

BISHOP LUDDEN NEWSLETTER

"Where character, commitment,
and community come together in
a school for all."

October 2021

HOMECOMING 2021

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Bishop Ludden celebrated Spirit Week the last week in September, culminating on Friday night, Oct. 1, with a well-attended Homecoming football game.

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A joyful heart is always good

- ⇒ A **cheerful** heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit saps a person's strength. (Proverbs 17:22)
- ⇒ A **joyful** heart makes a cheerful face, but with a heartache comes depression. (Proverbs 15:13)
- ⇒ For the despondent, every day brings trouble; for the **happy** heart, life is a continual feast. (Proverbs 15:15)

Meet Dan Gilheney, new Board of Directors president



Dan Gilheney

What year did you graduate from Ludden?

Well, I started in the fall of 1976 after graduating from St. Charles Borromeo just up Fay Road a bit. I graduated from Ludden in June of 1980.

What's one of the best memories of your time here?

It is so hard to pick just one memory. There are so many spanning my four years from being involved with basketball and lacrosse, dances, bon fires, goofing off

in study hall, working on the maintenance crew during the summers with a group of great kids. We had a lot of fun — we worked hard, we were expected to work hard — in the classroom and on the court and field, but we had a ton of fun throughout!

How long have you been a board member and why did you decide to get involved?

I am going to have to take a little bit of a guess here, but I believe I may have gotten involved around 2010. So, it has been roughly 11 years. I got involved during Kurt Stroman's tenure as Board Chair. Kurt and another board member at that time — Marty Masterpole — asked that I join the board and head up the Finance Committee. I've been helping out ever since — as Chair of the Finance/Audit committee and Treasurer of the Board.

What does being the board chair mean to you and what can we expect from the board as a whole?

There are a lot of formal definitions of what a board chairperson means and what the chair does. Without getting into all of that, what the position means to me is to work with our new principal, Michael McAuliff, and our Board, to ensure we are excellent stewards of the assets we have been asked to oversee — both human and financial. We are extremely fortunate to have wonderful people that make up our Ludden Community — our children and families, our faculty and staff, and our alumni. We need to take care of our community to the fullest extent, primarily by providing our children the best education available in Central New York. And in doing so, Bishop Ludden will be successful for many years to come. We also need to be stewards of our financial assets — we need to continue to provide the resources through our development activities and oversight of our finances so that we can continue to invest in our students, our faculty and our infrastructure (technology and facilities).

IN BRIEF

HEALTH RECORDS

Parents, please send all health forms/physicals/sport clearances directly to the Health Office.

All medications must be brought to the health office for administering. Students are not allowed to carry medications while in school.

IB UPDATE

The school year is off to a great start, with all IB programs up and running!

Here is a quick heads up — students will be registered for exams by Nov. 15 and shortly afterwards we will be billing for the exams. We know this is a difficult time of year as far as expenses, which is why we are letting you know at this time.

The expense for each exam is \$119. Seniors may be taking up to **four exams** while juniors typically take two exams.

Please know that we will have to bill all IB students in November, as our bill will be due to IB very soon after that.

Thank you so much for your help! If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to Heidi Busa at hbusa@syrdiocese.org.

AMAZON SMILES ON LUDDEN

Bishop Ludden was recently added to the Amazon Smile list of charitable organizations you can donate to when shopping its website.

Amazon Smile, an arm of Amazon.com, allows you to donate to a charity of choice without actually spending any additional money of your own. Instead, Amazon donates 5% of eligible purchases to your favorite charitable organization with no fees or extra cost. You simply choose where you want it sent.

Please keep us in mind next time you shop smile.amazon.com!

COUNSELING

Welcome, Chelsea!

The Counseling Office would like to welcome a new face this year- Miss Chelsea Doyle!

Chelsea, of Baldwinsville, joins us in her second year as a school counselor, after starting her career in the Orlando, Florida area. Chelsea lived in Orlando for four years and also worked at Walt Disney World. She moved back to Central New York to be close to family.

Academically, Chelsea is a graduate of Binghamton University, earning her B.S. in Human Development, and a graduate of University of Central Florida, earning her M.A. in Counselor Education-School Counseling and a Graduate Certificate in Career Counseling. Chelsea has a NYS provisional certification in School Counseling. Her speciality is college and career counseling and she is excited to work with students to help them find their path after Bishop Ludden!

Application process under way soon

The application process is about to be under way for our seniors. Please make sure your child is researching the requirements needed for each individual school and watching deadlines. Teachers need at least two weeks notice in order to write a letter of recommendation. Students also need to request a

transcript using the orange transcript request form that was handed out in Religion class at least two weeks before a deadline date. Additional transcript request forms can be found in the Counseling Office.

In-person and virtual college visits

The Counseling office is hosting in-person and virtual college visits with college admissions representatives. Attending these college visits are a great way to learn more about colleges a student is interested in and be able to connect with the admissions representative. Students can find the schedule of college visits on Naviance and listen to announcements for upcoming visits. Students can get passes for visits from the Counseling Office on the morning of the visit. If a visit is virtual, there will be a link to register for the visit on Naviance.

