

### NEWS & NOTES CEC's weekly newsletter to keep you informed.

Please be sure to spread the word and feel free to share this newsletter! If there is any news you wish to add or include, please email <a href="mailto:news@conwell-egan.org">news@conwell-egan.org</a>.

We encourage you to keep your contact information (including e-mail address) up to date so that you continue to receive important CEC news and information. Please call our Main Office at 215-945-6200 Ext. 400 to report any changes to your contact information.



Monday, March 29	Professional Development Day NO CLASSES
Tuesday, March 30	Principal's Holiday NO CLASSES
Wednesday, March 31	Bishop's Holiday NO CLASSES
	Admissions Events: Discovery Day (see below for more information)
Thursday, April 1- Monday, April 5	EASTER BREAK School Closed

## 2021 Spirit Night Store NOW OPEN

Please take a look at all of the items available to show your CEC SPIRIT NIGHT and TEAM Pride! Please don't delay - the store is open for **1** week in order to have delivery by Spirit Night and closes Tuesday, March 30 at midnight. Late orders cannot be accepted as they stall timely orders.



SPIRIT NIGHT 2021 T-Shirt \$10.00



SPIRIT NIGHT 2021 Long Sleeve T-Shirt \$15.00



SPIRIT NIGHT 2021 Hoodie \$25.00

**SHOP NOW** 

#### FROM THE OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE

#### **Junior Ring Mass & Reception**

Junior Mass is due to be held on April 22, 6 pm, at St Michael's Church in Levittown. Please

make sure that the balance on your childs ring is paid in full. Jostens will not provide a ring unless the balance is paid. If you have any questions, please reach out to Jostens at (215) 542-8170.

There will also be a reception for Juniors only following the Ring Mass at 7:30 at Conwell-Egan.

#### **Incoming Senior Portrait**

JUNIOR PARENTS: Mark your calendars now! The dates for Senior portraits are scheduled for **June 21, 22, and 23** in the CEC Lobby. There will be a scheduling email sent out at the end of April.

#### **Spring Uniform**

Spring Uniforms start on **Monday**, **April 12**. Please refer to the Dress Code tab in the <u>Student Handbook</u> that is found on the CEC website under "Current Students and Parents" tab.

#### **Senior Prom**

Check your emails! Senior Prom guidelines and agreements were sent out to all Senior parents last week. The window to purchase tickets opens on Monday April 5. Tickets can NOT be purchased until the Prom Agreement form has been completed.

#### **Spirit Night**

Be on the lookout in the near future for an email about viewing guidelines and resources for each night.

#### HAVE A BLESSED AND SAFE EASTER!

Mr. Christopher DiLeonardo
Assistant Principal for Student Life
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#### FROM THE OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

#### **Incoming Freshmen Parents (Class of 2025)**

An email was sent on 3/17/21 containing important details for the upcoming year, including course selection. Please reach out to the admissions office if you have not yet received this email with important information.

#### **FINANCIAL AID**

Financial Aid applications for the 2021-2022 school year are now open!

CEC utilizes one, comprehensive financial aid application available online via FACTS.



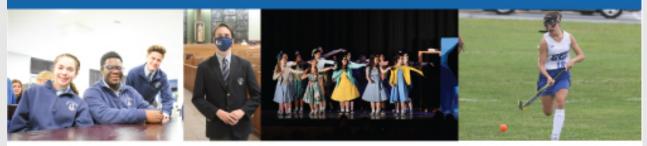
- Visit https://online.factsmgt.com/aid to apply online.
- After completing their application, families will be provided options (mail, fax, or online upload) for submitting their supporting tax documents (most recent tax return; FACTS will contact families who do not file a tax return to confirm what documents they need to provide).
- 2021-2022 application is now open and awards are given on a rolling basis
- \$35 application fee per family
- Requires supporting documentation (most recent tax return)
- For more information, call 215-945-6200 ext. 410.

Mrs. Kate Rice '04 Director of Admissions CONSIDERING YOUR OPTIONS FOR HIGH SCHOOL? JOIN US FOR A

## DISCOVERY DAY

EXCLUSIVELY FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021 - 6 P.M.







Click here to learn more.

#### FROM THE COUNSELING CENTER

#### **SCHOLARSHIP NEWS:**

Deadlines for scholarships are fast approaching. Please see below for a few local scholarships as well as refer to the scholarship spreadsheet on the website <a href="https://conwell-egan.org/college-scholarships">https://conwell-egan.org/college-scholarships</a>

#### **Bensalem Police Benevolent Association**

**Scholarship** Application is now in the Counseling Center. All seniors who reside within Bensalem Township are eligible.

#### The Samuel A. Green Scholarship Award Program

(<u>https://www.samuelagreenscholarship.com</u>) Interested

applicants should submit their essay, answering *How will your college education help you to make a substantial impact in your community?* as soon as possible, for the chance to earn one of 30 awards, ranging from \$2,500-\$10,000. While the deadline on the website states March 19, 2021, it has just been extended to Friday, March 26, 2021.

**Parx Casino** will award \$2,500 to two High School Seniors from our school who have enrolled in an accredited College or University for the 2021-2022 academic year. Winners receive a nonrenewable \$2,500 scholarship.

