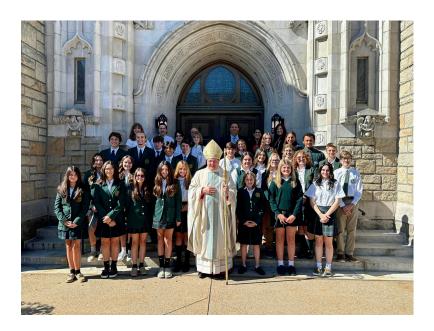


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Geibel Catholic's Mission

The mission of Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School is to achieve and sustain excellence in faith formation. academics and service.

GEIBEL CATHOLIC CALENDAR

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"THE HIGHER WE GO. THE MORE WE CAN HEAR THE VOICE OF CHRIST"

BLESSED PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI

Live the Liturgy - Inspiration for the Week

The goodness and mercy of God are gifts He wants to share with each one of us, but we have to be ready to receive them. Let's be prepared for whatever the Lord will ask of us this week.



Fr. John Moineau; Msgr Paul Fitzmaurice,

Fr. Willie Lechnar; Fr. Michael Sikon; Our Geibel Catholic School Family, Max, ACM, Dick, Tate

Swaney, the men and women serving our country; the Priests and Bishop of our Diocese. Have a prayer request? Email it to: cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org

Little Mermaid Musical Auditions:

Little Mermaid auditions for grades 9th thru 12th will be held on Thursday, October 19th and Friday, October 20th. Please be sure to sign up with Mr. Bell for auditions.

Online Attendance Form:

We now have an online attendance form, that can be utilized when your child is either absent, running late, or needs to have an early dismissal. It can be found on our website, by selecting MYGHS, Parents, and then under forms, it is called: Student Absences. It can also be found by click on the below link:

https://www.geibelcatholic.org/student-absences/

Homecoming Dance

The Homecoming Dance will be Friday, October 20th from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at Geibel Catholic. Tickets may be purchased during Homecoming/Spirit week. Those that ordered a HoCo Tshirt will receive a discount on the dance ticket cost. This is a dressy-casual event.

Sports Booster Spaghetti Dinner Meeting:

There will be a Sports Spaghetti Dinner Meeting on Monday, October 16th at 6pm in the Cafeteria. Anyone interested in helping, please join us!

Sports Admission & Season Passes

Geibel Catholic Sports admission prices are \$2/student & \$5/adults per game or this year, you have the option to purchase season passes. The season passes are \$25/student & \$50/adult. This will grant you admission to all home Geibel Catholic sporting events, except for playoffs. Tickets for playoffs are sold by WPIAL's.

Homecoming Court & Pep Rally:

On Friday, October 20th, the Homecoming Pep Rally & crowning of our Homecoming Queen will take place at 1:45pm in the Gym. All families are invited to come join us for the wrap up of our Spirit Week!

Math League

Dear Students 9th -12th Grade,

If you are interested in participating in Math League this year, please fill out the following form:



This is an opportunity to compete at local schools once a month. Any student who competes would be expected to represent our school to the best of their ability. They would do this by working out practice problems prior to each competition and following all school policies, including dress code, during the competitions.

Please let me know if you are interested or have any questions.

Have a great day!

Thanks,

Ms. Swan

Gator Walk:

Thank you everyone for all of the support so far on Gator Walk 2023. As of today, the contest for class prize & dress down days has closed. Our winning class is Eighth Grade. Our first place goes to Jaydin Dipaola, second place to Dylan Kelley, and third place to Pete Kmetz.

