

## Notes from Dr. Greco

January 21, 2010

Our congratulations to the following students who were finalists in the Veterans of Foreign War Patriot's Pen essay contest: Alex Mayro (gr. 6), 1<sup>st</sup> place; Maggie Hallahan (gr. 6), 2<sup>nd</sup> place; Leif Uhlman (gr. 8), 3<sup>rd</sup> place. The contest is open to students in grades 6 to 8 and awards were presented on Tuesday by Mr. Anderson, a member of the VFW Council. First place earned a \$100 savings bond, 2<sup>nd</sup> place earned a \$75 savings bond, 3<sup>rd</sup> place a \$50 savings bond. This year our first and second place winners also were submitted as entrants in the district competition.

Don't forget your Gianni's order! Home & School's annual Lenten and Super Bowl sale is on with orders and payment due back by January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Delivery is set for February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

Our Octathlon Academic Competition Team uses Time and Newsweek Magazines with all the issue dates for January, February, and March. We are especially in need of Newsweek. Your donation is appreciated.

Catholic Schools Week is almost here and it is our pleasure to announce an added event to our schedule. A free concert performance by The Jenkintown Community Concert Band will be presented at Immaculate Conception Church on Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup> at 3pm. Mr. Schmauk is the conductor and many of the musicians are graduates of Immaculate Conception School. Music selections will feature both opera and Broadway. Come out and support the JCCB as it plays for you some of the greatest music ever written for the stage.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped on Sunday afternoon to complete maintenance items in the school. We are most appreciative of your help and always impressed by the generous community spirit exhibited by and for our families. Additionally, your willingness to give of yourselves and your time along with your warm welcome to the Chestnut Hill Academy students and families who attended the Plunkett funeral were a testimony to your caring for others.

To our Philadelphia families: Please remember that the application deadline for the Children's Scholarship Fund Philadelphia is quickly approaching (March 1, 2010). Apply online at: [www.csfphiladelphia.org](http://www.csfphiladelphia.org). or ask us to send you a hard copy.

Included today:

- Help Needed! Open House *REMINDER* flyer
- Art Workshop Winter II Classes and Registration forms

- Yearbook Order Form
- Catholic Schools Week Schedule
- Re-Registration information