

The Naz Newsletter



A Weekly Update for Parents, Students, Faculty and Staff

November 26, 2023

LOOKING AHEAD

Monday, November 27: NO CLASSES | Holiday granted by Archbishop Nelson Perez

Tuesday, November 28: A Schedule

Wednesday, November 29: B Schedule, Faculty Meeting

Thursday, November 30: A Schedule

Friday, December 1: A Schedule

Saturday, December 2: SAT

Tuesday, December 5: NAPA General Meeting, 6:30 PM

Friday, December 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception, No Classes

Friday, December 8: Snowball Dance, 7 PM

From the Office of the Principal

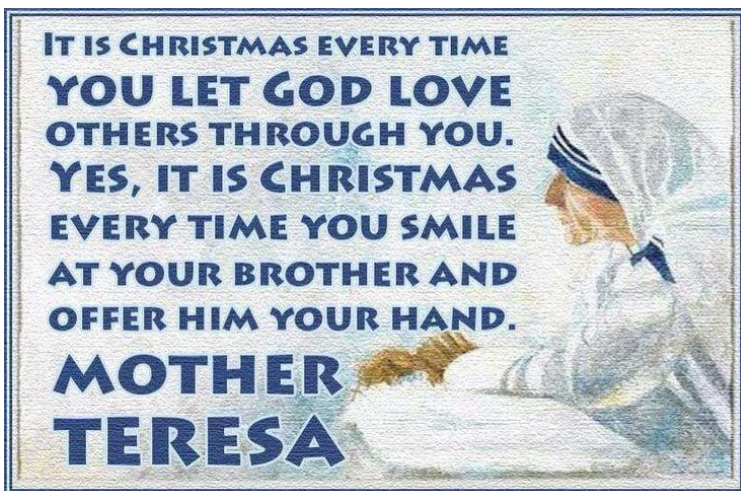
Mrs. Patricia Quinn

I hope that you had a wonderful time with your families during the Thanksgiving Break! I am very grateful for you entrusting your daughters to us.

From the Office of the President

Mrs. Denise LePera

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving spending quality time with family and friends. It is hard to believe that Advent is upon us. May we bring the feeling of Christmas into our everyday life with love and kindness.



Advancement Office

EITC/OSTC

Why pay PA Taxes when you can direct those dollars to Nazareth students! Learn how you can redirect your PA tax dollars to fund tuition assistance for deserving students through the Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program.

It's a simple process and you receive up to 90% in Tax Credits of the donated amount.

Have questions? Want to start the process? Contact Denise LePera at 215-637-7676 or at DLePera@NazarethAcademyHS.org.

NAPA ~ Mrs. Ellen Lawall P '24

Christmas Sale

NAPA is getting ready for Christmas! From wreaths and garland, to poinsettias, and wrapping paper - the NAPA Christmas Sale has everything for this upcoming holiday season! Be sure to grab this year's beautiful Nazareth ornament designed by a proud Panda grandparent with the iconic school tower on one side and the Nazareth crest on the other.

We will also be offering a 5 inch in red or white poinsettia which will be placed in the Chapel for the Christmas season. These purchases can be made in memory or honor of someone. The cost for these poinsettias will be \$12. Pickup for poinsettias, ornaments, and wreaths/garlands will be on **Saturday, December 2nd from 8:30 AM to 10 AM in the Nazareth Academy Student Dining Room.**

NAPA General Parent Meeting ~ Tuesday, December 5th at 6:30 PM

Mollye Readinger-Scott, MA, is an ICF certified coach, and experienced trainer and facilitator who has been presenting for Minding Your Mind since 2015. Mollye along with Kelly A. will speak at the December 5th NAPA General Parent Meeting on the topic of mental health.

Please join us for this compelling presentation. Please bring a friend and earn extra entries for each friend you bring for the meeting incentive raffle. We hope to see you there!