Gator Walk 2023 Totals:		
7th Grade:		
	\$	1,117.50
8th Grade:		
	\$	3,180.50
9th Grade:		
	\$	2,117.50
10th Grade:		
	\$	2,422.50
11th Grade:		
	\$	1,660.00
12th Grade:		
	\$	685.00
Overall Total:	\$	10,065.50

CONGRATULATIONS Gators of the Month



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Eahn S. 2028



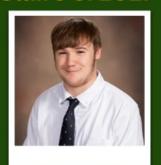
Claire S. 2027



Sarah S. 2026



Sarah E. 2025



Aidan P. 2024

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Receive 30% off fall layers; 20% off everything else online or by phone (excludes buy more and save pricing, embroidery and monogramming, gift boxing, gift cards, shipping, taxes, duffes, Lands' End Business Outflitters purchases, and excluded fitters as marked). Discount will be applied at checkout. Free Shipping is based on order total after promotional alseignamy be deducted from returns. 5-7 business day delivery to most addresses. Free standard shipping is valid on orders of \$970 cm one fafter promotions and discounts are applied shipped to US and Canada addresses only. Offer wild intowalt 1559 pm. Central, October 20, 2023. Not valid on previous purchases or when combined with any other promotional offers.







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QUESTIONS? CONTACT CASSADY THORNTON AT CASSADY.THORNTON@ROSEDALETECH.EDU OR TEXT/CALL (412) 515-3232

10/15/2023 to 10/21/2023

Geibel Catholic School Calendar

Sunday, October 15, 2023

Geibel Catholic Trap Practice

Sun 10/15/2023 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM ₽

Location: Fayette Gun Club Inc (1435 Gun Club Rd, Uniontown, PA, 15401, United States)

Monday, October 16, 2023

☐ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Week

Mon 10/16/2023 to Fri 10/20/2023

■ Geibel Catholic Girls Volleyball Practice

Mon 10/16/2023 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM ₽

Location: Geibel Catholic Gym

Geibel Catholic Boys Soccer Practice

Mon 10/16/2023 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM ₽

Location: Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

Cross Country & Girls Basketball Practice

Mon 10/16/2023 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM ♥

GC/SJE Girls CYO Basketball Game @ MOS

Mon 10/16/2023 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Location: Mother of Sorrows Parish (4202 Old William Penn Hwy, Murrysville, PA 15668)

Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball Practice

Mon 10/16/2023 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM ♥

Tuesday, October 17, 2023

☐ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Week

Mon 10/16/2023 to Fri 10/20/2023

Geibel Catholic Boys Soccer Practice

Tue 10/17/2023 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM ♥

Location: Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

Geibel Catholic Girls Volleyball @ Jefferson Morgan

Tue 10/17/2023 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Location: Jefferson Morgan High School

Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball

Tue 10/17/2023 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM ♥

Wednesday, October 18, 2023

☐ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Week

Mon 10/16/2023 to Fri 10/20/2023

Geibel Catholic Girls Volleyball Practice

Wed 10/18/2023 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM ₽

Location: Geibel Catholic Gym

Geibel Catholic Trap Practice

Wed 10/18/2023 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM ₽

Location: Fayette Gun Club Inc (1435 Gun Club Rd, Uniontown, PA, 15401, United States)

Cross Country & Girls Basketball Practice

Wed 10/18/2023 5:30 PM - 6:15 PM ♥

CAC Girls CYO Basketball Game

Wed 10/18/2023 5:45 PM - 7:30 PM

Location: Geibel Catholic Gym

Geibel Catholic eSports Practice

Wed 10/18/2023 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM ₽

Geibel Catholic Boys Soccer @ Southmoreland

Wed 10/18/2023 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Location: Southmoreland Senior High School (2351 Rte 981, Alverton, PA, 15612, United States)

GC/SJE Girls CYO Basketball vs MQA

Wed 10/18/2023 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: Geibel Catholic Gym

Thursday, October 19, 2023

☐ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Week

Mon 10/16/2023 to Fri 10/20/2023

Cross Country & Girls Basketball Practice

Thu 10/19/2023 5:30 PM - 6:15 PM 🜣

Location: Geibel Catholic Weight Room

Geibel Catholic Girls Volleyball vs California- Senior Night

Thu 10/19/2023 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Location: Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA 15425)

Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball Practice

Thu 10/19/2023 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM 🕏

Location: Geibel Catholic Gym

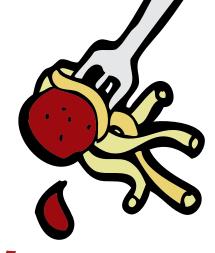
Friday, October 20, 2023

☐ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Week

Mon 10/16/2023 to Fri 10/20/2023

■ Geibel Catholic Homecoming Dance Fri 10/20/2023 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM





50/50
Basket Raffle
Bine-in
Take-out
Walk-ins

Sports Boosters Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, November 5th, 11:00am to 4:00pm

Tickets: \$12 for Adults \$5 for Kids 10 & under

Advanced purchase preferred but not required;

Call (724)628-5600 for tickets

Location: 611 E Crawford Ave

Dinner includes:

Spaghetti with Marinara or Meat Sauce, Salad with Dressing, Bread, and a Dessert

All proceeds will benefit Geibel Catholic Sports
Boosters

HoCo 2023 Spirit Week

	Monday
Schedule	Regular Schedule
Theme	Throw It Back
Dress	Decades – Pick an identifiable look from the
	1920's to the 1980's. All attire must adhere to
	the theme of the day AND the Student Dress
	Code in the Handbook
Planned Activities	Penny Wars Begin!
Activities	Get your team signed up for Dodgeball by
	Wednesday!
	Get your homeroom to plan you Door
	Decorations!

Tuesday		
Schedule	Regular Schedule	
Theme	Crazy Like	
Dress	Wear your craziest pair of socks with your	
	regular uniform.	
Planned Activities	Penny Wars!	
Activities	Get your team signed up for Dodgeball by	
	Wednesday!	
	Get your homeroom to plan you Door	
	Decorations!	

	Wednesday
Schedule	Activity Schedule
Theme	Rhyme Without Reason
Dress	Represent two (or more) things that rhyme but that have no reason to match together. Examples: Ping Pong/King Kong, Bob Ross/Girl Boss/Rock Moss, Jack Sparrow/Cupid with an Arrow
Planned Activities	Penny Wars! Get your team signed up for Dodgeball by Wednesday! Finish your Homeroom Door Decorations!

Thursday		
Schedule	Activity Schedule	
Theme	Bring It Together	
Dress	Senior T-Shirts And Regular Uniforms	
Planned Penny Wars!		
Activities	Homeroom Door Decoration Judging	
	Dodgeball Tournament	

Friday		
Schedule	Activity Schedule	
Theme	Homecoming Spirit	
Dress	Homecoming Class T-shirt with Jeans OR Gator	
	Spirit wear with uniform pants/skirts.	
Planned Activities	Penny Wars will end after 4th period!	
Activities	Pep Rally with Fall Sports, Class Competition	
	Winners, and the Homecoming Court	

Hoco 2023 Class Competitions

The class that shows the most school spirit throughout the week will in a pizza party and an hour of gym time!

Theme Day

Participation –

Participate in the themes each day!

Pep Rally – Pep Rally games may happen, so be prepared! Penny Wars – Gather up all your loose change and deposit it in our Penny Jars.

Put the pennies in your own jar for more Penny Points. But be careful! Silver coins from your Penny Points. Proceeds from your Penny Points. Proceeds from Penny Wars will be donated to our local dedicated to the Rosary.

Dodgeball – Gather a few of your classmates and sign up for the Dodgeball Tournament! Teams of 5-7 students from the SAME GRADE can sign up for the tournament. More than one team from each grade is permitted. The dodgeball matches will be timed matches (3 minutes) on Thursday during Activity Period.

Gator Homecoming Spirit Door

Decoration Contest – Each homeroom

will decorate their homeroom door

with the theme of Gator Spirit. The

door decorations must be finished by

Wednesday.



Geibel Catholic High School

Homecoming FALL BALL

20 OCTOBER, 2023 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

DRESSY-CASUAL EVENT
9TH THROUGH 12TH GRADE STUDENTS
TICKETS: \$15 PER PERSON (\$10 IF HOCO SHIRT PURCHASED)
GUESTS ARE WELCOME WITH COMPLETED PAPERWORK



Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School 2023 Homecoming

Fall Ball

Friday, October 20th Geibel Catholic High School

Checklist of Dance Forms DUE October 18, 2023

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS AND STUDENTS

TICKETS (DUE Friday Ocober 20th)

Ticket cost is \$15.00 per person. Tickets will be on sale from October 12th through October 20th in Mrs. Harner's room. **ONLY CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED**. All checks should be made payable to "Geibel Catholic."

