

# St. Elizabeth Upper School



## Viking Parent Newsletter

**To give anything less than your best is the  
sacrifice the gift.**

**Steve Prefontaine**

### Next week in #VKNation

Feb. 6	D4	
Feb. 7	D5	
Feb. 8	D6	
Feb. 9	D7	
Feb. 10	D1	Auction Dress Down Day

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### College Acceptances



Eric Hicks to Norfolk State University

Zachary McGhee to Neumann University

Megan McLaughlin to Duquesne University

Michael Naughton to Immaculata University

Alyssa San Diego to the University of Delaware

## St. E School Day of Service

All of the classrooms and hallways in St. Elizabeth School were filled with service projects, Tuesday, January 31st as part of the Catholic Schools Week outreach. Seven different community service projects were conducted by the students of St. E based on their grade level. Jefferson Awards SIA members assisted the lower grade students in their activities. A few of the organizations who will benefit from our efforts are the Hope House, 3B: Brae's Brown Bags, and St. E Parish shut ins.



## Academic Bowl

Ms. Murphy and Mr. Jordan led a trivia contest between the Junior High grades and the High school. The 8th graders bested the 7th graders and the seniors, with the help of Mr. Winterbottom, won the high school division! The freshmen took second place under the tutelage of Mr. McGrath.





## **Great Penny Race**

As part of our Catholic Schools week activities, the annual Great Penny race is in full swing. The money that is collected throughout the week will be split between the St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Elizabeth Parish and Catholic Relief Services. The competition between grades has greatly increased over the past two days. Pennies placed in a grade's bucket add a positive point to their total and any silver change or bills count against a grade's total for the week.



As of Thursday our totals are as follow: Freshman with 1169, Sophomores have a -220, Juniors stand at -1121, and seniors have 262. One more day to contribute to your class bucket. Winners will be announced after the final count has been tabulated.

## **Mickey Henry Pens with the Hens**

Senior Mickey Henry signed his National Letter of Intent on February 1st to

play football at the University of Delaware. Family, coaches, and friends joined him at the signing ceremony. Congratulations, Mickey!



## **High School Leadership Award by Widener University**

Abigail Thompson has been selected to receive the High School Leadership Award through Widener University. This awards program is designed to recognize high school students in the region, like Abigail, who embody the university's commitment to develop and inspire leaders to affect positive change. With this award, the Widener University High School Leadership Awards Committee recognizes Abigail's ability to demonstrate courage by standing up for what is right, finding a way to address a wrong, or making a difference in a significant way. Among other incentives and rewards, Abigail will receive a \$20,000 scholarship to Widener over four years as an undergraduate. Congratulations, Abigail!

## **WorldQuest**

Joseph Pritchard, David Hazelton, Brandon Holly, and Kevin Marchioni represented St. E at WorldQuest, a Social Studies based academic contest. Good work, St. E students!



## **Student of the Week**

This week's student of the week has been blessed both with talent and the passion to pursue her goals. This student develops her artistic skills by working on her artwork at lunch, after school, and at home. It is this combination of talent, discipline, and passion that allowed her to win several Scholastic Art awards. Her love for art and her creative talent are an inspiration to all who see her work.



