



"Ram Ramblings"

MONSIGNOR DONOVAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL


"TO RADIATE THE LORD"

Wednesday, January 4, 2012

HEADLINES:

Re-enrollment letters are due Thursday, January 5th.
Please return to the school as soon as possible for processing to avoid a late fee.

Mardi Gras



Happy New Year! Thank you to our new Mardi Gras at Donovan sponsors. They include our new green sponsors: Dr. and Mrs. Gary Walton, Perno Insurance, and Good Hands Veterinary Clinic. Thanks also to our purple sponsors: Becky and Buddy Snow (grandparents of freshman Allison Thurston) and Publix Supermarket Charities. We appreciate your support! There is still a little time to get your sponsorship commitments in before the deadline. If you need more information or would like a sponsorship packet, please e-mail Rima Sullivan at rima9@bellsouth.net. **Keep selling those Raffle Tickets!!!**

A Message from Mr. Yuran...

As the new semester begins, we look forward to continuing our academic, athletic, and artistic success while celebrating our Catholic Identity. Our success in these areas this past fall is due largely to the ongoing support of our parent community. Since it has been several months since our last parent meeting, we would like to offer another opportunity for us to come together. The **Parent Meeting** is on **Wednesday, January 25th at 6:00 pm** in the Gym. The agenda for this meeting will include a discussion of the daily schedule, the SACS accreditation visit scheduled for April 19th and 20th, an update from the Professional School Counselor, and a town hall question/answer session. This town hall portion will be a wonderful opportunity for you to ask questions of the administration, academic staff, and faculty. Please reserve the date on your calendar. Should you have any questions, please send an email to pyuran@mdchs.org or call me at 706-433-0223. I look forward to seeing you at the meeting!

Happy New Year!



MDCHS ATHLETICS!



The Girls and Boys Varsity Basketball teams were very busy and very successful over the Christmas Break.

DONOVAN LADY RAMS ROUNDUP

The Lady Rams ended the year undefeated in 2011 at 11 -0. They have already smashed the previous school record for victories in a season for girls' basketball (7)!!!!!!!

The Lady Rams came away win non-region wins over Bethlehem Christian, New Birth Christian and Thomas Jefferson over break. Their two victories in the 2nd Annual Rams Holiday Classic earned them the tournament title. Katie Scherer and Julie Barton were named to the All Tournament Team.

The Lady Rams kicked off their region schedule on December 16th with a convincing win over Windsor Academy.



Junior Julie Barton was honored as the **ATHENS BANNER HERALD**
ATHLETE OF THE WEEK
on December 20th for her efforts in leading the Lady Rams to the best start in school history!

Check out the article [here!](#)

Keep it going Lady Rams!!

DONOVAN BOYS BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

The boys also won all their games over Christmas break. They defeated Bethlehem Christian 69 – 39 and New Birth Christian 66 – 58 to take home the title of the 2nd Annual Ram Holiday Classic. Schafer Smith and BJ Barrett were named to the All Tournament Team.

The Rams defeated non region foe Thomas Jefferson 41 – 29 on December 29th led by Zach Moore's 12pts and Schafer Smith's 11 pts.

The Rams also won their region opener on December 16 61 – 42 over Windsor Academy. BJ Barrett led all scorers with 23 points, Schafer Smith added 14 and Zach Griffin added 12. The Rams finished 2011 with a 9 – 2 record.

UPCOMING RAM BASKETBALL DATES

Friday January 6 th vs. Gatewood	JVG 4:30	Varsity Girls 6pm	Varsity Boys 7:30pm
Saturday January 7 th @ CFCA (Macon)		Varsity Girls 4:30pm	Varsity Boys 6pm

Yearbook News

Now is the time to order your students yearbook!

Order between November 1st to December 16th and the price is \$50. **Orders placed after the 16th of December but before January 10th, the price will go up to \$60.**

We are unable to take orders after 3:30 pm on January 10th. Be sure to reserve your students copy today!

† Join us for Mass at MDCHS †

The faculty, staff and students at Monsignor Donovan Catholic High School celebrate Mass once a month during the school year. Parents, we would like to extend the invitation to you to join us to celebrate as a community whenever we have Mass. The dates for our school Masses are:

Friday, January 27th – Catholic Schools Week Kick-off Mass

Wednesday, February 22nd – Ash Wednesday Mass

Friday, March 23rd – Mass

Friday, April 13th – Mass

Friday, May 4th – Mass – Alumni Induction



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