

## Family Connection Newsletter

### February 2-6

Tomorrow is Dress Like Your Favorite Teacher Day as we celebrate Teachers and Staff. If students don't dress as their favorite teacher/faculty/staff, they are expected to come in uniform.

1. We have had some issues with the pipes in the kitchen and therefore have had special lunches the last two days. I am hoping that tomorrow will not bring any more surprises and we will be back to the regular lunch menu tomorrow. Today we did have chicken nuggets from McDonalds so if your student says anything, it is true. We balanced out the meal with fruit, salad, milk, and special Mardi Gras cookies as a treat for Student Appreciation Day. Remember, there is no homework tonight as a gift to students.
2. **Starting next week, two students from Notre Dame Academy will be doing tutoring after school on Tuesdays from 3:15-4:30 PM. I will be monitoring the tutoring and will be helping out as well. If you are interested in having students stay for tutoring of math or reading, please email Mrs. Middendorf each week. If we are not in school on a Tuesday tutoring will be canceled.**
3. Holy Cross is offering a no cost, general agility training for students in 5th to 8th grade on Sunday afternoons from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM in the Thomas B. Finn Activity Center at Holy Cross. Training will start this Sunday 1/25 barring inclement weather. If you need more information, you may contact Vincent Nerone: [vinny.nerone@gmail.com](mailto:vinny.nerone@gmail.com)
4. Students need to have/wear coats, hats, scarves, etc. to school. If your child has outgrown winter gear, let us know. We had some generous donations made that can cover these items. Temperatures will be in the single digits Monday and Tuesday and the possibility of more snow on Wednesday and Thursday is being discussed.
5. Upcoming Dates for your reference:
  - a. February 16<sup>th</sup> – President's Day: NO SCHOOL
  - b. February 17<sup>th</sup> – End of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester
  - c. March 13<sup>th</sup> – PD day for teachers; NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS