

Eagle

EAGLE'S NEST

This year our Campus ministry program is ON FIRE! There are so many opportunities for students to be involved and I encourage you to experience all your Campus Ministry has to offer.

Our very first **Eagle's Nest** took place on Tuesday, October 11th. We had a small one-hour event open to all students with praise, and worship, adoration

Our student body continues to work hard and strive to do their best! Congratulations to those students who are on our Vermilion Catholic **Principal's List and Honor Roll** for the first 9 weeks.

Keep up the great work!



and a short talk. The students learned about St. Josemaria Escriva's heroic minute and Fr. Michael Richard did adoration and benediction for the students in attendance. Our next Eagle's Nest is schedule for November 8th from 6-7 P.M. Please join us!

Please continue to pray for Vermilion Catholic's Campus ministry as we continue to grow and spread the love of Christ on and off of campus!

For more information on what your Campus Ministry has to offer, please see me!

Together Strong

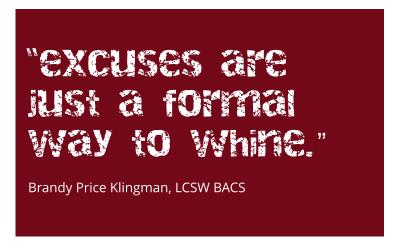
Ms. Olivia Miller

The Thanksgiving Holiday is fast approaching. What are you thankful for?

Achieving YOUR Success!

AT some point in a student's life they may find school a bit challenging. It may be that the subject matter is not interesting or the student does not partially care for the teaching style of a teacher. Whatever the case may be, students need to learn to adjust to be successful and most importantly happy.

More and more each day I get fliers on upcoming workshops about anxiety and our youth. I often reflect on my school days, and I can honestly say I do not remember hearing about anxiety as I hear about it today. Is it because there is more research on the subject today and we know more about the affects anxiety has on children, or is it because we are in a world today that everyone should be the winner or the perfect student? I have come to the conclusion that it probably is a little of both, but more heavily I believe it is the latter.



I have always thought that if a person is giving it 100% in school and their best in any one subject is a "C", well that is great! C's get degrees and C's are average. Most people are average and that is not a bad thing. We are all blessed with our individual gifts and talents. If getting straight A's causes a student to need anxiety medication, I feel one needs to reflect on their true goals in life. Is all of the stress and ill health worth it in the long run?

In life we need to be able to adjust and adapt to our changing challenges. For my freshmen students, life in high school is different from middle school and students are realizing after the first nine weeks that they may need to make adjustments to the way they study to achieve their desired level of success. For my seniors, they are preparing for college by filling out applications. They too are realizing they may

need to prepare differently to reach their goal for the ACT/SAT, and their desired grade point average for admittance into the college or university of their choice. Life is not

always fair and we need to

realize that at an early age. We will not always be the winner and we will not always get the job, but it is in failing that we grow. Use each failure as a learning experience and view failures as opportunities to improve. Take any excuses you may have for your failure and throw those out of the window. I have recently heard a phrase that stuck with me and it is "excuses are just a formal way to whine." Quit the whining and start working harder to achieve your goals in life.

It is my opinion that God created us to have happy lives. He has given us the gift of others to help us along our way. Utilize the support of people in your life to help you achieve success in areas that present challenges. Part of growth is finding yourself, and part of finding yourself is finding the people that bring out the best in you!

Good Luck in your second 9 weeks! Go out and achieve your success!

Mrs. Cheryl Landry



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STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

LAUREN-GRACE LEGE, 2016-2017 STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

LIFE IS A

Everyone's schedules are full, and there is never time for anything. We become so caught up in our own lives, that we start to forget what we have. We are so blessed, and have so much, yet we do not remember to give thanks to the One who has given it to us.

Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." 1Thessalonians 5:16-18

After reading these verses, it is hard to comprehend how we are supposed to give thanks in all circumstances. This means that we need to thank God when life seems absolutely terrible. We have to thank Him when life is totally amazing and cannot get better. We have to thank Him for what He's doing in our lives at this very moment. And we have to thank Him for whatever He has planned for us in the future.

CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

3rd Pro Life Rosary 9th **Blood Drive** 11th Sophomore Retreat

15th Seniors @Renaissance

Festival

17th Pro-Life Jean Day 18th **Progress Reports**

21st Thanksgiving Holiday

begins

30th **Advisory Meeting**



STUDENT MASS DATES

1st @ VC w/ MCE @ 8:00 a.m.

10th @ St. Mary Magdalen @ 7:30 a.m.

18th @ VC w/ MCE @ 8:00 a.m.

DECEMBER

9th Senior Retreat

10th **ACT**

16th Mid Terms Begin

22nd Christmas Holiday Begins

27th **Yuletide Begins**

Eagle of the Month

REMEGUILLOT

Aneleise Hebert, Whitney Bourgue, Andre Bertrand

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KALIX BROUSSARD

11th

JTLEGE

Meredith David, JT Lege, Jenna Miller, Ross Cao

Anjalie Patel, Abigail Joseph,

On October 14, VC's Drama Club took its annual field trip to 13th Gate in Baton Rouge. Fifty club members were treated to a private tour hosted by creator Dwayne Sanburn. Sanburn took students through the haunted house while sharing behind-the-scenes secrets with them about set design, lighting, sound effects, and acting.



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