Scholarship and financial aid information

Scholarship information will be posted on Naviance (www.connection.naviance.com/bljshs) as well as emailed directly to students. Many more will come through closer to January!

Here are some financial aid websites that are helpful:

www.hesc.org

www.finaid.org

www.schoolsoup.com

www.collegeexpress.com

www.fastweb.com

www.fastaid.com/map.htm

On this day ...

Monday, Oct. 1: The Free Application for Federal Student Aid opens up to students and their parents. Now is the time to apply for financial aid. First go to www.studentaid.ed.gov to sign up for a Federal Student Aid ID for both the parent and student. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on "The FSA ID." Then go to www.fafsa.ed.gov to fill out the FAFSA application. If you have questions when filling out the FAFSA feel free to call Mrs. Schoeneck or Ms. Doyle in the Counseling Office. It is recommended that FAFSA applications be filed by February 15 for the best financial aid possible. Some colleges also require that a student fills out a **CSS Profile** which is the financial aid application for certain private schools. You can do this on College Board's website- www.collegeboard.org. They will have a list of all the schools that require this application.

Wednesday, Oct. 13 is our day for the juniors to sit for the PSAT exam. A separate letter will be sent to parents of Juniors with more information.

INSIDE LUDDEN



Students spend a light-hearted moment outside to pose for Tropical Tuesday during Spirit Week!



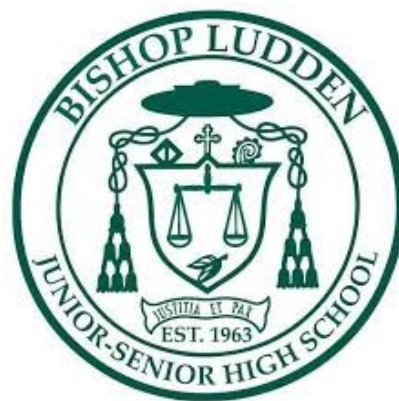
Ludden's Tom Liggett takes a moment for reflection on the 20th anniversary of 9/11. The memorial displayed photos from that tragic day in U.S. history.

ACADEMICS

Students learn to dissect crime scenes



Bishop Ludden's forensic science classes have been learning about crime scene processing in class. Period 9's grisly "murder scene" was analyzed by Period 10, and vice versa. Students practiced crime scene photography, crime scene sketching, CSI techniques, and securing the scene of the crime steps.



One Family's Experience With the International Baccalaureate Program

By Jacquelyn Zimmermann

My child, Stephanie, attended Washington International School, an all IB school in Washington, D.C., for her middle and high school education (www.wis.edu). As I think about what attracted her and us to that school in particular I'm remembering her earliest education choices as they paved the way to the future ones, including college. I will share these experiences with the reader before getting to what we found so valuable in the IB Program.

From my experiences as a student in a country other than my own, as an employee in industries that were foreign to me, as an educator, I came to learn that to have effective relationships with others as well as to help others and myself develop, it was imperative to regard each person as an individual, with their own specific abilities, experiences, life views and visions, and needs for reaching their full potential -- as learners, as contributors to the well-being of themselves, their families, their communities and the world community. I came to see that ability is not hereditary but rather acquired through the care given by parents, teachers, colleagues and the work of the employee and student themselves.

And so I approached raising our child the same way, with few assumptions about what she wanted other than love and care. When she was two years old I sensed she wanted to be with a group of children in both a social and an education setting. I looked at a wide variety of pre-K public and private schools in D.C. and narrowed them down from 15 to three. I had my husband take our daughter to the three schools and asked him to not express his opinion to her of any of them but rather to witness her choice among them. It was a clear choice for her. When she got to the Montessori school, she ran into the classroom and didn't want to leave. And so at 2 ½ she started at that school, at which she was so very happy to be free to learn of her own accord and supported in her independence.

Not too long after that, around age 4, Stephanie expressed interest in learning to play the violin. A local arts workshop



Jacquelyn Zimmermann

where she had attended summer camp had a Suzuki violin program. In educating myself about that method of teaching, I read a book by Shin'ichi Suzuki titled *Where Love Is Deep* and discovered that his idea of raising children to reach their full potential corresponded to what I had learned through Stephanie's Montessori experience: that one has to stimulate their growth by "fostering [them] as fine human beings" -- i.e., love -- through the culture of their learning environment. Again, Stephanie took to the violin as she had to the independent Montessori way of learning.

