

Seton Catholic Central May Newsletter

Where the Saints March to Excellence

From the Principal's Desk

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Les Mes Performances This Weekend - Seton Catholic Central is hosting the student production of Les Miserables on May 2, 3, & 4 @ 8:00 p.m. and May 5 @ 3:00 p.m. The production will take place in the auditorium. The production is open to the public. Tickets are \$10.00 for adults and \$6.00 for students and are available at the door. This is an ambitious production. Patrons will be genuinely impressed by the performance.

Post Prom Party Fundraiser – The senior class will be hosting a fundraiser at Uno's on the Vestal Parkway on Wednesday, May 8 from 11:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.

7th Grade Frost Valley Trip – The 7th Grade Frost Valley Trip is scheduled Monday – May 20 through Wednesday, May 22.

The Ascension of the Lord – Mass will be celebrated on Ascension Thursday @ 1:45 p.m. in the auditorium. Saints Awards for the third quarter will be presented after the Mass. Parents are welcome to attend.

Honoring the Blessed Virgin – On Tuesday, May 14 the Seton Catholic Central will honor the Blessed Virgin Mary with a procession and the recitation of the rosary. The program will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the auditorium with a reflection on Mary's life. At approximately 1:45 a procession will take place from the school to the band stand at Recreation Park. There the crowning ceremony will take place and the rosary will be recited. Parents and the public are invited to attend.

Uniform Day – Representatives from Flynn & O'Hara will be at Seton on May 14 from 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. to take orders for the 2013-14 school year. Please reference new uniform guidelines posted on the web page that will go into effect with the new school year.

National Honor Society Induction – The National Honor Society Induction ceremony will take place on Thursday, May 16 @ 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium.

Sponsor a Relay for Life Sign – Seton Catholic Central is hosting a Relay For Life on Friday, May 17 (6:00 p.m.) to Saturday, May 18 (6:00 a.m.). Relay For Life is a fundraising event where teams of students take turns walking a track all night long. The American Cancer Society's event brings the student body together to raise awareness and much-needed funds that enable the Society to save lives. ***You can support the Relay by sponsoring a sign. \$75 sponsor will have name or logo on sign in color with a cancer fact. \$50 sponsor will have name or logo on sign in black with a cancer fact.*** Deadline for ordering a sign is May 12. If you can help this great cause contact Rich Bucci @ 723-5307

Blood Drive – Seton Catholic Central will be hosting a blood drive for the American Red Cross on Thursday, May 23 from 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

English Department to Host Visiting Author - Maurice Broaddus will be visiting Seton on May 27 -29 to work with students to sharpen their writing skills. Maurice is the acclaimed author of "The Knights of Breton Court" trilogy, a re-working of Arthurian Legend in contemporary Indianapolis. He's sold well over thirty short stories and is an award winning editor. He's active in ministry and social work, and is an experienced writing teacher.

8th Grade State Science Assessments – The performance assessment will be administered on May 29 and the written assessment will be administered on June 3.

Senior Class Banquet – The senior class banquet will be held on Wednesday, May 29 from 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. in the cafeteria.

Instrumental Concert – The Instrumental Concert is scheduled for Thursday, May 30 @ 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium

Congratulations to Rose Bernier and Connor Ligeikis - Rose and Connor received the "2013 Frank G. Paul Medal for Excellence in Mathematics and Science" at a ceremony at Broome Community College on May 1.

American Chemical Society Awards – the Binghamton Section of the American Chemical Society recognized Nicole Blazicek and Jessica Rundell for their outstanding performance in the High School Chemistry Olympiad at a ceremony at Binghamton University on May 1.

Seton's Robotics Team Excels in Competition - Our Robotics Team, Filial Mechanics, competed against several other schools (SV, Harpursville, Sydney, Greene, BOCES New Visions Engineering and BOCES Evertech) on Tuesday April 30th at the Annual Southern Tier Robotics Competition held at Broome Community College. We captured both 1st and 2nd place in the Head to Head

Competition of Ball Capture and programmed a 2nd place finish in the Autonomous Task and Line Follow competition. Our team members were: Sam Breese, Liam Fontaine, Johnathon Van Atta and Grant Wenzinger.

50th Annual Athletic Fund Dinner – The 50th Annual Athletic Fund Celebration will be held Monday, May 20 at the Holiday Inn Arena. The cocktail reception will be held from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. This year’s honorees are: The 1998 Seton Catholic Central Golf Team, John Ellis and Patty Ellis, dinner coordinators and Chris Sinicki, Seton Catholic Central Athletic Director / Coach. Donation is \$75.00 per person. \$1,500 in prize money will be awarded. For ticket information contact Rich Bucci @ 723-5307.

Hengel Golf Tournament on the Horizon – The 9th Annual Hengel Sports Classic sponsored by the Catholic Education Foundation features 30 sports celebrities, 120 golfers and countless students that excel on the field and in the classroom. The tournament will be held at Traditions at the Glen on Thursday, June 13. If you are interested in participating in or sponsoring the tournament, please contact Rich Bucci @ 723-5307. For additional information, please view hengelsportsclassic@gmail.com

Host Families – Seton has been receiving a number of inquiries from international students interested in attending Seton. If there is any family who would be interested in hosting an international student please contact Rich Bucci @ 723-5307. Families are compensated on a monthly basis for room and board.