

Guardian Angels Regional School

2013-2014 Annual Report of Giving

A note from our Principal:

Another school year has come and gone here at Guardian Angels Regional School. I am very proud of the accomplishments our students achieved during the 2013-2014 school year. It never ceases to amaze me the time our students put into their studies as they excel in the classroom along with participating in extra-curricular activities both here at school and in their local communities. Their hard work and dedication shines through when they apply to Catholic high schools in the area and receive numerous scholarships and awards.

Each year for the past 4 years our school has invited you to participate in our school's annual fund, the Guardian Angel Fund. I would like to thank each and everyone of you who has chosen to participate by making a donation to our school. 100% of the funds donated are used for the benefit of our students as well as the parishioners of St. Clare of Assisi. Many of the facility improvements could not be made without your support and for that I am truly grateful.

With the funds raised through last year's annual fund, we have been able to:

- Continue professional development workshops for our faculty
- Install new flooring in our lower campus nurse's office and upper campus principal and secretary offices.
- Send five faculty members over the summer to work on curriculum development for the diocese
- Apply mulch and spruce up both of our playgrounds

The generous donations made by our donors enables us to provide the best education for our students. I invite those of you who have not donated to our fund before to do so this year for our 2014-2015 Guardian Angels Fund. By supporting our annual fund you are assisting our school community as we educate our students today, the future leaders of our church and nation tomorrow.

God Bless You!

Sincerely in Christ,

Sr. Jerilyn Einstein, fmi,j

Principal

The mission of Guardian Angels Regional School is to nurture, encourage and educate the mind, body, and spirit of each child to foster spiritual, social and intellectual growth by providing a quality and challenging academic education permeated by Gospel values in the Catholic Franciscan tradition.

Our Guardian Angels Fund was established for members of our school community, parishioners of St. Clare of Assisi Parish, parishioners of St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish and the community at large to support our school at varying giving levels. The Giving Levels established by our Guardian Angels Fund are as follows:

Pax et Bonum Societies

The Franciscan Society	\$10,000 and above	Principals Club	\$500-\$999
The Assisi Society	\$7,500-\$9,999	Wings Club	\$250-\$499
Foundress, Barbara Micarelli Society	\$5,000-\$7,499	Blue & White Club	\$100-\$249
Infant Jesus Society	\$2,500-\$4,999	Friends of Guardian Angels	gifts up to \$99
Guardian Angels Society	\$1,000-\$2,499		

Thank you to the following for supporting our school:

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“Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible.”

~ St. Francis of Assisi

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2013-2014 School Year Comes to an End

The 2013-2014 school year came to an end in June with the graduation of 20 young men and women completing their elementary education. Many of them continued their Catholic education at several of the local Catholic high schools in our area. The Baccalaureate Mass and Commencement ceremonies were filled with joy and sadness as they leave our school. Joyous smiles were visible on the faces of our graduates as many of them were happy to be completing 10 and 11 years of learning at

GARS while sadness could be seen on the faces of their parents as they were preparing to send their children off to high school.

Our Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students also celebrated milestones as they transitioned from Pre-Kindergarten to Kindergarten or from Kindergarten to First grade. We were very excited to share in these celebrations with them as they now begin the next step in their academic journeys.

Our final PTA General Meeting was held once again in conjunction with our Arts @ GARS evening. It was an evening where our students from Kindergarten through 8th grade gathered to share their musical and artistic talents with our school family.

We look forward to another great year when our students come back to school in September.

Service Projects

Throughout the year at Guardian Angels Regional School our students are constantly reminded that the Mission of our school should be embodied by their thoughts, words and actions everyday. In order for our students to embrace and understand that giving to others is a Christ like behavior we encourage them to participate in all of our

philanthropic activities. This year GARS students participated in the following programs:

- Veteran's Day Luncheon
- Tree of Warmth
- Souper Bowl Sunday soup donations

- Donations made to various charitable organizations
- Senior Citizen Luncheon
- Christmas Concert for senior citizens
- 3rd Grade Sister School in Camden

Catholic Schools Week 2014

Catholic Schools Week 2014 was a wonderful week of celebrations for our school community.

The week was filled with many events for our students, faculty, staff and school families.

On Monday and Thursday we hosted open houses for prospective and current families. We had quite a few new families come and visit our school. It was also great to see so many families in our school for our current family open house.

Tuesday, January 30th our students celebrated our senior citizens in the area with our Senior Citizen Luncheon. Over 200 senior citizens from the area came to our school where our eighth grade students served them lunch. They were entertained by students from our choirs and our theatre arts club.

On Wednesday, our students enjoyed a day of fun at our Paulsboro campus with indoor field games.

The week came to an end on Friday with

Teacher Appreciation Day. We capped off our Catholic Schools Week events with a teachers vs. the Harlem Wizards basketball game in early February. A great time was had by all!



Athletics

We ended the school year with another track division title for the Gloucester County Catholic Athletic League.

Way to go Wings!

Congratulations to all of our track and field athletes!

Our team, over 50 students strong, practiced diligently every week for their track and field meets held on Saturdays at the Paulsboro High School track and various

other tracks throughout South Jersey. Thank you to Mr. Paul Morina, Principal of Paulsboro High School, for the use of the track and field.

Week after week our athletes continued to improve their time and/or their distance as they kept the goal in sight, the GCCAL Track Division Title. With four titles in the short history of our track & field program, each athlete knew they needed to compete at the highest level. Their dedication and

hard work paid off when they won the title for the four out of five years of competing.

Under the guidance of our athletic director, Mr. Tom Romantini, each of the sports has continued to grow in student and parent participation. We thank him for all he has done for our sports program.

Go Wings!

Congratulations to the Class of 2014



We are very proud of the accomplishments of the Class of 2014 from our school. In total, this class of 8th grade graduates was offered over \$75,000 in scholarship money from numerous Catholic high schools in the area and an additional \$4,000 was awarded from various donors. We wish them all the best as they begin the next chapter in their academic journey.

Camden Catholic

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Sean Lucci

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Renel Forand

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