



PALLOTTI BULLETIN

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WELCOME!

Please click [here](#) for a video message from our Faculty, Staff, Coaches & Administrators to our Pallotti Family members who are working daily to keep us safe and healthy. Thank you for your service and sacrifice!

Share your news and upcoming events in the twice-monthly Pallotti Bulletin by sending all important info to advancement@pallottihs.org

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PALLOTTI CALENDAR

ONLINE LEARNING CONTINUES
3/30-5/15

RE-ENROLLMENT PACKETS DUE
Weds 5/1

PROPOSED REOPEN DATE
5/18/2020

School News

Please assist us in supporting Pallotti families who have lost their jobs due to the current pandemic. Each gift, no matter the amount, makes a difference. Share your Panther Pride and join us by [making a donation](#) to our Emergency Tuition Assistance Campaign today.

Join us in prayer during school days on Pallotti's [Facebook page](#) as Ms. Haning live streams prayer of the examen. The examen is a method of prayer developed by St. Ignatius of Loyola in which we reflect on our day, noticing moments of consolation and desolation, with the goal of coming to recognize the ways that God is working in our lives. Join us at 12:00pm every weekday where distance learning is in session.

It's not too late to purchase your chance for Free Tuition for next year or \$10,000 cash! Buy your ticket [here](#).

Junior **Mia Jackson's** Girl Scout Troop #3148 has partnered Oracle Corporation to sew masks for the community. [Photo](#)

Freshman **Rhily Santanello** has been fostering kittens! Two of her fosters named Taquito and Bandit were adopted to their "forever homes" over break, and her family then took in three new foster kittens. They're about 4 weeks old and names are to be determined. [Photos](#)

Dean of Students Mrs. Catherine Edwards has had some cute house guests during her time away from Pallotti.

College Corner

Please email your students' college acceptances and commitment to rduckworth@pallottihs.org to be featured in our College Corner

Join us in a virtual celebration of Pallotti's Class of 2020 on our [Facebook page](#) as we share our seniors, their college commitments and their declared majors.

Drake Bravo | Frostburg State University | Computer Science
Jasmine Dean | Towson University | Biology
Christian Glast | Bowie State University
Jania Hall has | Monmouth University | Sports Management
Kaylen Hurst | AACC | Music Therapy
Kayla Lee | Hood College | Bio/Pre-Med
Tudor Lungu | College of Wooster | Neuroscience and Art
Christian Mackey | Bio/Pre-Med
Matthew Merritt | Quinnipiac University | Computer Science
Michael Merritt | Quinnipiac University | Computer Science
Madison Miller | Bowie State University | Sociology and Psychology
Mason Moses | Chowan University | Sports Psychology
Kamylin Padgham | University of Delaware | Fashion Merchandising
Larri Sydnor | Norfolk State University | Fine Arts and Graphic Design
Jasmine Valentine | Drexel University | Electrical Engineering
Shaelyn Yermal | University of Mount Olive | Biology

Panther Athletics

Congratulations to Junior **Chris Boti**, who has received multiple DI Football offers from the following schools: JMU, Stony Brook, Delaware State, Ohio U., Old Dominion, Richmond, Kent State, Liberty, Buffalo, Monmouth, Morgan State, and Army.

A huge Pallotti "Welcome" to new girls' head soccer coach, **Kristene Mumby**. Kristene comes to Pallotti with over 8 years coaching experience following playing Division 1 soccer at both West Virginia University and University of Maryland. We are extremely fortunate to have Kristene join our coaching staff, and cannot wait to see her in action! Welcome to the Pallotti family!

From the Parent Guild

Dear Pallotti Family,

Our teachers are doing their best to keep our children on track with their learning during this unprecedented time.

The opening of the Pallotti handbook has a sentence that resonates with me - "academic excellence and building Christian character in a small community."

We hope for our students to succeed both academically and emotionally in high school. While our teachers are focused on the scholastics, the Parent Guild would like you to help Pallotti share some uplifting stories **to post on Pallotti's social media**. We want to highlight our students in many ways. For example:

- Take a picture of your student holding a handmade sign with a positive message wearing Pallotti gear. Include #PallottiStrong and #ClassOf(their year). Let's see which class has the most participation!
- Has your artist made a beautiful picture on the sidewalk with chalk for the neighborhood children on a bear hunt? Send us the picture!
- Did your student redecorate their bedroom door so it looks like their locker? Send us a picture of how they are making home comfortable for distance learning!
- Has your student been supporting the community during this crisis? Are you making cotton masks to donate? Shopping for the elderly? Working at a restaurant? Share their story to inspire others!
- Seniors - send us your college decisions!

We would love pictures, videos, and inspirational stories to **celebrate our student's accomplishments and talents**. Since they can't do that in the hallways, let's bring that online!

If you would like to participate, **please send Rachel Podorski** (RPodorski@pallottihs.org) your

announcements and she will post a few a day on Pallotti's Official Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram pages. Announcements should **include permission to post your student's name as you would like it to appear.**

The Pallotti Parent Guild, 2019-2020

President - Adele Merritt

Vice President - Lisa Luksic

Secretary - Lauren Cummings

Treasurer - Greg Smith

Hospitality Chairperson - Jenny Dobbin

Book Chairperson - Pam Timus

Used Uniforms Chairperson - MJ Bagileo

Mentor Chairperson - Cherri Holland

Alumni News

The **Classes of 1989 and 1990** are holding their 31 & 30 year reunion at the Pallotti Crab Feast this fall, tentatively set for Saturday, September 19, 2020. Email **Michelle Ritchie Mattear '90** (michelle.mattear@gmail.com) or **Kelly Hoff Ruddo '89** (kellyruddo@occinc.com) or look out from communications from Pallotti with ticket prices and more info.

Ennis Whatley Jr. '07 had another spectacular basketball season while playing professional basketball in Italy this past season. He played for Brindisi which is located in the Puglia Region. He averaged 22 points 16 rebounds and 5 assists in his Division. He has been playing in Italy for the last 4 years. He is staying in Italy for the time being as his wife, Erika is from Sicily. Ennis would like to wish everyone in the Pallotti Community a Happy and Safe Easter! [Highlight video](#)

Jon Bartz '08, wife Chrissy and big sister Jordyn welcomed baby boy William on April 3. Congratulations!

Tyrah Cobb-Davis '15 has begun her career in conservationism by joining the Chesapeake Conservation Corps. [More info](#)

Kaitlyn Johnston-Napora '16 is will graduate this May from St. Mary's College of Maryland with Bachelors of Science. She will be presented with "The Robert H. Goldsmith Award for Excellence in Chemistry." Named in honor of Robert H. Goldsmith, professor of Chemistry, this award is presented to recognize distinguished academic achievement and excellence in Chemistry. She will continue her education to receive her Masters in Education.

[St. Vincent Pallotti High School Alumni Association](#)

In the Community

The City of Laurel is celebrating 150 years as an incorporated city with events all year. Check out their [Facebook](#) for more information.

Resources for attending virtual mass all around the world can be found [here](#).

Information on SAT Prep classes can be found [here](#).

Prince George's County Youth Work [Summer Enrichment Program](#) for students

The Rockville Catholic Summer program is looking for students to hire this summer. [More info](#)