

# CRUSADER CHAPLAIN CHATTER

WEEK OF FEB. 5 - 9, 2024

WE PAUSE TO HONOUR THE LAND  
ON WHICH WE LIVE, WORK AND LEARN.

THIS LAND IS SACRED:  
IT IS THE LAND OF MANY FIRST NATIONS  
AND THE METIS;  
FROM THE LANDS OF THE ANISHINABE  
TO THE ATTAWANDARON,  
THE HAUDENOSAUNEE AND THE METIS,  
WHO LIVED, WORKED AND LEARNED  
ON THIS LAND  
AND KEPT A PEACEFUL BALANCE  
WITH THE LAND  
AND ITS CREATURES AND INHABITANTS  
AND CONTINUE TO DO SO.

AS WE BEGIN OUR WEEK,  
LET US HONOUR THIS LAND, ITS RICH HISTORY,  
THE MANY FIRST NATIONS AND THE METIS  
AND COMMIT TO CONTINUE LEARNING  
HOW TO KEEP A PEACEFUL BALANCE  
WITH THIS LAND AND WITH ALL THOSE  
WHO CALL THIS LAND HOME.

WE ARE ONLY AS HEALTHY  
AS THIS LAND IS HEALTHY.

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## IMPORTANT DATES

FEBRUARY IS BLACK HISTORY MONTH  
FEB. 5: SEMESTER 2 BEGINS  
FEB. 8: TEAM PHOTO DAY / SPIRIT DAY  
FEB. 9: LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION  
FEB. 13: SHROVE TUESDAY/MARDI GRAS  
FEB. 14: ASH WEDNESDAY--LENT BEGINS!  
( & VALENTINE'S DAY)  
FEB. 16: PD DAY  
FEB. 19: FAMILY DAY HOLIDAY  
FEB. 12-MAR. 1: GRAD PHOTOS  
FEB. 28: PINK SHIRT DAY  
FEB. 29: CIVVIES DAY  
MAR. 11-15: MARCH BREAK  
MAR. 21: PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS  
MAR. 27: HOLY WEEK PRAYER SERVICES  
MAR. 29: GOOD FRIDAY  
MAR. 31: EASTER SUNDAY  
APR. 1: EASTER MONDAY  
APR. 8: PD DAY



## DAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

We argued all day about what to call a medieval soldier.

But it was getting late so we called it a knight.



## Quote for the week

*"For every minute you are angry, you lose sixty seconds of happiness."*

*-Ralph Waldo Emerson*



For More Information

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# CHICAGO WOMAN, 104, SKYDIVES FROM PLANE, AIMING TO BREAK RECORD FOR WORLD'S OLDEST SKYDIVER

A 104-year-old Chicago woman is hoping to be certified as the oldest person to ever skydive after leaving her walker on the ground and making a tandem jump in northern Illinois. "Age is just a number," Dorothy Hoffner told a cheering crowd moments after touching the ground Sunday at Skydive Chicago in Ottawa, about 85 miles (140 kilometers) southwest of Chicago, the Chicago Tribune reported.

The Guinness World Record for oldest skydiver was set in May 2022 by 103-year-old Linnéa Ingegärd Larsson from Sweden. But Skydive Chicago is working to have Guinness World Records certify Hoffner's jump as a record, WLS-TV reported. Hoffner first skydived when she was 100. On Sunday, she left her walker behind just short of the plane — a Skyvan — and was helped up the steps to join the others waiting inside to skydive.

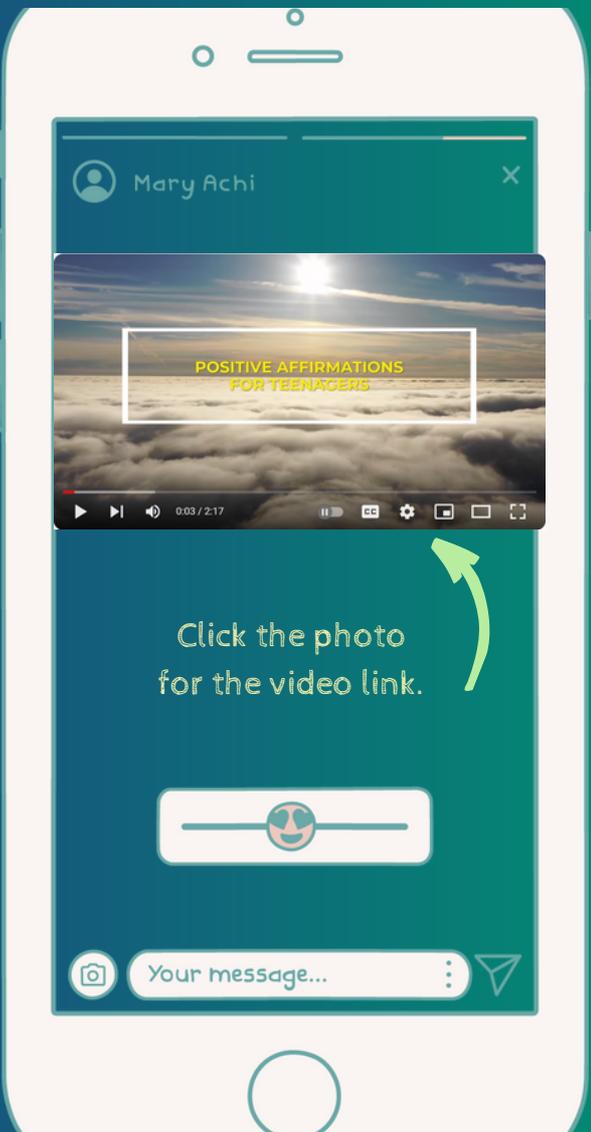
"Let's go, let's go, Geronimo!" Hoffner said after she was finally seated.

