

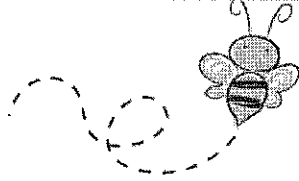


# Paw Prints 6-13 January 2017



## A Note from Ms. B

Welcome back, Tigers! It was really difficult getting up with the alarm this week and even our dogs were out of practice but, within a few moments we were right back to our normal routine. A new year has started and what a great opportunity to make some renewed commitments to ourselves, each other, and God. It might also be the perfect time to improve those study habits.



When we left for break, we said "Goodbye" to Mrs. Hayes who is staying home to take care of her son, Sawyer. We wish her well and will continue to pray for her and her family. The third graders are very friendly in welcoming Mrs. Becky Kremer to our staff. Mrs. Kremer is an Our Lady of Lourdes alumna and previously taught at St. Teresa of Avila. We are so glad to have a former Tiger back. We had our first snow day and it was the most unexpected treat this week.

**Remember, we follow Oak Hills in case of poor weather.** Be sure to check your emails and phone messages when there is the threat of inclement weather. Next week is Trimester Two midterm and I am hoping everyone has a positive report. Finally, the last week of the month is Catholic School's Week and we are gearing up for the various activities and fun facts to be learned. I hope you are all well rested and ready for a great 2017!

## From the court:

The Lourdes' boys basketball tournament is this weekend. Tomorrow is a "white out". Come on out and support our Tigers. It would be nice to see the stands filled with crowds of white.

## From the Faculty and Staff:

In your Friday folders this week you will find a flyer about a trivia night fundraiser. As many of you know, **Mrs. Hayes'** son was born several months premature last year. Thankfully, her beautiful son survived, but the family is facing extensive medical bills. The faculty and staff is organizing this fundraiser to help defray some of those costs. We hope many of you will be able to attend this fun evening!

## From the DRE's Office:

### RECOGNITION WEEKEND FOR ALL COACHES AND ATHLETES

Our Lady of Lourdes has a very active Athletic Club and sports program. This group of men and women organize sports teams and coach hundreds of girls and boys throughout the year. We would like to recognize all of our coaches for the gift they are to our parish and to pray for our athletes. The parish will offer a special blessing for our sports teams and their coaches at all of the Sunday Masses on January 14 and 15.



## Hitting the Books...



The midterm is January 13th. Students have plenty of time to work towards the grads they want! It's also a perfect time for students to renew their study habits and work ethic. Homework and studying are important parts of school and prepares them for the rigor of high school. Keep up the hard work, Tigers!