

FAITH, EXCELLENCE, SERVICE

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

From crazy socks and comfy days, to superhero costumes, and red, white, and blue dress up days, PCS students of all ages joined in the fun to celebrate National Catholic Schools Week January 31 -February 6, 2021. This annual celebration was filled with various activities and events to celebrate our faith and spreading it through acts of community service. Everyone got involved in supporting our community: our early childhood students created banners for our essential workers, our elementary and middle school students made cards for veterans, nursing home and senior living residents, and our high school students competed to see what class could do the most for their representative community organization. Of course no Catholic Schools Week is complete without snacks, games, and movies to wrap up the festivities.

Pacelli Catholic High School students raised \$2,125 in goods and monetary donations for the Salvation Army, Family Crisis Center, Operation Bootstrap, and Portage County Humane Society.



BOYS HOCKEY

Co-Op with Amherst, Assumption, & Wisconsin Valley Lutheran
Head Coach Corey Blake
Assistants Jason Olds & Jason Wojtalewicz
Stats 10-4 Overall Record

GIRLS HOCKEY

Co-Op with Amherst, Assumption, Athens, Iola-Scandinavia, Marshfield, SPASH, Spencer, Waupaca & Wisconsin Rapids
Head Coach Dan Bauer
Assistants Nicole Busse, Brad Martinek & Andy Spangberg
Stats 8-12 Overall Record, 7-10 Eastern Shores Conference (4th Place)
1st Team: Shelby Tryba
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BOYS BASKETBALL

Head Coach John Schurk
Assistants Ryan Jeldy, Joe Becraft, Bailey Houston,
& Keith Schwenn
Stats 16-8 Overall Record, 5-4 CWC-South (4th Place)
1st Team: Wes Popilinski
2nd Team: Brycen Cashin
All-Conference Honors John Schurk

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Head Coach Jake Jalling
Assistants Jane Elliot '82 & Scott Van Order '89
Stats 11-10 Overall Record, 8-3 CWC-South (3rd Place)
1st Team: Emma Van Order
2nd Team: Sami Miller
All-Conference Honors Emma Van Order

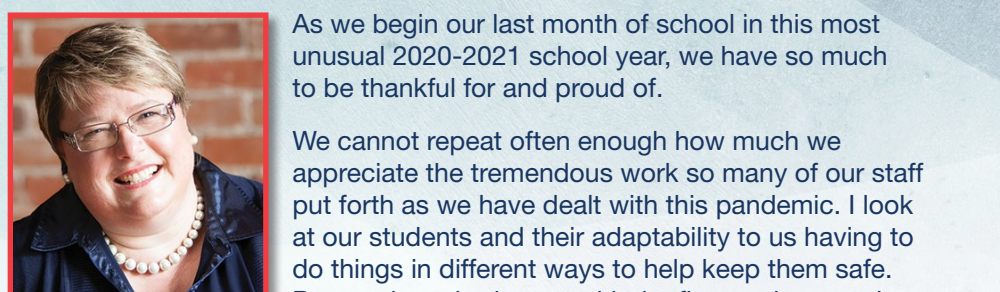
CO-OP WITH SPASH

Head Coach Pat Hanning '80
Stats State Semi-Finals

DANCE

Head Coach Ticia Cashin '03
Assistant Nevada Pazdra '08

PRESIDENT'S PULSE



As we begin our last month of school in this most unusual 2020-2021 school year, we have so much to be thankful for and proud of.

We cannot repeat often enough how much we appreciate the tremendous work so many of our staff put forth as we have dealt with this pandemic. I look at our students and their adaptability to us having to do things in different ways to help keep them safe. Parents have had to go with the flow at times and we appreciate all that you have done to help us keep your kids in school five days a week all year. Teachers have had to flex lessons, seamlessly integrating virtual and in-person learning and have served our students and families extremely well. This has been a year of change and challenge, but we have not lost sight of our mission. Trusting in Him, we have risen just as He did to continue to serve our students. We continue to build on the traditions Pacelli Catholic Schools was founded on. Our potential for continued growth and service is tremendous, and we move forward with a renewed focus on academic excellence grounded in faith for future generations of students.