DANCE DRESS GUIDELINES

As per administration of Geibel Catholic, girls' dresses are to be modest, be within the boundaries of Catholic moral principles, and adhere to the following guidelines:

FEMALES:

- Skintight or suggestive dresses are not permitted.
- Strapless dresses are NOT permitted.
- Transparent material is not permitted on the bodice or skirt of the dress.
- No transparent cutouts are permitted on the front or sides of the dress.
- The back of the dress cannot fall below the natural waistline which is around your belly button.
- Midriffs must be covered
- No portion of the dress should be shorter than mid-thigh.
- Tasteful/dressy pantsuits are also permitted.
- Foot coverings (socks, flip flops, ballet flats) must always be worn.

MALES:

- Boys are expected to wear slacks and polo, or a shirt and tie, and dress socks and shoes.
- Boys must keep their shirts on at all times.

DANCE TIMELINE

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Dancing and Photo Booth

TRANSPORTATION

All students are expected to transport themselves to and from the school whether by themselves, with another couple, or with their parents. This choice must be selected on the appropriate permission slip.

DANCING and APPROPRIATE LANGUAGE

Students are reminded that dancing should be appropriate for students in a Catholic school. Students dancing inappropriately will be reprimanded by the chaperones. Students are also reminded to refrain from singing the lyrics to songs whose unedited versions contain explicit and/or vulgar language.

USE OF ALCOHOL AND/OR DRUGS

Absolutely no alcohol or drugs are permitted during the Homecoming Dance. Absolutely no smoking or use of tobacco in any form is permitted during the Homecoming Dance. If any student is suspected of being under the influence of alcohol or drugs, he/she will be escorted from the school by security, at which time his/her parents/guardians will be notified as well as the police.

QUESTIONS

Please direct questions to Mrs. Shelley Harner, Student Council Sponsor, or Mrs. Darlene McWilliams, Administrator, at 724-628-5600. Students not from Geibel Catholic may fax papers to 724-626-5700.

FORM 1: CODE OF CONDUCT

SIGN AND RETURN

Senior High School regarding the Ho	mecoming Dance.
Your Printed Name	Today's Date
Your Signed Name	
Your Date's Name (Printed)	

FORM 2: PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

SIGN AND RETURN

I/We, the undersigned parent(s) of being permitted to participate in the Hor Junior-Senior High School, and any relat as follows:		
Consent to Guidelines I/We have read the information listed in agent of the school notifies me that my c		
Liability Waver I/We do hereby release and forever discless Greensburg, the Most Reverend Larry Jexecutors and administrator, of and from whatsoever kind and nature, arising from unforeseen bodily and personal injuries of parents, or guardians, and any other personnection with participation of my/our	. Kulick, their agents, employees, so any and all claims, demands, right an, and by reason of, any and all kno for damage to property which may son or persons having a legal intere	uccessors and assign, heirs, ts and causes of action of wwn or unknown, foreseen and be sustained by the student, est herein as a result of or in
Medical Waver I/We hereby warrant that to the best of all responsibility for the health of my/ou		is in good health, and I/we assume
Emergency Medical Treatment In the event of an emergency, I/we give directors and agents, and the Diocese of agents, representatives, volunteers, and or representatives associated with the Proor surgical treatment. I wish to be advised	Greensburg and all parishes within employees of either the Diocese or rom, to transport my/our child to a	n the Diocese, and the officers, any Parish thereof, and chaperones a hospital for emergency, medical,
In the event of an emergency, if I/we are please contact:	e unable to be reached at the teleph	one numbers provided below,
Name of Emergency Contact	Telephone Num	ber(s)
I/We have read the above consent form	and liability and medical waivers a	nd have voluntarily signed below.
Signature of Student	Telephone Number(s)	Today's Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Telephone Number(s)	Today's Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Telephone Number(s)	 Today's Date