At sixth grade it was time to search for a middle school that would support her as the independent learner she was, curious about different cultures and ways of thinking and subjects. In D.C. that meant again visiting with Stephanie a wide variety of schools both public and private. The three of us chose seven and Stephanie narrowed it down to two, one of which was Washington International School. The attraction there for her was the representation of 76 countries among the students. I and my husband were particularly taken by the fact that the majority of the faculty had advanced degrees as well as by the school's mission -- "to be an exemplary learning community -- enriched by differences, informed through inquiry, global in reach" -- and by its core values -- inquiry-based learning, global perspective and, in particular, individual responsibility. These all proved to be true in practice

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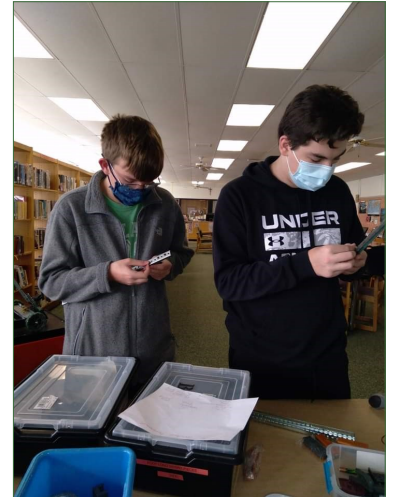
SCHOOL NEWS

October STEM News

VEX Robotics and First Lego League

Bishop Ludden is returning to live play in VEX Robotics and First Lego League. The VEX squad is the high school team. The VEX team will play in two tournaments this winter.

The FLL team is for our junior high squad. They will compete in the Regional Qualifier, then head to the championships if they qualify. According to First Lego League's website, "FIRST LEGO League Challenge teams prepare all season to compete at regional tournaments, where judges provide valuable feedback on their robot, code, and invention. The final test of their work comes at the Robot Game table, where they race against the clock for a personal best score and the chance to advance to a local championship. Some teams earn an invitation to FIRST Championship, where teams from all over the world meet and compete. FIRST LEGO League Challenge event timelines and registration process vary by region." Both teams are coached by Maxine Babcock and mentored by Andrew Leary.



Quiz Bowl

Bishop Ludden's Quiz Bowl teams are taking at least a year off from MasterMinds play after winning both the NY and Regional titles in 2020-21. That team also took home the seventh place trophy at the Small School National Championship Tournament.

The entire varsity team graduated and this will be a rebuilding year for the program. Bishop Ludden has at least three tournament ready teams of 4-6; the squads will be heading to the Ithaca Fall Tournament on November 20.

The prospective 2022-23 SSNCT group of younger players will be heading to Philadelphia for the Philly Fall Invitational on Oct. 30. The teams are coached by Maxine Babcock.

STEM Club to enter Esports



Bishop Ludden Stem Club will be entering Esports with Rocket League teams. The three player teams (as many as we choose to field) will be coached by Maxine Babcock and top 100 in world play Isaiah Horne. Our signups are this week and this counts as a varsity sport. The Fall season runs from Oct. 1 through November. Bishop Ludden (reigning NY champions) will be opting out of MasterMinds this year to focus on History Bowl and Bee play and NAQT sponsored tournaments.

Bishop Ludden: A Diverse Community

Our Bishop Ludden community is vast yet tight-knit with students coming from 20 school districts that range from Geneva to the west, Sandy Creek to the north, Tully to the south and Chittenango to the east.

Bishop Ludden Jr/Sr High School Presents:

7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 12

2 p.m. & 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 13

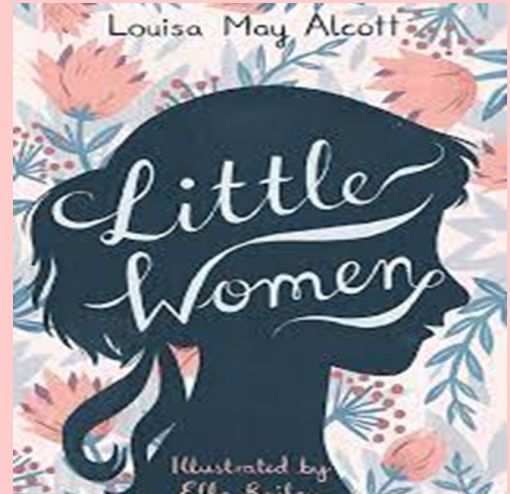
Adults \$10

Students & Seniors \$8

Tickets available at the door

Adapted by Matt Buchanan

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What to know about senior portraits—Due Oct. 15

Seniors may have portraits taken outside of school to be submitted for print in the yearbook. Portraits must be emailed to rhenderson@syrdiocese.org and must adhere to the following guidelines.

- ⇒ Portraits must be a close-up from the waist or chest up; no full body portraits
- ⇒ We only use vertical portrait images
- ⇒ Backgrounds should be plain and not detract from the student; if the student is next to a tree, brick wall, or other item, the focus should be the student's face
- ⇒ No sunglasses or hands obscuring parts of a student's face
- ⇒ No props, pets, or other faces
- ⇒ Students must be wearing school-appropriate clothing; no hats or hoods
- ⇒ All files must be submitted as JPEGs
- ⇒ Original digital copy is preferred; the higher the resolution, the better
- ⇒ Do not submit screenshots, selfies, or pictures from cell phones or social media
- ⇒ We reserve the right to crop a photo as necessary
- ⇒ Any images that do not meet the specifications listed above will be asked to submit a new photo

The deadline to submit a senior portrait is **Friday, Oct. 15**. Failure to submit an acceptable senior portrait will result in the use of the portrait take on school picture day.

