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DOUGHERTY STUDENT NAMED AM-POL EAGLE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR



Joseph Kroczyński

CDHS Senior Joseph Kroczyński has been named one of the "Am-Pol Eagle" Citizens of the Year for 1978, in the category Youth.

Joe was nominated for this honor by the Assumption Parish Youth Program, because of his involvement in his parish and its youth activities.

Here at Cardinal Dougherty, where Joe has been a student for 3 years, he has consistently been active in all phases of school life. He has been a member each year of the Library Staff, and is currently serving as President of the Student Volunteer Librarians. Father James Burson, cjm, librarian, recently said of Joe: "He's a perfect gentleman who's already ready to offer service and is a vital force behind our major library projects." In addition to his library activities, Joe is an active sportsman at Cardinal Dougherty.

Father William Rowland, cjm, principal, upon learning of Joe's selection by the "Am-Pol Eagle" said: "This is an honor not only for Joe, but for his family, his parish, and his school. We are pleased that he is one of our students, and congratulate him. It is also a pleasure to congratulate Joe's pastor, Msgr. Henry Kawalec, for having such a fine young man in his parish."

Among the other Citizens of the Year is Rev.

Stanley Dawidziak, pastor of St. Florian Church. Father "Stan" has been a good friend of the Eudist Fathers and Brothers for many years, and we join his many friends in congratulating him for this honor. He represents the "Am-Pol Eagle" category of Heritage, and no finer selection could have been made. Father's pride in his Polish heritage is known and appreciated by his many friends and associates.

Both Joe and Father "Stan" will receive formal certificates from the "Am-Pol Eagle" during a reception honoring the 20 Citizens of the Year for 1978.

To both our student, Joe, and our friend, Father "Stan", we say sincere congratulations; all of us at Cardinal Dougherty share in the happiness this honor brings you.

INCOMING FRESHMEN TO TAKE PLACEMENT-SCHOLARSHIP TEST

All incoming Freshmen, who will begin the 1979-80 school year at Cardinal Dougherty, will be given placement tests on Saturday, February 10, at 8:30 a.m.

These placement tests consist of three sections: I.Q., Stanford Paragraph Meaning (English) and Iowa Algebra Aptitude.


The purpose of these tests is to aid curriculum planning for each student.

Academic scholarships are awarded, based on the results of the placement tests. The total amounts awarded to the incoming Freshmen are equally divided to cover the 4 years of the student's career at Cardinal Dougherty. These scholarships have been provided for and are maintained by the Parents' Guild.

SOPHOMORES PARTICIPATE IN RETREAT JR.-SR. RETREAT BEING PLANNED

The Sophomores recently participated in a retreat, held January 24-25, at the Diocesan Renewal Center. A good representation of Sophomores attended the overnight retreat, which provided them with the opportunity for sharing, prayer, and recreation.

The Juniors and Seniors are currently planning an overnight retreat for February 7-8. This retreat is being designed to give students the opportunity for growth and reflection on Christian values and the application of these values in their own lives.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
		<p>NOTE: Basketball games begin at 6:30 p.m. with J.V. Games. Bowling at 4:00 p.m. at Amherst Lanes.</p>		1
<p>4</p> <p>February 4 - 11 Catholic School Week 12:10 Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Floor Hockey</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Alcoholism Program For All Students</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Region I Meeting at All Saints 7 p.m. Wrestling - Canisius at Dougherty</p>	<p>8</p> <p>N.E. fr Jr.- Bo 7:1 C H</p>
<p>11</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Special Bingo w/regular Sat. CDHS Schedule 7-9 p.m. Library Staff Gym Night</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Basketball at Mindszenty</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Floor Hockey</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Valentine's Day 7 p.m. Wrestling at St. Francis</p>	15
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Patriot's Day No School Floor Hockey</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>5:15 p.m. Hockey - Niagara Cath. at Hyde Park 6:45 p.m. 3 hr. Driver Ed. 7 p.m. Wrestling DeSales at Dougherty</p>	22
<p>25</p> <p>7-9 p.m. Library Staff Gym Night</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Ash Wednesday School Mass Faculty Meeting</p>	