Applicants Must:

- Complete the 2021 Parx Casino Scholarship Application Form
- Live in Bensalem
- Submit an official transcript and documentation of cumulative GPA



The students have a deadline of April 16, 2021, on the form to return the applications to the Counseling Center.

#### **NAACP**

The applicant must be a resident of Bucks County and must be a senior in high school with at least a 2.5 weighted G.P.A. In addition, applicants must be applying to a four-year college or university program, a two-year associate degree program or to a trade school. Guidelines for applying are included in the application packet. This year, three scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded to deserving students.

#### **Pennsylvania School Counselors Association**

This scholarship is open to high school seniors planning to attend post-secondary education. Students must write about a School Counselor who has made a difference in their academic, career and/or social/emotional development. The essay may focus on a current or previous school counselor. Deadline to apply is April 2, 2021.

Reminders for the Junior Class: SAT dates: May 8. and June 5

ACT dates: April 17, June 12, and July 17

\* registration deadlines are one month before the testing date.

You can register for:

- SAT here: <a href="https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register">https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register</a>
- ACT here: <a href="https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html">https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html</a>
- Resources for Practice Tests are located on College Board and Khan Academy: <a href="https://www.khanacademy.org/">https://www.khanacademy.org/</a>

Mrs. Jenny Diamond Director of School Counseling jdiamond@conwell-egan.org

#### FROM THE OFFICE OF SCHOOL MINISTRY

# The celebration of Holy Week and Easter is upon us, a lot quicker than it felt like last year! Fr. Kyle and I would like to wish you all a Blessed Triduum and Happy Easter!

I would like to share exciting updates regarding a program for this summer. We are collaborating with the Center for FaithJustice in Lawrenceville, NJ to host a Summer Service Camp for rising 8th and 9th graders called ServiceworX. The camp will take place August 8-14 here at CEC with a family Mass and gathering on Sunday, August 8th. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or to sign up!

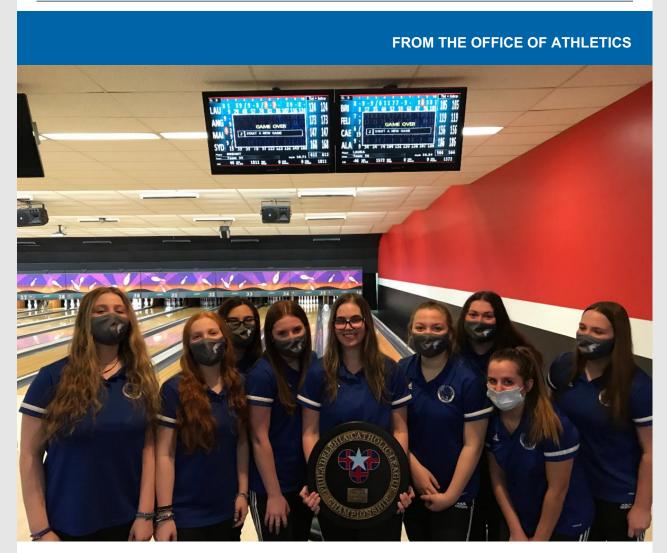
**Kairos XXXII** will be taking place from April 26-29 at Malvern Retreat House. Today is the last day for Senior sign



ups! Juniors are invited to apply for the Leadership Team for next year with the application sent to their student email, which is due Friday, April 2.

In Christ,

Ms. Ashley Bennett Director of School Ministry abennett@conwell-egan.org



#### Girls Bowling

Congratulations to the Conwell-Egan Catholic *Girls Bowling Team* on capturing the *Philadelphia Catholic League Title* on March 20! The team defeated Little Flower 1811-1572 pin total to win their first title since 2006. The team members are:

#### **Varsity**

Ang Bresnen Maisy Phillips Sydney Snyder Laura Wang

#### **Junior Varsity**

Leeanna Bresnen Cait Egan Meg Fowler Julie Gausz Sophie Putterman

Coach: Mr. Pat Donlen

On Sunday, at the C.A.I.T. Tournament, Sydney Snyder (Two-Time League MVP) captured the title by defeating Caeleen Dumas of Little Flower in the Finals. Congratulations Sydney on an outstanding Junior Year season!

Bowling Record: 10 - 0 (Matches)

32 wins-4 losses (Games) League MVP: Sydney Snyder

All-Catholic Tournament MVP: Sydney Snyder

#### **Girls Basketball**

The team concluded their season with a loss at Neumann-Goretti to fall to 9-10 on the season. Coach Brennan is pleased with the great finish in the Blue Division, 8-2, and is looking forward to the 2021-22 season with a much more experienced team.

Mr. Rich Papirio Assistant Director of Athletics rpapirio@conwell-egan.org



Support CEC Boys
Basketball with their
March Madness raffle
fundraiser! There are only
250 tickets available and
the drawing is set for
March 28. Email
boysbasketball@conwellegan.org for tickets!

#### FROM THE FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT



**CEC was proud to host this weekend's All-Catholic Chorus Concert!** It was a beautiful performance with talented students from around the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. 20 CEC students were featured in this year's 85-voice choir!

To learn more about the festival weekend, click here to read this article from Catholic Philly: <a href="https://catholicphilly.com/2021/03/news/local-news/for-all-catholic-musical-ensembles-the-show-goes-online/">https://catholicphilly.com/2021/03/news/local-news/for-all-catholic-musical-ensembles-the-show-goes-online/</a>

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