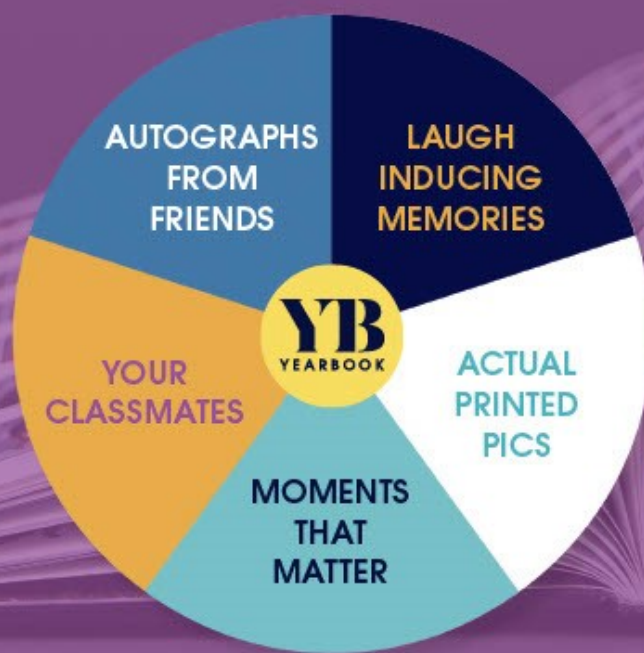


Also, within YEARBOOK ...

We are collecting pet pictures for the yearbook again this year. We would like a photo with your student accompanied by your family pets (the student needs to be in the photo with the pet)! Please include your student (s) name and the pet(s) name. Send pics to rhenderson@syracuse.org.

We would also ask that you choose a baby photo and submit it to us as a digital file for use in the yearbook. If you have any questions, please contact the yearbook advisor—Mrs. Henderson.

WHAT'S IN A YEARBOOK?



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TOP REASONS TO ORDER 2021-2022 BISHOP LUDDEN JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOK!

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- ☒ Signing day is the best day.
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*Purchase name personalization for your yearbook, then choose up to four free icons.



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SCRIP PROGRAM: GIVE A GIFT CARD AND EARN MONEY TOWARD TUITION!



Do you shop at Target? Walmart? Amazon? JCPenney? Marshalls? Kohls? Barnes & Noble? Do you eat at Applebees? Olive Garden? Panera Bread? Cheesecake Factory? Subway? Dunkin’ Donuts? Are you planning a big home improvement project with Lowe’s or Home Depot? How about making vacation plans with Airbnb? American Airlines? Hilton Hotels? Carnival Cruise Lines? Disney?

SCRIP gives you the opportunity to earn credit towards your student’s tuition when you make your normal purchases from hundreds of retailers

So, how does it work?

Think of it as substitute money. When you purchase a SCRIP, you’re purchasing a normal gift card to use just like cash. But with every card you purchase, you’re earning money back towards the cost of tuition at Ludden. SCRIP cards can be used for groceries, clothing, gifts, gasoline, vacations and more! Extended family and friends can also order through your student, earning your family even more credit toward tuition!

How does buying a SCRIP generate revenue?

You order your SCRIP gift cards through the school and pay full face value for them. Bishop Ludden is able to buy SCRIP from hundreds of local and nationwide retailers through the Great Lakes Scrip Center at a discount. The discount, which varies from 1.5% to 25%, is returned to you as tuition credit for the following school year.

For example, if you purchase a \$50 gift card from a retailer that is offering a 10% discount, you have already saved \$5 on next year’s tuition bill.

If you’re planning a shopping trip to Target or a dinner at Cheesecake Factory, plan ahead and shop with SCRIP! Earn money back in the process — it really adds up. Families have earned hundreds of dollars towards their tuition bills.

How do I order SCRIP?

Download and complete an order form. There is a one time \$20 set-up fee paid annually, which covers shipping costs. Send the order to school with your student on the due date (always on a Monday) and the rest is up to our SCRIP coordinator. Your SCRIP order is returned to you or your student at school the Friday of the same week.

Drop off	Pick up
Oct. 18	Oct. 22
Nov. 15	Nov. 19
Dec. 6	Dec. 10
Jan. 10	Jan. 14
Feb. 7	Feb. 11
March 14	March 18
April 4	April 8
May 9	May 3

Students take time to reflect during Eucharistic Adoration.



³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, ⁴ who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God.

2 Corinthians 1:3-4



Campus Ministry

2021-22 Current members are listed below:

Seniors

Amelia Adams
Jacob Donohue
Reese Evans
Kaitlyn Kibling
Ashley Kochanek
Maddie Moen
Isaiah Patterson
Patrick Towsley

Allison Kerwin
Amarah Streiff

Sophomores

Mary Papini
Phil McGarvey
Elden Proper
Delia Adams
Tim Dunham

Juniors

Ryan Brady
Meg Cameron
Sarah Fink
Faith Griffin
Spencer James
Catie Keegan

Our theme for the school year is "THRIVE!" by Casting Crowns. You can hear it by going to this link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qQ71RWJhS_M



PICTURED LEFT:
Students at
Lourdes Camp for
New Campus
Ministry Peer
Leader Training &
Retreat.