For our seniors I share the sentiment, "Take pride in how far you've come, and have faith in how far you can go." (Michael Josephson) There is so much opportunity for you to explore and, with the foundational base you have received at Pacelli, I have every confidence that you will achieve success. When you hit the bumps in the road, which we all do, I challenge you to draw upon your Catholic beliefs and remember, "Faith is the confidence that what we **hope** for will actually happen; it gives us assurance about things we cannot see." (Hebrews 1:11)

I usually sign off my letters and emails with two words - in faith. For as we work and invest in the future of our schools, we do so rooted in our faith. Parents, you bring your kids to our schools so we may help them grow in their Catholic faith and receive an excellent education. To those who support us in the faith that we will be good stewards of your funds by investing in our students and staff, we thank you as we couldn't do it without you. I am proud of the work we share to collectively lift our schools up and I am thankful for each of you as a unique, vital part of our Pacelli family.

In Faith,
Cindy Weber
Cindy Weber, President

PACELLI

SUPPORT PACELLI STUDENT ATHLETES: HELP US FUND THE ITEMS ON OUR WISH LIST

Athletics are a longstanding tradition at Pacelli Catholic High School. Most vividly, we remember the highs of a great buzzer beating, walk off win, or racing a new personal record time and the lows of walking off the court, field, or track for the last time. But perhaps, most importantly, we learn what it's like to be part of a team, all working towards one goal; we learn the importance of wellness and fitness for our physical and mental health; we learn the discipline it takes to prioritize being a strong student athlete, balancing academics and athletics; we learn what it's like to be a leader from our coaches, captains, and teammates; we learn how to handle pressure, when to take risks, and how to accept responsibility.

At the foundation is the infrastructure that supports our student athletes and we have a number of funding needs at Pacelli Catholic High School, some more urgent than others. This summer, we will be moving forward with a complete refinishing of the PCHS gym floor (sanding, staining/painting, sealing, and finishing). Our second priority this summer is enhancing our softball practice field and adding on a baseball practice field here at PCHS, given the loss of the practice field on the Sisters of St. Joseph Convent property. To fully fund these two projects, we need to raise approximately \$64,500. Donate today to help us continue the tradition of Pacelli athletics!


FUNDING PRIORITIES

- Refinishing PCHS Gym Floor: \$29,500
- Enhancing Softball Practice Field & Addition of Baseball Practice Field: \$35,000
- Gym Entrance Landscaping & Signage Updates: \$21,000
- Locker Room Refresh & Bench Resurfacing: \$15,000-\$30,000
- Gym Roof Replacement & Interior Block Work: \$83,500
- New Updated Sideline Chairs & Scoring Table: \$10,400

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDS: \$209,400

Donate via the enclosed envelope or online at pacellicatholicschools.com/giving.

CARDINALS



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STEVENS POINT, WI 54481

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1th Annual Shredding Party: May 13, 2021
- 17th Annual Pacelli Golf Outing: July 26, 2021
- 47th Annual Panacea: September 10, 11, & 12, 2021
- 9th Annual Cardinal Crusade Live Auction + Dinner: February 5, 2022



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CARDINAL CREST

PACELLI CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

SPRING 2021

SUMMER FUN WITH PACELLI

Pacelli Catholic Schools is excited to be expanding our summer program offerings this year! Our youngest students will love the Cardinal Kids Summer Fun program at our early childhood center. Summer Blast will still be the fun, fantastic program that we have traditionally offered, but we are excited to be adding four-day Summer Camps and a six-week academically based Summer School. There are opportunities for one-on-one tutoring through our Cardinal Learning program and many ways for your child(ren) to get active with the PCHS Summer Adventure PE class and athletic performance camps. We have such a great variety of exciting opportunities and are thrilled to be interacting with our kids of all ages in new and exciting ways!

Learn more and download the Summer Program Catalog at pacellicatholicschools.com/summerprograms.



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PACELLI CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL'S YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP AND INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS

Pacelli Catholic High School's Youth Apprenticeship and Internship programs combine school-based and work-based learning to give students the opportunity to learn valuable employment skills in a career field that they are interested in pursuing after high school. This year, nine PCHS students took the opportunity to engage in a real-world, on-the-job experience that impacts their future and supports the growing needs of the local businesses and organizations we partner with, all while earning high school credit.