When she first skydived, she said she had to be pushed out of the aircraft. But on Sunday, tethered to a U.S. Parachute Association-certified instructor, Hoffner insisted on leading the jump from 13,500 feet (4,100 meters). She looked calm and confident when the plane was aloft and its aft door opened to reveal tan crop fields far below shortly before she shuffled toward the edge and leaped into the air. She tumbled out of the plane, head first, completing a perfect forward roll in the sky, before flying stable in freefall with her belly facing the ground.



If you need support, please remember we are here for you:

Mr. McDougall (Principal)  
Ms. Davison (VP)  
Mr. Laurin (VP)  
Ms. Rerecich (Chaplain)  
Devin Misener (CYC)  
Bailey Jones (SW)  
Guidance Counselors  
and your teachers



## PRAYER



Loving God,  
Help us grow in your wisdom  
that we may find  
holy meaning and purpose  
in our lives.  
Give us the ability to discern  
what is right and good  
so that we may be people  
who notice when and where  
others are struggling.  
Then give us the courage and confidence  
to respond to those needs,  
helping others and building your kingdom  
of peace right where we are  
by working for justice.

Our Lady of the Assumption,  
pray for us!



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Teachers please dismiss the members of the senior boys hockey team at 1:30 today for their game versus Corpus Christi

Crochet Club is back! We are meeting in a new room – 109 on 3rd lunch! We are working on our Easter Bunny project so if you want to join, now is the time! New members are more than welcome to join us!

The Breakfast Club is looking for student volunteers. If you are looking for volunteer hours and can commit to one hour a week, for the entirety of second semester, then please go see Devin Misener, CYC... in her office over the next couple days to get started. DEADLINE FOR SIGN UP IS THURSDAY.

This is an announcement regarding Assumptions only Spring production: Auditions for Romeo and Juliet take place tomorrow (February 6th) and Wednesday (February 7th) after school in the Drama room. TODAY IS THE LAST DAY to sign up for an audition, after 2:30pm today, the list will be taken down. Please see Ms. Chirichella (Ms. Kitty-kella) in room 204 if you have any questions!

Ms. R. is looking for a group of talented actors to do something for Ash Wednesday which is next week—the script isn't difficult or long either! If you are interested in this opportunity, please see Ms. R. and sign up on the list outside her office door.

Attention Assumption High School! 📣 On February 6th, join us in the front lobby for an exciting kick-off to Black History Month. The Black Student Association will be there to share all the incredible events lined up for February, including a Movie screening, Art SLam, Cooking classes, mental health workshops, and a cultural celebration. Want to get involved? Visit the front lobby during your lunch hour for more info, sign up, and snag some awesome free swag! Let's make this Black History Month unforgettable!

Hey Book Clubbers – we have our first meeting of this new semester this week on Wed. February, Feb. 7th. We will finish Little Women and start our new novel - what a great way to start semester two!!! Happy reading Book Clubbers!

Thursday, February 8th, is team photo day for all fall and winter sports team members. Current athletes are reminded to bring in their jerseys for their photo. Fall sports athletes will be provided with their jersey when they show up for pictures. Go blue go!!

Join Assumption and the World for a Lunar New Year celebration on February 9th during your Lunches! There will be various activities and traditions you can immerse yourself in!

**Check the Phys. Ed. bulletin board for your team updates and tryout information!**

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## MONDAY

Student Council meets in rm 206

DECA meets in rm 210.

Best Buddies --please check the google classroom!

Chess Club in rm 304

Model UN in rm 306

## TUESDAY

Rosary Group in the Chapel per. 2

Peer Tutoring on lunches

Crochet Club in rm 109 on 3rd lunch

Concert Band in the music room

SR. Reach, rm 224

## Wednesday

Wellness Wednesday in the Piazza over lunches

Math Madness: before school (rm 302); after school (rm 304).

Student Athletic Council in rm 118

“Assumption Reads” Book Club, in rm 222 -meets Feb. 7th

Chaplaincy Club, - Check the google classroom.

Debate Club, rm 206

Black Student Association - rm 107

Robotics - rm 223

Intermediate Reach, rm 224

## THURSDAY

Peer Tutoring on lunches

Art Club in rm 108!

Dungeons and Dragons - rm 209B

Assumption & the World, rm 107

Spirit Day @ Assumption -wear blue and SWAG

## Friday

Rock Band in the music room

Sr. Reach, rm 224



## NURTURING OUR FAITH

CLICK THE ITEM AND IT WILL TAKE YOU TO THE SITE.