FORM 3: TRANSPORTATION TO/FROM THE SCHOOL

SIGN AND RETURN

Please select Option 1, 2, or 3; then sign and date.
☐ <u>Option 1</u> : Driving to the Dance
Students with a valid driver's license may drive themselves to Geibel Catholic High School.
☐ <u>Option 2</u> : Riding with another couple to the Dance
Students may ride with another couple/couples to Geibel Catholic High School.
With whom will this individual be riding?
□ Option 3: Riding with parents to the Dance
PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY STUDENT WHO IS DRIVING MUST SUBMIT A COPY OF HIS/HER DRIVER'S LICENSE. A COPY MAY BE MADE AT SCHOOL AS WELL. PLEASE READ THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT ON THE REVERSE OF THIS PAGE REGARDING NIGHTTIME DRIVING RESTRICTION FOR JUNIOR LICENSE HOLDERS THAT RESTRICTS THEIR DRIVING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11:00 PM AND 5:00 AM.
Printed Name of Parent/Guardian Today's Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian

JUNIOR LICENSE

YOUNG DRIVERS WHO GRADUATE TO A JUNIOR LICENSE HAVE SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED ALL LEARNER'S PERMIT REQUIREMENTS, INCLUDING THE ROAD TEST, BUT THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTIONS STILL APPLY:

- A young driver's junior license will be suspended for 90 days if he or she accumulates six or more points or is convicted of a single high-speed violation (driving 26 miles per hour or more over the posted speed limit).
- Even with a junior license, a young driver may not be behind the wheel between the hours of 11 p.m. and 5 a.m. Exceptions for employment and volunteer or charitable service will apply, but young drivers must carry proper documentation regarding their need to travel.
- The number of passengers must not exceed the number of seat belts in the vehicle, and all seatbelts must be worn. This applies to all passengers and drivers under the age of 18.

Source: https://www.dot.state.pa.us/Public/DVSPubsForms/BDL/BDL%20Fact%20Sheets/fs-wy.pdf Retrieved Wednesday, March 8, 2023

FORM 4: CONTRACT FOR GUESTS ATTENDING **ANOTHER HIGH SCHOOL**

Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School 2023 Homecoming Dance

Fall Ball

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20TH GEIBEL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

I,Printed Name of Student	, will be attending the 2023 Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High I agree to obey all rules and Printed Name of Geibel Student	
School Homecoming Dance with		
regulations as stated rules and regulatio	ons as stated at the front of this pac	ket.
Signature of Guest Student	Telephone Number(s)	Today's Date
Signature of Guest Student's Parent/ Guardian	Telephone Number(s)	Today's Date
	UEST STUDENT'S HIGH NCIPAL/VICE PRINCIPA is a student at	AL
Printed Name of Stude	ent	Name of High School
High School and is eligible to attend the	e Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior Hig	gh School Homecoming Dance.
Printed Name of School Administrator, Title		
Signature of School Administrator	Today's D	ate
Circle the grade of the student listed abo	ove: Senior Junior	Sophomore

THIS PAPER MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED BY WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

GEIBEL FAX: 724-626-5700

FORM 5: CONTRACT FOR GUESTS WHO ARE HOMESCHOOLED, CYBER-SCHOOLED, OR OUT OF SCHOOL (UNDER AGE 21)

Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School 2023 Homecoming Dance

Fall Ball

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20TH GEIBEL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Ι,	will be attending the 2023	Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High
Printed Name of Student		S
School Homecoming Dance with	rinted Name of Geibel Student	I agree to obey all rules and
Pi	rinted Name of Geibel Student	_ 5
regulations as stated at the front of thi	is packet.	
Signature of Guest Student	Telephone Number(s)	Date
Signature of Guest Student's Parent/Guardian (if under age 18)	Telephone Number(s)	Date
☐ As required, I have included a copy years of age.	of my Photo ID (example: Driver	's License) proving that I am under 21
FOR THE PARENT	Γ/GUARDIAN OF THE (GEIBEL STUDENT
I acknowledge that my son's/dau	ighter's guest to the 2023 Ge	ibel Catholic Homecoming
Dance is (check one):	0 0	O
□ homeschooled		
□ cyber-schooled		
under the ag	çe of 21	
Printed Name of Parent/Guardian	Today's	s Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian		

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GEIBEL FAX: 724-626-5700



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