You Are Invited!

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH FAITH FORMATION
INVITES YOU TO JOIN OUR
2021-2022 YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAMS



Grades 7 & 8

Mondays 6:30-7:30pm
in the Church Hall



LIFE TEEN
Leading Teens Closer to Christ

Grades 9-12

Sundays 5:00-7:00pm
in the Church Hall

Join us for Fellowship, Faith, and Fun!

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, and in faith.

1 TIMOTHY 4: 12



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Catholic Middle School Ministry

GRADES 7 & 8

MONDAYS

6:30–7:30PM

SEPTEMBER 20

SEPTEMBER 27

OCTOBER 4

OCTOBER 25

NOVEMBER 8

NOVEMBER 15

NOVEMBER 22

DECEMBER 6

DECEMBER 13

DECEMBER 20

JANUARY 10

JANUARY 24

JANUARY 31

FEBRUARY 7

FEBRUARY 14

MARCH 7

MARCH 14

MARCH 28

APRIL 4



LIFE TEEN

Leading Teens Closer to Christ

GRADES 9–12

SUNDAYS

5:00–7:00PM

SEPTEMBER 19

SEPTEMBER 26

OCTOBER 3

OCTOBER 17

OCTOBER 24

OCTOBER 31

NOVEMBER 7

NOVEMBER 14

NOVEMBER 21

DECEMBER 5

DECEMBER 12

DECEMBER 19

JANUARY 9

JANUARY 23

JANUARY 30

FEBRUARY 6

FEBRUARY 13

FEBRUARY 27

MARCH 6

MARCH 13

MARCH 20

MARCH 27

APRIL 3

APRIL 10

APRIL 24

MAY 1

MAY 8

MAY 15

ST. ANDREW DINNERS

*Dear Co-worker in the vineyard,
we need your help!*

"Come and See"

All are welcome to attend the St. Andrew Dinners, which is an initiative sponsored by the Syracuse Office of Vocation Promotion that aims to reach high schoolers who are thinking about the priesthood. The mission of these dinners is to provide a comfortable environment for young men to consider the priesthood as a possible vocation for their lives as well as have the opportunity to meet the bishop in an informal setting.

The evenings begin at 6:30pm and will feature prayer, dinner, conversation, vocation stories, and time for Q & A.

The bishop as well as two other priests will share their vocation stories at these gatherings. The meetings will always conclude at 8:00pm.

The meeting dates for the Fall of 2021 are as follows:

- October 4th - Monday - 6:30pm - at St. Anthony's in Endicott
- October 18th - Monday - 6:30pm - at Our Lady of Lourdes in Utica
- October 25th - Monday - 6:30pm - at Divine Mercy in Central Square



Coordinator of St. Andrew Dinners
KKirkman@syrdio.org
vocations-syracuse.org
Saint Anthony's Church
300 Odell Ave.
Endicott, NY 13760

Father

KEN KIRKMAN



Annual
HOPE
Appeal

ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

Meet Steven Williams & Bryant Roesch, class of 2013



College Education:

Steven: Bachelor of Science in Physics at the University of Maryland

Bryant: Associate of Business Administration at Monroe Community college

Current Occupation/ Gig:

The two of us perform professionally in our band **Tionesta**. Steven is the lead vocalist and rhythm guitarist, and Bryant is the bass guitarist.

Since moving to Baltimore, we have released an EP with four songs in 2019, and a full-length album in May of this year. The album has been widely acclaimed in Baltimore, and some of the songs have received radio play at stations across the country, including Binghamton's WHRW and Syracuse's 95x. We have performed to audiences across Maryland, Washington DC, and in New York. We actually came up to Syracuse in 2019 and performed at the Westcott Theatre. We [were] back in Syracuse on Aug. 28 to perform our show at Funk N Waffles. Outside of the band, Steven works at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center and Bryant is a UX Designer.

Professional Achievements:

Steven:

- Earning a degree in Physics at the University of Maryland
- Working on the LUVIOR Telescope at NASA

Bryant:

- Managing and operating a small business (Syracuse's George O'Dea's Pub)
- Becoming Certified as a UX Designer

The Band:

- Writing, producing, and performing our first 4 song EP in Baltimore
- Selling out Baltimore's Metro Gallery for the EPs debut performance
- Writing our first full album during last year's quarantine
- Becoming established artists in the Baltimore music scene
- Seeing our first album, *Tionesta*, receive radio play in cities across the country

Did any of your experiences at Ludden influence where you are today?

The two of us met at Ludden and have been lifelong friends. We were fortunate enough to find a very tight group of friends at Ludden with whom we've stayed very close over the years. These friends continue to encourage and support our music and we are so grateful for them.