If you attend at least 6 of the 8 meetings, you will be entered into a drawing for a \$500 tuition raffle. If you are a senior parent you will receive a check for \$500 to use towards your daughter's college expenses. Attend all 8 and receive additional submissions for the raffle.

We will have light refreshments with a Christmas theme for this meeting.

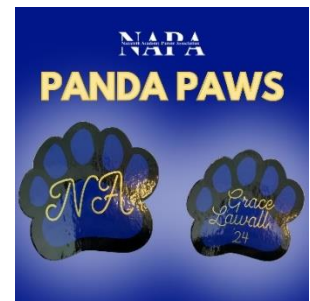
MoMA & Broadway NYC Trip

On **Wednesday March 13, 2024**, Nazareth students can join Mrs. Shaw and the Art Department for a fun filled day appreciating the Arts in New York City. The day will begin at The Museum of Modern Art, where students can view modern and contemporary art, including Wyeth Christina's World and Claude Monet's Water Lilies. Then dine together while viewing priceless artifacts from Elvis and The Beatles at the Hard Rock Café. Finally, heading to the Shoenfeld Theater to watch the brand-new Broadway musical, The Notebook. The day will begin at 7:30am boarding the tour bus at Nazareth, and end at 7:30pm in the Nazareth parking lot. Students will need a ride home at the end of the day.

\$215 includes: MoMA admission, Lunch at the Hard Rock Café, The Notebook Tickets and Transportation. Please click [here](#) for more information regarding the trip and the permission form.

Panda Paw Sale

NAPA is selling Panda Paws that will be displayed on the Student Dining Room wall for the duration of your daughter's time at Nazareth Academy. These will be attached to the wall with a velcro adhesive allowing your daughter to take the Panda Paw with her upon graduation.



[Join us in this special fundraiser to decorate the Student Dining Room with Panda Pride!](#)

Snowball Dance

Nazareth, Nazareth are you ready?! We hope to see you at the Snowball Dance for a flurry of fun and making memories with your Nazareth sisters!

RSVP by [December 1st](#). If you are bringing a guest, [please complete the guest permission form](#) and return it to the Main Office as well. We hope to see you at the Snowball Dance!

Nazareth Banners

Show your Nazareth pride by repping one of our new Nazareth Academy High School banners! Whether you use it at home, down the shore, or in any fun location... you will be representing the Nazareth community in style! Banners are \$60 each. [Click here to purchase a banner](#).

Wawa Hoagie Certificates

Treat yourself and purchase Wawa hoagie certificates good for a Wawa shorti of your choice for \$5 each. [Click here to purchase](#).

Parent Volunteers

WE NEED YOUR HELP! There are many ways to help with these events whether it be donating an item, setting up, cleaning up, making calls, chairing events, or working with the chairs on the day of the event and much more. We realize how busy life gets and that schedules are more hectic than ever so we greatly appreciate any amount of time that our volunteers can offer. Every minute counts! You will also find the Parent Volunteer requirements and [sign-up forms](#) on NAPA page of the website. Please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Holly Breece Kane P '24 at NAPA@NazarethAcademyHS.org for more information or with any questions.

From the Office of the Registrar/Academic Dean

Ms. Theresa Ennis

NAHS December Examination Schedule

Monday, December 18 (2–60-minute examinations)

8:10 AM Warning Bell

8:15 AM PRAYERS, ATTENDANCE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:30-9:30 AM Block 1 and Block 1 Classes meeting M, W, F

9:40-10:40 AM Blocks 2, 2a and Block 2b

Tuesday, December 19 (2–60-minute examinations)

8:10 AM Warning Bell 8:15 AM PRAYERS, ATTENDANCE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:30-9:30 AM Block 3 and Block 3A

9:40-10:40 AM Block 4 and Block 4 Classes meeting M, W, F

Wednesday, December 20 (3–60-minute examinations)

8:10 AM Warning Bell 8:15 AM PRAYERS, ATTENDANCE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:30-9:30 AM Block 1 Class meeting T, Th, F 9:40-10:40 AM

Block 3B 10:50-11:50 AM

Block 4 Class meeting T, Th, F

Thursday, December 21: EXAM MAKE-UP DAY

NO SCHOOL-FACULTY CLERICAL DAY

GRADES DUE BY 2:00 PM

From the Office of Student Life

Mrs. Theresa Hartey, Assistant Principal

The Juniors & Seniors braved the rain during the annual Powder Puff game this past Tuesday, November 21st. The Seniors emerged as this year's winners!