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HURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	2	3 CDHS Speech Tournament 9 a.m. WNY Invitational Track at U.B. Bubble 12 - Wrestling at DeSales 8 p.m. Bingo
Chess - Bennett at Dougherty	Basketball - St. Mary's-Deaf at Dougherty	
	9	10
J.D.T.'s for Frosh & Soph. Sr. Retreat Swimming - Position Week 5 p.m. Hockey - O'Hara at Holiday	7:30 p.m. 1st Annual St. John Neumann Award Dinner - Statler Hotel Basketball - O'Hara at Dougherty	8:30 a.m. Placement Test for Incoming Freshmen Speech Tournament in Rochester 6 p.m. Chicken Dinner before Bingo 8 p.m. Bingo
	16	17
Chess - Timon at Dougherty 7:15 p.m. Hockey Neumann at Holiday	Basketball - Walsh at Dougherty	11 a.m. Eisenhower College - Track Invitational 8 p.m. Bingo
	23	24
Chess - Kensington at Dougherty		10 a.m. - All Catholic Wrestling Tournament at Koessler Center, Canisius College 8 p.m. Bingo

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**ASH WEDNESDAY TO BEGIN
LENTEN OBSERVANCES AT C.D.H.S.**

Ash Wednesday, February 28, marks the beginning of the season of Lent.

Cardinal Dougherty students will participate in an Ash Wednesday Mass, being planned by the Freshmen, and will receive ashes, to begin the traditional time of preparation for Easter.

Throughout Lent, Mass will be offered during the school day, for those students who wish to take advantage of this opportunity.

**CARDINAL DOUGHERTY
TO SPONSOR SPEECH TOURNAMENT**

Cardinal Dougherty, the only diocesan high school which is a member of the Catholic Forensic League, will sponsor a speech tournament on Saturday, February 3. The contest will consist of 4 regular rounds of competition in Original Oratory, Oral Interpretation, Declamation, Extemporaneous Speaking, and Dramatic Interpretation. Trophies will be awarded.

Over a dozen schools from the Buffalo area and other parts of New York have been invited to participate.

This speech tournament renews a long tradition which brought much honor to Cardinal Dougherty, under the direction of Father Patrick Ruddle, cjm.

Father Ronald Bagley, cjm is currently moderatory of the Forensic Club.

**TRANSPORTATION LAW AMENDED
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS BENEFIT**

Governor Carey signed two amendments to the Transportation Law, last August, which benefit parents of students in Catholic schools.

Of special interest to parents is the elimination of the term "nearest available" in regard to transportation to school. Now, students opting for attendance in Catholic schools will be furnished transportation by public school boards, so long as the parents reside within 15 miles of the school the student attends.

Parents are reminded that the April 1 deadline for requests for transportation is still a part of the law. Many of the transportation problems result from parents not adhering to this deadline for request for transportation for their son.

**ALCOHOLISM SYMPOSIUM TO HIGHLIGHT
"CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK"
AT C.D.H.S.**

To highlight Catholic Schools Week, February 4-11, and as a follow-up to Dougherty's participation in the Diocesan Respect Life Day for High School Students, held last October, there will be an Alcoholism Symposium held at the school on February 6.

Mr. William P. Hull of Occupational Alcoholism Programs, Buffalo AFL-CIO Community Services Activities, will speak, show films, and discuss questions with students. Mr. Hull conducted a workshop during the Respect Life Day and his program was extremely popular among students from all schools in the diocese.

The symposium is being co-sponsored by the Religious Studies Department and the Student Council.

**A FURTHER FOLLOW-UP ON
THE STUDY OF CARDINAL DOUGHERTY**

At the time of this writing (January 10), we have not received word from Bishop Head, as to his response to the Task Force findings, after studying the 14 diocesan high schools. Therefore, we do not know if, or to what extent, any changes will effect Cardinal Dougherty.

The following is information obtained by the Local Study Committee and shared with the Diocesan Task Force:

The parental support at Cardinal Dougherty is very praise-worthy. The dedication of individual parents and the parents' Guild is evident in their successful activities and strong support of the school and its programs.

Examples:

1. For the 2nd school year in a row, Cardinal Dougherty has raised the highest amount per student for local assistance.

2. Over 60% of underclassmen parents responded to a parents' survey, and large numbers attended the two Town Meetings.

3. The school has a very active and dedicated Alumni Parents' Club.

4. The school has an active, hard working Bingo Association.

5. Parental support is aided by CDHS publicity and public relations, recruitment programs, and the monthly mailing of 1,400 copies of this newsletter.

