



## Message from the Development Office

Thank you to those who have committed to be class representatives for the upcoming reunion in the fall. However, the following anniversary classes still need agents: 1954, 1989, 2004, and 2014. Your reunion will be more successful and enjoyable with class representative support.

We appreciate your help!

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## Recent Events



### From the Classroom

The AP Seminar course, taught by Mrs. Lillian Rao, is the first of a two part Capstone program offered by College Board, which helps students develop critical thinking, research, and communication skills. Students analyze complex information and deliver clear, persuasive presentations, which have started this week. Sophomores and Juniors have spent the last few weeks leading up to the AP exam for this course, sharing their oral presentations. In Task 1, groups complete a research project, each member offering a different lens perspective. Topics like Discrimination of the Romani people in Europe were explored, including its historical

and current challenges while creating strategies for better representation in their communities and within political realm.

## Sports



Varsity Softball defeated Cardinal Spellman 14-1. The team is 6-1 for the season.

JV Softball had their first loss to Preston 12-11. The following day they defeated Cardinal Spellman 19-0. The team is 5-1 for the season.

Varsity Lacrosse tied Moore Catholic yesterday 8-8. They are 2-2-1 for the season. JV Lacrosse defeated Moore Catholic yesterday 10-0. They are 2-2 for the season.

## Sophomore Retreat

On April 16th, the Sophomore class took a pilgrimage to the St. Frances Cabrini Shrine in Upper Manhattan. The students had the opportunity to learn more about the incredible life of Mother Cabrini, the patron saint of immigrants. They attended a talk by the Shrines' director on the life and work of Mother Cabrini and toured several exhibits containing second class relics, defined as anything directly related to or used by the saint during his or her life. Students also had the opportunity to pray in the presence of the first class relics, which are usually blood or bone of a saint. interred under the altar during mass. The entire student body celebrated International Women's Day on March 8th when they viewed the movie "Cabrini." This made the retreat even more meaningful for the Sophomores.



## College Mini Fairs

Students had the opportunity to explore their academic futures during three mini college fairs taking place at Fontbonne this spring. College admissions representatives met with students to answer their questions and provide information on a variety of topics.



*Representatives from Hofstra University, Loyola University Maryland, Providence College, Quinnipiac University, the SUNY Welcome Center, University of Tampa, Fairfield University, St. Francis College, St. John's University, Villanova University, University of Alabama, Lynn University, Adelphi University, Wagner College, St. Joseph's University NY, Catholic University, University of Scranton, and Iona University*

## Trip to Brooklyn Cyclones

The seniors enjoyed their class trip to Maimonides Park in Coney Island. They brought their trademark enthusiasm to cheer on the Brooklyn Cyclones. Their visit wouldn't have been complete without a stop at Nathan's for lunch before heading to the ballpark.



## Save the Date

April 25th

**Student Art Show**  
3PM –7PM  
Fontbonne Foyer  
*Free Admission*

April 26th

Chamber Choir Spring Concert  
6:30PM  
Fontbonne Gym  
*Free Admission*

May 3rd to May 5th

Spring Musical: *Disney's Freaky Friday*  
Fontbonne Gym

Friday, May 3rd at 7:30PM  
Saturday, May 4th at 2:00PM  
Saturday, May 4th at 7:30PM  
Sunday, May 5th at 2:00PM

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