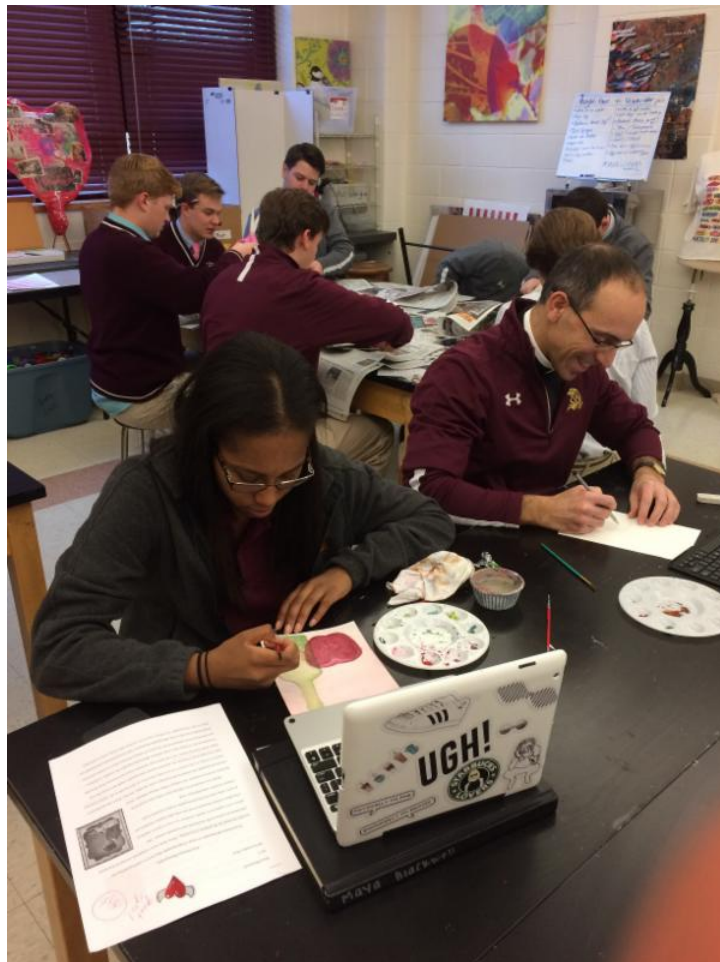
Congratulations to Student of the Week, Anita Yuan.

### **Athlete of the Week**

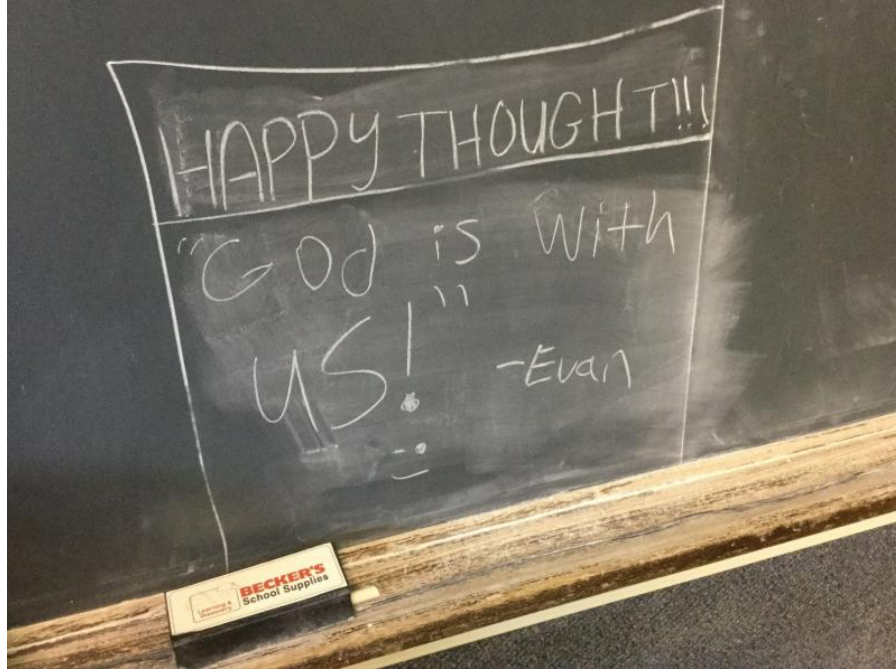
Over the past ten days the Lady Viking basketball team recorded wins against St. Mark's, Milford and St. Thomas More. Although the wins were a result of a full team effort, this athlete of the week led the Vikings in scoring and rebounding in each game. Over the three game stretch she scored 53 points, 21 rebounds and had 9 steals. This year she has led the team in each of these offensive categories and has the team jelling as they enter the last month of the season, preparing for postseason play.



Congratulations to Maroon & Gold Athlete of the Week,  
Senior Co-Captain Alanna Speaks.



Art welcomed the newest St. E student, Fr. Lewis!



A great message for Catholic Schools Week!

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