What is your favorite Ludden memory?

The Birds Nest. This was the name we gave to our student-led cheering section at basketball games and it was some of the most fun we've ever had. Almost the entirety of our class came together to invent some of the wildest cheers and displays to root for our basketball team.

What is the best advice you have for current Ludden students?

Use your time at Ludden to figure out what really inspires you and start honing that passion as soon as you can. The both of us found a deep passion for music while attending Ludden and we've been trying to make that passion a reality ever since.

The Ludden Fund helps lift an entire community

By Trish Johnson

As an alum who just returned to Ludden for my 40th reunion, I wanted to share a few thoughts. I would like to encourage all alumni to think about making a gift to Ludden once a year. Our active and caring alumni body will ensure that our school stays strong for future generations! Specifically, please think about making a much needed, much appreciated gift to The Ludden Fund. It will take all of us to keep Ludden strong and keep it growing. It will take our alumni and friends of Ludden to keep Ludden tuition affordable for its high need student body! Ludden students continue to get an excellent education. They are offered the only chance in the greater Syracuse area for an IB Diploma, which is faith based and community centered.

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Bishop Ludden says 'THANK YOU' to summer event sponsorships

The 27th Annual Patrick T. Mathews Golf Tournament

The Driscoll Family — Pat, Kelly, Gallagher
The Whelan Family— Duke '74, Mary '77, Tom '79, Dan '81
Carol Stanley '67 — LaceLocker
Ralph Petta—'70
Strathmore Capital Advisors, Washington, DC—Max Stroman '95
Upstate Cardiology Group—Dr. Theresa Waters '01
Bishop Ludden Boys and Girls Soccer
Janet Hayes Family—Robert '79, John '80, Thomas '81, Mickey '83
Bishop Ludden Golf
Sullivan and Kilmartin — Game Ready
The Mickey '83 & Mary Jo '83 Hayes Family
UniFirst
Matt Mullen
Rick Lyons '83 and Family
St. Anthony's Alumni Association
The Blarney Stone
Marty Masterpole '91 — Onondaga County Comptroller
Pat '83 & Kathy '87 Doner
Steve and Jen James
Kilmartin Family
KW Enterprises—Kathleen Westers '82
Nibsy's Pub
Geddes Federal
TCG
315 Brewery
Hill and Markes—Jeff Crooke '80
TTA Appraisal
Hancock and Estabrook, LLP—Tim Murphy '82 & Ryan Poplowski '08
AOH

Rob Punch '83
Stiefl, Skaneateles, NY—Dan Wright '02
The Rauch Family—Len '87, Joanne, Peter '97, Jack '15, Danielle '18
Beerboard, Inc—The Young Family
The Jeff Boyea Family—Jeff '91 & Katie '91
The Jamie Donigan Family—'90
Edward J Ryan and Sons Funeral Home
Wells Fargo—Brian DeMonte
The Ganley Family—Rob '70, Casey & Grace '11, Dan '12
Syracuse Select Basketball
Firley, Moran, Freer and Eassa CPAs—Dan Gilheney '80
Tipp Hill Athletic Club
Reale Cool Heating and AC
Chris Ryan—8th District County Legislature
Rich Ashe '83 and Family
Mooney Marketing—Pat '89
Kitty Hoynes Irish Pub and Restaurant—Cynthia Hoyne '85
Syracuse Carpet and Flooring
Twin Trees Too!
Ed Brown '83 Family
The Preserve
Masterpole-Murphy—Carl '82 and Nick '86
Luncheon Sponsor—Geddes Federal Savings and Loan
Beverage Sponsor—The Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse
Catholic Schools Office

Thank you also to Tuscarora Golf Club's pro shop and Christiano's at Tuscarora's staff for their hospitality!

Class Reunions: SAVE THE DATES!

Class reunions are being scheduled. Check our website for more information: bishopludden.org/alumni/reunion-events/
If you missed your reunion or need your contact information updated, contact 315-459-7201.

Class of 1970 (50th reunion)

July 15 & 16, 2022

Class of 1980 (40th reunion)

Postponed

Class of 1990, 1991, 1992 (30th reunion)

Postponed

Class of 1966

September 9th and 10th, 2022



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The Inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame

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Firley, Moran, Freer and Eassa, CPAs
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Bishop Ludden Golf Team
Masterpole Murphy
Mickey Hayes/Sunscope USA
Northeast Decorating & Exhibit Services, Inc.
Swallows Tavern
The Roofing Guys
Twin Trees Too
Whelan's Pub at the Fair
John Willimas, '67
The Ulrich Family
The Palermo Family
Jim Stapleton, '74
Tuscarora Golf Club
William Kilmartin, Orthopedics & Sports Rehab

We would also like to thank the Marriott Syracuse Downtown for their hospitality!



