mrs. Brian Brennan

Mr. & Mrs. Shawn Kaderabek

Mr. & Mrs. Robert List

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The Cook Family

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Hassett

In Memory of Jenny Goanta

Ms. Anna Gattuso

In Memory of Marg Contino

Ms. Anna Gattuso

In Memory of Mary Ferretti

Ms. Anna Gattuso

In Memory of Alfonso Flamini

Col. & Mrs. Harry Magazu

In Memory of Tom Morrison

Mr. & Mrs. Mark Campbell

Mrs. Mary Love

Mr. & Mrs. Ron Garlit

Mr. & Mrs. George Gruff

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Kain

Mr. & Mrs. James Devereaux

Mr. & Mrs. W. Dupper

Mr. & Mrs. Brian Brennan

Dr. Jim Sikorski & Dr. Beth Wangstrom

In Memory of Mary Krusewicz

Wing & Prayer Productions

Donor Honor Roll

The list of donors includes the names of those donations which were received between June 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016. All contributions to the Annual Fund are applied to the school's operating expenses for the fiscal year in which they were received unless specified by the donor. If we have missed your name or if it is listed incorrectly, please accept our sincere apologies and call the school advancement office at (856) 423-9440.

Guardian Angels Receives \$5,000 Grant from Healey Education Foundation

On Thursday, October 20th, our Pastor of St. Clare of Assisi Parish, Fr. Dave Grover and our school's Advancement Director, Mrs. Marcie Voight attended the Healey Education Foundation's SAGE Awards dinner at the Union League in Philadelphia.

The SAGE award is the, School Advancement Grants for Excellence. Each year for the past four years the Healey Education Foundation has recognized Catholic elementary schools and Catholic high schools who achieve excellence in the areas of development, enrollment management, governance, marketing, and communications.

This year, Guardian Angels Regional School was awarded one of the Healey Education

Foundation \$5,000 grants. The grant was received for our excellent work in attaining goals for our enrollment. For the 2016-2017 school year our school attained a 12.4% increase in enrollment from the previous school year.

The hard work and dedication of the members of our school administration, faculty, staff and families has come to fruition with an increase in our enrollment.

Our sights are already set on working towards another grant for the next school year. We would like to receive the growth in enrollment award and also the growth in annual fund award. Both of

these awards are attainable through perseverance and focus.

You can help us reach the award for largest growth in our annual fund by participating this year. Every dollar will count towards our goal, so please consider making a donation to the 2016-2017 Guardian Angels fund.

Congratulations, once again to all who have worked so hard to help our school grow!



Wings Take Flight—Class of 2016



We proudly celebrated the graduation ceremonies of the Class of 2016 this past June. Twenty young men and women excitedly received their diplomas with their sights set on things to come as they enter high school. The following students graduated Guardian Angels Regional School as members of the class of 2016.

Jacob Austin	Michael Kaderabek	Nicholas Onyemeke
Selena Chila	Emily MacGibeny	Dominic Pastino
Sean Cottrell	Brent McNair	Adam Stetser
Kaylie DiStefano	Ryan Mee	Andrew Tamagni
Nicholas Doumenis	Sarah Moriak	Gina Williams
Jenna Gattuso	Jacob Myers	Nicholas Worstall
Emily Holzworth	Allyson Narolewski	

The Year in Pictures



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Upcoming Events

Be sure to visit our website at www.gars-online.com

A look ahead:

November 24-27	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 2	Early Dismissal
December 8	School Closed—Holy Day of Obligation
December 23	Beginning of Christmas Holiday
January 3	School Re-opens

Principal's Report

Community Service

“What can we do for our community?”

This is a question we ask ourselves everyday as the Guardian Angels Regional School Community. Our students, faculty and staff are very involved with the communities that surround our school. As a school that follows the traditions of the Catholic faith it is very important to us that we follow Christ's example of “do unto others.” In the coming months we will connect with our community by reaching out and lending a hand when needed. We will be collecting gloves, scarves, hats and mittens for children in need, pajamas for children who may not have them, toys to help parents who can not afford them and many more activities to follow Christ's example.