



# NEWS

## President's Message

Thank you for all your support with the Calendar Lottery and towards teacher and staff bonuses! We use the profits from the lottery to help pay for the textbooks that PTO purchases for the school. These are books we cannot obtain through public school loans. With the lottery, we pay out \$25,000 to the winners, so the first 500 calendars sold go towards funding the winnings. Any calendars sold over 500 is the amount PTO will receive to support the book expenses. This year, we sold 809 calendars, so we have a planned profit of around \$15,000 once we pay other expenses. Thank you all for your generosity. We know the holidays are hard to ask for so much, and we appreciate your support.

## We need your help

Here are some upcoming events you can find on Track It Forward that PTO needs help with:

- Girls Basketball: Volunteers needed to help during basketball games.
- Catholic Schools Week
  - Teacher & staff breakfast Wednesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>
  - Help with school dance Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>
  - Donations for school dance
- Coming soon: For Parent teacher conferences on Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup> donations are needed for meals for the teachers.
- Mayfair coordinators are looking for individuals to help create or build games for Mayfair. If you have these skills and are interested, please email [NAMSchoolPTO@Gmail.com](mailto:NAMSchoolPTO@Gmail.com).

## PTO Happenings

We wanted to share a few things that PTO has been up to:

- Hosted annual Christmas party in December to celebrate Martyrs school & church staff
- Planning for Catholic Schools Week events
- Will be providing snacks for ITBS testing in March

## Martyrs Night Out

Martyrs Night Out is a great opportunity for fellowship provided by local businesses that give back to our school.

\*January 23<sup>rd</sup> at Amigos in the Highlands  
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

\*February 20<sup>th</sup> at Panera on  
North 27<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 PM -8:00 PM

Thank you to everyone who has participated in Martyrs night out this year. We appreciate everyone participating in these events to get funds for our school.

## Thank You!

Thank you to Kidwell Electric for donating a projection screen for the school gym and Chuck Keller for coordinating the donation for our school! We are looking forward to having it for next school year.

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