



# Panther Post Volume 5, Issue 23

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## From the Principal:

### Upcoming Events:

February 13- Early Release (1:45)

February 18- Snow Make-up Day

February 21- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Presidential Wax Museum (8:30-10:30)

February 22- PTO Adult Bowling Night @ Durbin Bowl (6:30)

February 28- Kindergarten Round-up 9-10 AM

March 18-29 Spring Break (March 18-22 possible Snow Make-up Days)

Another week has flown by here at St. Lawrence. The students this week were immersed in some terrific learning opportunities. Our 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders are busy writing five paragraph persuasive essays. I also saw that the Junior High was turning in book projects, and had to experience what life would be like if they had a disability while in Social Studies. In the younger grades, I saw students in first and second grades get more into their chapter AR books. The highlight of the week was our Panther Prides working on creating blankets for Closet of Promise. This organization gives supplies to families that foster families. Many times children are removed from homes in the middle of the night with nothing but the clothes on their backs. The blankets we made will be used by those children. In February our character trait is Humility. Our 7<sup>th</sup> grade is in charge of the service project and will be working with PAWS of Dearborn County. More information will be coming home soon about that.

As we get closer to February, we are still collecting registrations for the 2019-2020 school year. Please remember that before February 28, the registration fee is \$150. Beginning March 1, the fee goes up to \$175 and on April 1 it goes up to \$200. Please also keep spreading the good news about St. Lawrence. Any new family that refers you on their registration will allow

you to have your \$150 registration fee waived.

Our next early release will take place this Wednesday. School will dismiss at 1:45 and there will be Latchkey. Our teachers will use the day to learn more about ILearn and gain resources that will help our students get more acclimated to the test that is replacing ISTEP. Please also remember that we WILL HAVE school on February 18. If we have only one other cancellation then the make-up day will be on Good Friday. If we have more than one cancellation then it will be the first week of Spring Break that we make-up. Please remember to keep that week open in case we have school. Teachers will not be giving work to people that are leaving for Spring Break early.

We are a couple weeks out from our Adult Bowling Night. It is back at Durbin Bowl on February 22 at 6:30. The sign-up sheets are being sent home again in this Friday Folder. This is a scotch doubles event with three games and a Split-the-Pot raffle. Please bring an appetizer to share and remember that no outside coolers are allowed. I hope to see everyone there!

Also in your Friday Folders is an important bit of news regarding bingo and school fundraising. The SAT, Fr. Ben, and I have been working together and have come to the conclusion that Sunday Night Bingo is no longer sustainable. The last of the events will be taking place on February 24. We are also excited to announce the creation of a new Fall Gala. The goal for this gala is to replace the funds that have come from bingo. There is much more information in the letter being sent home. I want to take the time to thank all of the people who have diligently worked bingo. Especially our operators. These volunteers actually work WAY more than the three bingos a year. The countless hours that they have volunteered have benefited the school tremendously! Thank you Beth Murphy, Bernadette Toebbe, Sarah O'Brien, Rachael Moore, Rae Banta, Tammy Oestreicher, Lynn Williams, Katie Lainhart, Melissa Lahey, Mary Ann Tighe, Andrea Golden, and Suzanne Horn. We greatly appreciate your time and dedication.

-Michael Odar

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Server Schedule

FEBRUARY 9- JARED WHITELOCK, ZANDER MORRIS, JOHN PAUL GUILFORD

FEBRUARY 10 (8:30) - MAX AND MADDIE LONGO, CHARLIE HAFNER

FEBRUARY 10 (11:00) - STEVEN AND SARAH MCANDREW, SAM ALLGEIER, TEAGAN BENNETT

**Bingo Schedule: 2/10/19**

**Operators: Andrea Golden and Suzanne Horn**

**Callers- Mike Perleberg**

Christina or Tyler Clark

Amy or Greg Barber

Carleen or Kevin May

Jeannie or Ronnie Kuhn

The Week in Sports:

1. February 11- Girls 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> @ St. Michaels (6:00)
2. February 11- Girls 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> v Aurora (5:30)
3. February 12 – Girls 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> v. Dillsboro (5:30)
4. February 12- Girls 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> @ St. Mary's Aurora (5:30)
5. February 16- Girls 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> @ Oldenburg Tourney

*VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE: 2-11 THROUGH 2-15  
LUNCH- M: L. TUFTS, K. JOHNSON; T: J. HUDEPOHL, B. TERRILL, N. ATKINS; W: M. LAHEY, C. MAY; TH: M. LONGO, J. PAUL; F: E. BLOCK, B. COURTER*

*RECESS-M: C. WITTE; T: A. WILLIAMS; W: C. RUNGE; TH: K. OHLHAUT; F: NEED ONE*

*Tweets from the Pope:*



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Life has value when we give it, when we give it in love, in truth; when we give it to others, in everyday life, in the family.

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