2020-2021 YOUTH APPRENTICESHIPS & INTERNSHIPS



JAY ENGBRETSON '21

UWSP – Pacelli Student Body Health and Wellness Facilitator

Post-Pacelli Plans: UW-Eau Claire – Exercise Science – Athletic Trainer



ISAAC KOSOBUCKI '21

First Weber Real Estate – Realtor

Post-Pacelli Plans: Real Estate Agent

"Having the opportunity to work at such a great real estate firm like First Weber has been everything I could ever ask for. I plan on working at the office as soon as I turn 18 and pass my real estate exam. I'm extremely excited for what's ahead of me in life and I am ready to take this challenge head-on."



ROBERT GLODOWSKI '21

JG Plumbing – Plumber & HVAC Technician

Post-Pacelli Plans: Master Plumber Apprenticeship

"I have learned how new construction works, critical thinking, problem solving and how to be a leader."

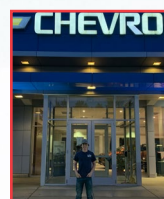


KAYDIN MAYEK '21

Chet's Plumbing and Heating – Plumbing Apprentice/Laborer

Post-Pacelli Plans: Mid-State Technical College & Plumbing Apprenticeship

"Being able to work hands on definitely helped me get a feel for things and understand if this is what I would like to start a career in after high school. After working full time during the summer, I found out I really enjoyed plumbing and the company I was doing it for. I have learned time management, teamwork, people skills, and responsibility. Participating in a youth apprenticeship is definitely a great way to prepare yourself for life after high school."

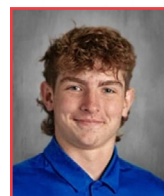


KELLER ANDERSON '22

Len Dudas Motors – Lube Technician (2020-2021) & Richard's Plumbing & Heating (2021-2022) – Laborer

Post-Pacelli Plans: Mid-State Technical College & Plumbing Apprenticeship

"I have met some great mentors and learned valuable lessons for work and life."



JACOB FIRKUS '22

Badgerland Concrete Products, Inc. – Assistant to Plant Manager

Post-Pacelli Plans: Badgerland Concrete Products, Inc.

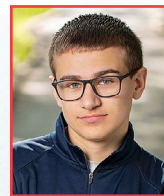


NICK SCHROEDER '22

Schuetts Metals – Welder

Post-Pacelli Plans: College (Undecided)

"I learned how to weld and problem solving with welding. I also have learned a lot more than just welding like the engineering that goes into the parts that we make. This experience has also taught me most about work relationships, meeting new people everyday and learning how to get along with everyone, especially when you need their help."



SAM GRYWACZ '21

UWSP – Sports Management

Post-Pacelli Plans: College (Undecided)



ABIGAIL MARTIN '21

Sand Valley Golf Course – Culinary/Pastry Chef Intern

Post-Pacelli Plans: Culinary Institute of America (Hyde Park, NY) – Pastry Arts

For more information on this program please visit pacellicatholicschools.com/youth-apprenticeship.

JOIN US FOR THE 11TH ANNUAL PACELLI CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



SHREDDING PARTY

COMMUNITY SERVICE & FUNDRAISING EVENT HOSTED BY SCHULFER & ASSOCIATES, LLC WEALTH MANAGEMENT

Thursday, May 13 | 3-6pm
1417 Main Street, Stevens Point

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UPCOMING REUNIONS

PACELLI/MARIA CLASS OF 1961

Mark your calendars for a 60th class reunion to be held September 24 & 25, 2021 at Sky Club in Plover. Contact Arvilla Glinski (kg9bjg@gmail.com) for more details.

PACELLI CLASS OF 1970

The reunion committee has decided to postpone the class of 1970's 50th reunion until 2022. Look for save the date information in early 2022. Keep up-to-date by following the class of 1970 on Facebook - Pacelli Maria Class of 1970.

PACELLI CLASS OF 1971

The health and safety of all is our utmost concern in the planning decision and the Class of 1971 Reunion Committee has decided to postpone our 50th class reunion to 2022. Please contact Jean Jakuz (j.jakuz@hotmail.com) for more information.

