Note from Mrs. Buhler

Summer is here for our students and faculty! It was a year filled with challenges yet, together, as a team, we started school on time, experienced activities & sports and prayed together. I believe our students and faculty persevered through the struggles and became even stronger. I admire and honor their determination as they worked through the many changes they experienced during the 2020-2021 school year.

Recently, we shared the positive results of our planning study and that we are in the early planning stages of a stewardship campaign to address infrastructure repairs and upgrades, provide for educational enhancements and to help solidify funding for tuition assistance. We are pleased to announce the theme of our campaign will be Honoring our Tradition – Investing in our Future A Stewardship Campaign for Hayden Catholic High School.

Honoring our Tradition – Investing in our Future is a fitting theme for our community and this campaign. We want to honor Hayden’s long tradition of excellence –

excellence in faith, academics, community, and service – while we ensure Hayden continues to thrive for future generations. In the coming weeks, you will learn much more about the campaign and the different ways you can be involved and support our efforts. In the meantime, please pray for our school leadership and campaign volunteers who will be working diligently to ensure a successful outcome.

– Shelly Buhler, President

CAMPAIGN PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you for your many gifts, especially for our school and our families. Guide us with your Holy Spirit as we work as one faith community on the Honoring our Tradition – Investing in our Future stewardship campaign. As we treasure our history, may we also come together to fulfill your plan for our future. May this campaign strengthen us in our mission to make disciples of your Son and may all of our efforts emulate the glory of your love. We pray in Jesus’ name, Amen.

Written by Fr. Carter Zielinski
Update: Blessed Mary’s Grotto

Last June, in the midst of the global pandemic, a group of people from Hayden Catholic High School thought, in such a time as this, we should ask for Mary’s intercession. They walked the Hayden campus to discover a location for a Marian Grotto. Mary has been a special part of Hayden for years, as many people in the community have a special devotion to her. Our design is complete and our fundraising is wrapping up. We will communicate very soon when the blessing and construction will begin.

If you would like to make a donation, visit https://bit.ly/3uRmNBv, or contact Shelly Buhler at (785) 272-5210 or buhlers@haydencatholic.net.

NEWS & NOTES

2021 Blue & Gold Gala Update. Thank you to all who made the 2021 Blue & Gold Gala a success. We are happy to report we have raised more than $190,000 in support of Hayden Catholic High School. Your generosity and support of the students, faculty and staff of Hayden is greatly appreciated. Mark your calendar for the 45th Annual Gala on April 23, 2022.

Hayden Fund Annual Appeal Update. Thank you to all who have already contributed to this year’s Hayden Fund Annual Appeal. Our goal is $100,000 and we need your help to hit the goal by zapping the gap! Hayden’s fiscal year ends June 30, 2021 so you still have time to make a donation https://haydencatholic.org/donate/. The Hayden Fund supports the mission of Hayden Catholic High School.

Hayden Fund A Need Update. Help Hayden reach $80,000! We are currently only $45,000 away from our Goal. Donate now at https://haydencatholic.epinme.org/2021ECLS or go to the Hayden website and click Support. This year’s Fund A Need will help support Tuition Assistance and Enhanced Community & Learning Spaces like this rendering of updates to the school foyer.

Save the Dates:
- August 14: Hayden Blue & Gold Golf Tournament
- August 28: Hayden Rock the Lot - Community Event
- September 24: Hayden Homecoming