There will be a Raising Cane's dine out on November 29th from 4pm-8pm at 3617 Horizon Blvd in Feasterville.

We are holding our first board night on December 7th! It's \$10 to play board games, \$20 to paint, or \$25 for both! All paint order forms are due on November 30th. Bring your own charcuterie board and enjoy some Christmas Karaoke!

The last day to purchase tickets for our Flyers game is December 20th. Purchase tickets using [this link!](#)

The last day to purchase tickets for our Sixers game is December 28th. Purchase tickets through [this link.](#)

We are holding an Eagles ticket raffle! Chances are for 2 tickets in section 111 row 8 for the game on December 31st when they play the Arizona Cardinals. Tickets are \$20 for one chance and \$50 for three chances. Come to room 213 to purchase your chances. The winner will be selected on December 18th.

From the Office of Campus Ministry

Mrs. Theresa Stanton, Director

The Legacy of Life Foundation (located in Yardley) is in need of some Heavenly Helpers to assist with their Jingle Bell Rock event on December 8th. This event is a special way for families to celebrate the Christmas season with a fun-filled day of activities. Volunteers will assist in decorating the event space the day before, on December 7th. There are a variety of timeslots to choose from, so please select a time that works best for you! If you or your family would be interested in volunteering your time & spreading some Christmas cheer, you may sign up [here](#).



From the Office of College Counseling

Mrs. Alyssa Scheerbaum '12, Director

We hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving!

GEARS Day at the University of Pennsylvania

SWE is a national non-profit organization that aims to advocate and increase opportunities for women and gender minorities in engineering and technology fields. At the SWE chapter at Penn, they aim to do so by inviting high school aged students to their annual GEARS Day.

A purple poster for GEARS Day 2024. At the top left is the University of Pennsylvania logo and the text 'UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS PRESENTS'. The main title is 'GEARS DAY 2024' in large white letters, with 'SATURDAY, JANUARY 27TH, 2024 AT UPENN' below it. A large white gear graphic is on the right side. A light purple box contains the heading 'WHAT IS GEARS DAY?' and a bulleted list of activities. Below that is a QR code, a 'APPLY BY DEC 18TH, 2023' deadline, and a URL 'https://tinyurl.com/GEARS2024'. At the bottom, a white box provides contact information: 'For more information, please contact pennswe.gears@gmail.com'.

On Saturday, January 27th, 2024, they will be hosting GEARS Day. It is a day-long, no-cost camp intended to educate high school students about engineering professions. The event is held on Penn's campus. Attendees will participate in hands-on workshops focusing on various engineering disciplines including bioengineering, chemical engineering, electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, and computer science. Students will also get a chance to hear from and speak with engineering professors and college students. They hope that this day will inspire attendees and show them that women and gender minorities are able to enter such fields with vast opportunities available to them.

They hope that students from Nazareth can attend GEARS Day this coming year and experience all of the amazing things engineering has to offer. They are releasing applications and will accommodate as many applicants as space and resources allow for GEARS Day. All students are welcome to [apply](#). The application will close on December 18th. They will get back to each applicant with final decisions in early January.

From the Office of the Athletics

Mrs. Brigid Kelley '98, Director

As a reminder, tomorrow, November 27th is the last day to make a purchase in our Winter Sports shops. Please check out the stores and support our Pandas. All are welcome to shop.

- [Basketball](#)
- [Swimming and Diving](#)
- [Indoor Track and Field](#)