In Memoriam

Mary Catherine (Unz) Monty, class of 1967



Mary Catherine (Unz) Monty, 72, passed away on Aug. 18 at home. She was born March 24, 1949 in Syracuse, NY to Frederick and Mary Jane Unz. After graduating from Bishop Ludden HS in 1967, she earned her nursing degree from OCC and also attended SU.

Cathy worked at Community General Hospital for many years as an NP. Many would say that Cathy loved animals more than people. Her favorite pastime truly was being with her family. She enjoyed going out and listening to local bands, but her favorite song was

Hotel California.

She is predeceased by her husband of 19 years, William "Bill" Monty (2001). Cathy is survived by: daughters, Heather (Michael Iandiorio) Monty, Jillian (Michael) Scheer, Jacquelyn (Lee Collier) Monty, Cheryl (Jason) Bowes; grandchildren, Anthony Iandiorio, Samantha, Michael, and Jonathan Scheer, Jayce Collier-Monty, Jason and Robert Bowes; four nieces; and one brother, Chris (Sue) Unz.

Online condolences may be left at www.ballweg-lunsford.com

HOPE for Bereaved

offers support groups that cover many different forms of grief as well as one-on-one counseling—always free of charge. The organization was founded on the understanding that sharing the journey from grief to hope with others who are going through or have experienced the same suffering is essential to the healing process. Call 315-475-HOPE (4673) for more information.

HoF nominations due Dec. 1

Bishop Ludden Athletic Hall of Fame Nominations are due Dec. 1. Please visit <https://www.bishopludden.org/athletics/hall-of-fame/> to nominate someone.

On Dec. 27, we will announce the Hall of Fame Class of '22 during half-time of the second game that evening.

The Bishop Ludden Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony will then be held on Sunday, July 31.

The Patrick Matthew/Gaelic Knight Open is scheduled for Monday, Aug. 1 at Tuscarora Golf Club.

Ludden Fund *From page 15*

Ludden is still attracting nearby students from Geddes, Westvale, Tipp Hill and the near West End, but also from as far away as Geneva and Chittenango. Many of Ludden's students could not enroll without assistance donated through The Ludden Fund.

Please know that a gift given to The Ludden Fund, that commitment from our alumni body, will elevate not just our school, but our whole city. It will lift families who need assistance, and it will change their direction. It is a wonderful, charitable act to give to Catholic education, as our own parents did for years. Ludden alumni are all over the world doing great things. We have only to read the Alumni Spotlights provided every month in this regular Ludden newsletter to notice that.

Ludden would love to spotlight you too, and your journey since graduation! If interested in sharing your story, and inspiring current students, please get in touch with the BL alumni coordinator through the school office. They would love to hear from you!



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throughout Stephanie's experience there. I was particularly grateful that the IB exams were reviewed and graded by examiners throughout the world and therefore unconnected to the school. In fact it prompted me to become an IB examiner in French.


The IB academic program with the goal of obtaining the IB Diploma was both scary for its breadth and rigor, and a very attractive goal. When I asked Stephanie recently, now in her 30s, how she would describe her experience with it, she said: "You'll be grateful in your later years for the well-rounded education you had and how it opened your eyes **unlike any other education**, and at the same time you'll never forget how traumatizing it is for its difficulty but you'll be **proud of surviving it through studying**." She also cherished that she could choose her focus with the six subjects the IB requires instead of being forced to take subjects she didn't want to take. In addition, the Theory of Knowledge course was, to her, "very important for understanding questions and thoughts that aren't brought up otherwise, for learning how society dictates thoughts and then being able to question it all."

Stephanie thinks of the Extended Essay requirement as a great experience for becoming self-guided in something so extensive over a period of months, and being able to choose your topic as well as your teacher-sponsor. She also found the community service requirement of great value and is still connected to the communities in which she served. Her longest experience volunteering was at the National Zoo and several years ago she developed a pig and steer farm where she lives to raise good food for


others and still works it today.

The IB Program, for our family, proved to be what it promised to be from grades 6-10 – a multidisciplinary and questioning approach to developing one's understandings, skills and knowledge. This allows the student to meet the challenging university preparatory course of study for the final two years of high school – the IB Diploma Program. Nothing could have prepared Stephanie better for her life, work and vision.

Jacquelyn Zimmermann is a graduate of the BLHS Class of 1966. She received her bachelor's degree in French and philosophy from LeMoyne College with her junior year abroad in Paris, her master's degree in French from Middlebury College at La Sorbonne in Paris, and her ABD from Cornell University in French and French literature. She taught French and French literature at Boston College, LeMoyne College, Cornell University, the University of Maryland at College Park and the U.S. Department of Agriculture Graduate School. In Washington, D.C., she was an interpreter and translator at an international law firm, translated a book for Cornell University Press, and served as the editor of a book in French for the president of Strategic Planning Associates and later provided communications services for the company. The final 28 years of her career were in public service at the U.S. Department of Education, where she was the director of editorial policy and publishing, co-founder and director of the Student Art Exhibit Program, and co-founder and director of Conversations About Leading, a leadership development program for Education and other federal employees.



