

MARIANEWS

Marian High School – Tamaqua, PA 18252

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Homecoming at Marian

Colts Win on Homecoming Night

By: Noah Stauffer

On Friday October 20th in Tamaqua, PA, Marian Catholic had a division 3 Schuylkill League showdown ahead of them against Mahanoy Area. After the first quarter the score was tied at 14 then Mahanoy Area pulled ahead by one touchdown, then Senior Aaron Adams scored the very next play for a 75-yard touchdown run that put the colts tied with the bears. The score by Adams started a 21 point second quarter and a victory. This night was also homecoming night, after a tough race the homecoming king was Zack Falls and the queen Claudia Stroia. Congratulations to Zack, Claudia, and the Colts on their victory's!



Homecoming king and queen,
Zack Falls and Claudia Stroia

Something new

Today's society is losing its civility. We see it every day. Our first President George Washington, when just a teen like our students, created a book called *Rules of Civility & Decent Behavior in Company and Conversation*. He tried each day to master one of his 110 rules. Each month we will list one of his rules so our readers may become more mannerly citizens of our country. (spelling is his)

Number 6: **Sleep not when others Speak, Sit not when others stand, Speak not when you Should hold your Peace, walk not on when others Stop.**



Upcoming events -

Nov. 1 – All Saints Day Memorial Mass
Nov. 1 – Winter Uniform
Nov. 2 – Blue Activity
Nov. 6-10 – National French Week

Nov. 9 – Food Drive Begins
Nov. 10 – Veteran's Day Assembly
Nov. 18 – Night at the races
Nov. 21 - Gold Activity
Nov. 23-27- Thanksgiving Break

Newspapers should proofread!

One-armed man applauds kindness of strangers



Marian makes donations to Can Do

by: Maddie Dembinski

Operation CAN DO, a project that supplies care packages for military servicemen and women stationed overseas at Christmas has come to Marian again this year. CAN DO is a private, non-profit industrial and economic development corporation serving Greater Hazleton in Northeastern Pennsylvania. According to their website their mission is to "improve the quality of life in the Greater Hazleton Area through the creation and retention of a full range of employment opportunities." Each year they have students serving as members on the Can Do board which opens up communication between leaders of today and the leaders of tomorrow.

Here at Marian we are gathering items such as toiletries and giving them to CAN DO who will be donating the items to the military. Corrin Dagostin, a senior here at Marian is on the student action committee for CAN DO. She is also a co-chairman for CAN DO and is involved in the CAN DO Community Christmas Celebration. Corrin attends events and represents Marian at public meetings. This is a wonderful opportunity for Marian to get involved in the Hazleton community and help our service men and women in the military. Great job and tanks to all those who donated to this worthy cause.



Creation Stories studied

Mr. Dougerty's class studied creation stories in ancient Civilizations. His students show off their projects for you To see.



October, a month for unity

By Alicia Marie Morgan

The month of October is dedicated to anti-bullying month, among the many other issues. The month was dedicated in 2006 by the PACER's National Bullying Prevention Center to bring awareness of this pressing matter. People around the country band together to prevent the harassment and harm of others, among those, Marian itself participated. Students and faculty donned the color blue, the official color to present the movement, in support of those in need. Many others also wore bracelets or accessories to further support the cause. The month of October is dedicated to anti-bullying month, among the many other issues. The month was dedicated in 2006 by the PACER's National Bullying Prevention Center to bring awareness of this pressing matter. People around the country band together to prevent the harassment and harm of others, among those, Marian itself participated. The first Monday of October is Stamp out Bullying Blue Shirt Day. That week for mass, students and faculty donned the color blue, the official color to represent the movement, in support of those in need. Many others also wore bracelets or accessories to further support the cause. Everyone knows bullying exists. We've all experienced it in some way, many experience it so much they take their own life or the lives of others. Bullying is destructive so let's do something about it. If you see bullying, stop it. If you experience it, tell someone. Don't let the bully win.

BULLYING

Bullying is...



FBLA Induction

By: Preston Biros

Marian inducted its new FBLA members on October 10th, 2017. FBLA is Future Business Leaders of America. Some of the benefits of joining FBLA are discounts, scholarships, publications, and awards and recognition in the world of business. People who are in FBLA take part in an academic competition even some of our members went to Nationals last year. They also meet up with successful business representatives. Members have exclusive scholarships for when they apply to college. FBLA competitions cover technology, public speaking, business, finance, management and other competitions. This program recognizes education, services, and leadership and the stride to success.

We have FBLA at Marian and the way we as a school induct them is through our weekly Mass. This combines our faith based life and our academic and business life to show how important they all are for our future. This year's officers are: President- Thoma Betterly, Vice- President – Aaron Srinivasan, Secretary – Ariel Stanalonis, Treasurer – Emma McClafferty, Public Relations – Joseph Maguschak. The advisor for our chapter of FBLA is Mrs. Patricia Patton with assistant Mrs. Segar.



Student Ambassadors

At mass on October 25, 2017, Marian inducted it's new group of student ambassadors. These are students who represent Marian with people who come to visit the school. They act as tour guides for students who are thinking of joining the Marian family and tell them all that we offer a students. These ambassadors for Marian are an important part of our recruitment of new students to keep Marian alive and well. Good job!



Senior night at Marian and more

By: Gabrielle Frask

Senior night is an ongoing tradition at many high schools across the country. It is a night for the school to honor their senior members of athletic teams who will no longer be playing for their high school. At Marian Catholic we had ours on October 20. At Marian we recognized the football players, volleyball players, cross country, cheerleaders, golf, and band members (not a sport but just as important).

This year we had something extra special. At the beginning of the game, we recognized Stan Dakosty a former coach of Marian who retired last year. Dakosty had over 300 wins in his 40 years of coaching at Marian. Stan Dakosty was the heart of Marian football, he brought many state and district titles to Marian. What a wonderful night for Marian sports.



Coach Dakosty with two former principals of Marian, Sister Bernard Agnes and Mr. Jack Malarkey

Click it Or Ticket

By: Regina Cullen

After weekly mass on Wednesday, October 18th, Rush Township Police Department held an assembly informing the Marian Catholic student body and faculty about how one simple action could save not only your life but the lives of the other people in a car - wearing a seat belt. The officers informed the student body of statistics about wearing seat belts that make your jaw drop. Some of these facts stated that according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration or NHTSA, more than 15,000 lives are saved each

year in the United States because drivers and their passengers were wearing seat belts when they were in a road traffic crash. At the end of the assembly the Rush Township Police Department informed us that for the next few week, student and faculty drivers will be stopped before leaving school property and checked to see if they and any passengers in the vehicle are wearing seat belts. Student and faculty are advised to remember to buckle up and spread the word. It's the law!



Marian Gardening Club caught at work

Although the Marian Gardening club is small, they can be seen each month helping to keep the landscape looking good. Thankfully they don't do it all alone. But boy was it a beautiful day to be outside.

Jaryn Eroh, Alexis Eschbach and Alica Morgan pull weeds in front of the school



Nacin Rojas, Meghan Moyer and Jamison Wheeler trim the shrub out front by our sign