PACELLI CLASS OF 1976

Mark your calendars for our SPASH/Pacelli Class of 1976 45th Class reunion to be held August 13 and 14, 2021. Watch for more details on Facebook - Pacelli Class of '76.

PACELLI CLASS OF 1995

Planning for a 25th (27th) reunion continues for the class of 1995 and is postponed until 2022. Contact Colin Hanson (nosnahsnloc@hotmail.com) or Keri Chaney (kerisclifford@yahoo.com) with any questions.

GRADUATION ACTIVITIES

PACELLI CATHOLIC MIDDLE SCHOOL
8TH GRADE GRADUATION MASS & CEREMONY
MAY 26 | 6PM | ST. PETER PARISH

PACELLI CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
BACCALAUREATE MASS
MAY 19 | 6:30PM | ST. STEPHEN PARISH

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION
MAY 22 | 1PM | PACELLI CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL GYM

ONLINE CARDINAL CRUSADE: VIRTUAL SUCCESS



This year's Cardinal Crusade was unlike any other - our first-ever live stream and online auction version of an event we've all come to love! While we missed being in person culminating Catholic Schools Week with you, we were blown away by the outpouring of support received from those near and far in our online auction. Thank you to everyone who sponsored, donated, bought raffle tickets, participated in the online auction, or contributed to the event in another way! Special shout out to our live stream emcees PCS teacher/coach Ann Molski and Tom Cashin '71 and PCHS junior Luke Carpenter for producing the broadcast. We are thrilled to announce that the 8th Annual Cardinal Crusade brought in over \$42,000, plus an additional \$21,000 raised to fund our Classroom Dreams fund-a-need giving \$400 to each of our teachers to invest in our students! THANK YOU!

THANK YOU TO OUR 2021 CARDINAL CRUSADE SPONSORS!



SAVE THE DATE MONDAY, JULY 26

STEVENS POINT COUNTRY CLUB

GET YOUR FOURSOME TOGETHER RESERVE YOUR SPOTS TODAY!

17TH ANNUAL PACELLI GOLF OUTING HOSTED BY THE BIG RED CLUB



Proceeds benefit Pacelli Athletics and the Berard-Stevens Point Orthopedics Fitness Center in Memory of Coach Bob Raczek.

\$100 PER GOLFER

\$80 PER STAFF/COACH

Includes 18-Holes with Cart, 2 Drink Tickets, Food and Awards!

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GO CARDINALS!

ALUMNI REST IN PEACE

1946: Madelyn Rose (92) – January 5, 2021
1946: Grace (Pehowski) Wojciehoski (92) – November 24, 2020
1949: Sylvia (Niemczyk) Tepp Kunst (88) – February 20, 2021
1950: Lorraine (Riske) Schnell (88) – January 18, 2021
1952: Joyce (Kulick) Danielski (85) – November 2, 2020
1953: Patricia (Ossowski) Nordlund (85) – February 2, 2021
1954: Mary Ann (Steinke) Korbal (84) – December 19, 2020
1954: Patricia (Zakrzewski) Polum (84) – December 27, 2020
1955: Mary Jane (Drefcinski) Meshak (84) – February 22, 2021
1955: Irene (Meronek) Shuda (83) – March 21, 2021
1955: Beatrice (Washatka) Webster (84) – November 15, 2020
1959: Kenneth Shibilski (79) – February 7, 2021
1960: Charlene (Strong) Moyer (78) – November 6, 2020
1961: Patricia (Witkowski) Ostrowski (78) – January 7, 2021
1966: Duane Brezinski (72) – January 19, 2021
1969: Gary Jurgella (70) – March 29, 2021
1973: Daniel Cisewski (65) – March 9, 2021
1973: Marcia (Jajewski) Jenks (64) – November 9, 2020
1970: Dale Garski (60) – November 16, 2020
1988: Kathy (Zelhofer) Lepak (51) – December 24, 2020
1989: Andreas "Andy" Agiorgitis (49) – February 7, 2021
1990: Kari (Wojtalewicz) Mueller (48) – December 15, 2020

STAY IN TOUCH

We'd love to hear from our Alumni!

Send us newsworthy updates. Planning a reunion for your class? Update your contact information. Connect with classmates.

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