PK-12 Breakfast Menu



SYRACUSE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Food & Nutrition Services is
pleased to offer hot breakfast
every Monday & Friday!



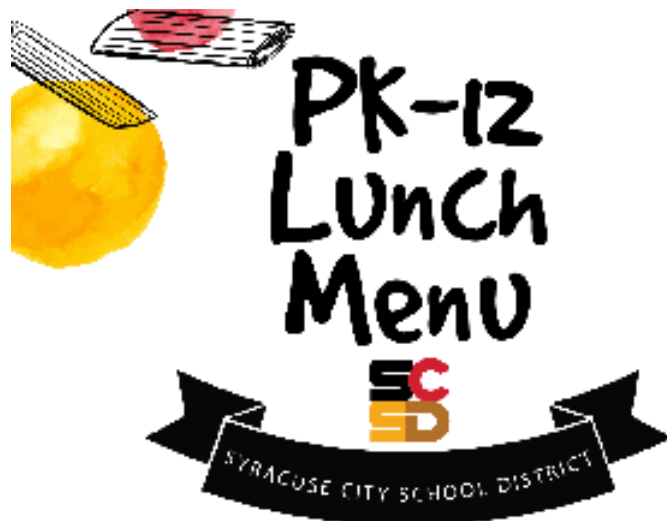
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Cinnamon Fresh Toast Sticks Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 1
Breakfast Muffin-wich Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 4	Vanilla Yogurt Cinnamon Granola with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 5	Assorted Cereal: Cinnamon Toasters,, Chex, Cheerios, or Raisin Bran with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 6	Cinnamon Ultra Slice Bread with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 7	Maple Waffles Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 8
INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY NO SCHOOL 11	Greek Yogurt Cinnamon Granola with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 12	Assorted Cereal: Cinnamon Toasters,, Chex, Cheerios, or Raisin Bran with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 13	Zainy Ultra Slice Bread with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 14	Blueberry Waffles Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 15
Breakfast Crossantwich Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 18	Bagel w/ Cream Cheese with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 19	Assorted Cereal: Cinnamon Toasters,, Chex, Cheerios, or Raisin Bran with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 20	Blueberry Muffin with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 21	Maple Pancakes Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 22
Breakfast Bagel-wich Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 25	Strawberry/Blueberry Yogurt Strawberry Granola with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 26	Assorted Cereal: Cinnamon Toasters,, Chex, Cheerios, or Raisin Bran with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 27	Lemon Ultra Slice Bread with Assorted Fruit Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice 28	Triple Berry French Toast Skim or 1% Milk Orange Juice Assorted Fruit 29

It is our intent to have these choices available to all students at all times, however, there may be occasions when choices are limited.

A reimbursable meal must include at least 1/2 C. fruit, with an entrée.

*All meals offered are available with choice of 1% or Skim White Milk daily



Themed food days are here to stay with:

- Pizza Mondays*
- Home Cooked Tuesdays*
- Burger Wednesdays*
- Power-Up Thursdays*
- Chicken Fridays*

*Daily available entrees include PBJ with a cheese stick or cheese sandwich

Alternate Daily Sides: Assorted Fresh Fruit, Hummus Veggie Boats



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Chicken & Dinner Roll Baked Beans Sweet Potato Crisp 1
Buffalo Chicken Pizza or Cheese Pizza Tossed Salad Peach Cup 4	Turkey Gravy with Homemade Stuffing Mashed Potatoes Strawberry Cup 5	Pizza Burger or Classic Burger Carrot Coins Canned Pears 6	Macaroni & Cheese Broccoli Applesauce 7	Chicken & Waffle Sweet Potato Crisp Cuts Mixed Fruit Cup 8
INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY NO SCHOOL 11	Veggie Pizza Cheese Pizza Tossed Salad Strawberry Cup 12	Cheddar Burger or Classic Burger Corn Cobbett Canned Pears 13	Ravioli & Sauce Garlic Bread (K-HS) Green Beans Applesauce 14	Mega Leg Chicken & Cornbread Roasted Red Potatoes Mixed Fruit Cup 15
Meat Lovers Pizza or Cheese Pizza Tossed Salad Apple Crisp 18	Taco Bowl Black Bean Corn Salad Strawberry Cup 19	Rodeo Burger or Classic Burger Cowboy Beans Canned Pears 20	Veggie Chili Bowl w/Corn Muffin Baked Potato Applesauce 21	Asian Chicken over Rice Sugar Snap Peas Mixed Fruit Cup 22
Pepperoni Pizza or Cheese Pizza Tossed Salad Peach Cup 25	BBQ Beef Bowl over Rice Coleslaw Strawberry Cup 26	Cheeseburger or Classic Burger Potato Wedges Canned Pears 27	Toasted Cheese & Tomato Soup Carrot Coins Applesauce 28	Buffalo Chicken Nachos Celery Sticks Mixed Fruit Cup 29

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A reimbursable meal must include at least 1/2 C. fruit or vegetable. Assorted fresh fruit and hummus veggie boats available in café daily.

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