6. Parental support is aided by the school's concern for its neighborhood and the Catholic parishes in Regions 1 and 5, evidenced by -

- Hosting and attending Region meetings.
- coordinating and organizing of the 1st Annual Track & Field Meet for the parishes of Region 1.
- hosting the Erie County Sheriff's Dept. and its Drug Abuse Program for Region 1.
- sharing and hosting the Region 1 and Northwest Clergy Association's Lenten Series.

Concerning Enrollment Trends, the Local Study Committee learned that the service area of Cardinal Dougherty is listed as the most stable neighborhood composition in the City of Buffalo. This designation is from the City's official study of stages of neighborhood disintegration.

When the Local Committee studied the school's financial patterns, the following was learned:

Cardinal Dougherty has shown financial cooperation with the Diocesan Policy in regard to tuition collection. This has resulted in 99.1% tuition collection for 1976-77 and 97.5% tuition collected for 1977-78.

For the 2nd year in a row, we have ranked 1st in locally raised funds, promised and paid to the Diocese for local tuition assistance. In 1976-77, \$122.23 per student was paid to the Diocese. This figure does not reflect the 2nd annual Tuition Drive which collected \$20,290 which was immediately paid to the Diocese in the form of individual receipts. In 1977-78, \$150.52 per student was raised, for a total of \$47,716.00.

Cardinal Dougherty has always paid the Diocese, in full, its commitments for local assistance.

The Local Study Committee studied the mission of the Catholic high school. The committee stated its belief that the mission of the Catholic high school is clearly stated in the pastoral document of the Bishops entitled "To teach as Jesus Did." In the setting of the Catholic high school, the message is to be presented in such a way that they can make a mature decision on the place of Christianity in their lives. The Educational Apostolate must be continued.

**DOUGHERTY
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FALL SPORTS

Dougherty's Inter-Scholastic Sports Program

FALL Football, Cross-Country, Golf

WINTER Basketball, Ice Hockey, Bowling, Wrestling

SPRING Baseball, Track and Field, Tennis

Meet Card Fall Coaches

FOOTBALL J. "Mike" Niland
Mike Mooney, Augie Santa Maria, Asst. Coaches

CROSS-COUNTRY Bob Pacholski
Paul Majchrowicz, Asst. Coach

GOLF Jim Menna

1974 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sat., September 21	.....	CANISIUS	Rotary Field	2 P.M.
Sat., September 28	.....	O'HARA	Dougherty Field	2 P.M.
Sat., October 5	.....	ST. JOE'S	St. Joe's Field	2 P.M.
Sun., October 13	.....	TURNER	Dougherty Field	2 P.M.
Sat., October 19	....	ST. MARY'S (L)	St. Mary's Field	2 P.M.
Sun., October 27	.....	TIMON	Dougherty Field	2 P.M.
Sat., November 2	.....	DUFFY	Dougherty Field	2 P.M.
Sun., November 10	.....	FALLON	Dougherty Field	2 P.M.
Sat., November 16	....	NEUMANN	Neumann Field	2 P.M.

1974 CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

Sept. 21	.....	HILTON INVT.	Hilton, N. Y.	10:30 A.M.
Sept. 24	.....	NICHOLS	Delaware Lake	4:00 P.M.
Sept. 28	.....	MCQUAID INVT.	Rochester, N. Y.	10:30 A.M.
Oct. 2	....	TIMON & NEUMANN	Delaware Lake	3:30 P.M.
Oct. 7	....	FALLON & DUFFY	Reservoir Park	4:00 P.M.
Oct. 12	.....	*MANHATTAN COLLEGE INVT.		11:00 A.M.
Oct. 15	....	ST. JOE'S & TURNER	Delaware Lake	3:00 P.M.
Oct. 19	....	MARIST COLL. INVT.	Poughkeepsie	11:00 A.M.
Oct. 22	..	CANISIUS & O'HARA	Delaware Lake	3:30 P.M.
Oct. 29	.....	ALL-CATHOLIC	Delaware Lake	4:15 P.M.

*Van Cortland Park, New York City

ALL FROSH MEETS RUN 10 MINUTES BEFORE VARSITY MEETS