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Equal Time

What are the advantages of a parish youth group?

SACRED HEART YOUTH GROUP

EDDIE BOLAND
Aquinas
Junior



"I think religious activities, community projects and social events are a lot more fun when you do them with your peers. You get a lot accomplished and have a great time doing it. Kids can best support their youth groups by not just attending the social activities but also the religious and community events. They should also talk about their group to their friends and encourage them to join."

STEVE WINTER
Aquinas
Sophomore



"It gives us a chance to talk — not just about religion, but the world problems that affect us like drugs, sex. We can learn new things plus give our own opinions. It enables us to meet new people and to get to know better those we already know. Kids can help their groups by making sure everyone is involved; have a good time but also help others out; and tell other people about the group and get others interested in the group."

LOU DIFABIO
Aquinas
Junior



"Youth groups enable the youth to get together and accept the Church as a major part of their life, and at the same time gain the acceptance of their peers. They also enable adults and kids to work for a common cause."

PETE DONNER
Aquinas
Sophomore



"It is important because it gives everyone a chance to get together with their friends, do things for the parish and also the community service projects. Kids can best support their youth groups by getting other people involved."

DAN JONES
Aquinas
Freshman



"It gives the young adults a place to go and things to do. It helps kids if they've got problems, because there's always someone to talk to. Kids can support their youth groups by attending the activities and the meetings. Youth groups are important in parish life."

CARRIE SAXE
Nazareth
Junior



"I think it enables the youth to take part in the parish and to meet new people. What I have gotten out of it is meeting new people and seeing how a parish works. Also I have come to understand my religion more. I think youth groups keep the kids interested in their religion."

MOIRA YOUNG
Nazareth
Freshman



"It helps people to get involved. It helps people to get to know each other and do a lot of new things. Kids can help their parish groups by talking about them among friends and getting involved in their groups the best they can. I got to know everyone better and got to do a lot of things."

KATHY LUM
Cardinal Mooney
Junior



"I think it's a real advantage. We do a lot for the parish. Besides that we have many events like cabin party and trips. We all can get together and talk and we make a lot of new friends. Our group has different speakers and demonstrations. Through the youth group you become more involved in the parish."

Fashion Trendsetters

According to an unofficial poll taken by the Mercy student newspaper The Quill, James Wegman, science teacher, has been elected the Best Dressed Man at Mercy High. Social studies teachers Benny Marcello, noted for his sweeping Italian-styled suits, and Dick Myers with his trendsetting "chalk-on-the-suit," both tied for second place.



Class ID Wanted

St. Agnes freshman class officers are: Tamara Morano, St. Jerome's, co-president; Jeannine Del Vecchio, St. Helen's, treasurer; Rita Leuzzi, St. Theodore's, co-president; Christine Gundrum, Our Lady of Good Counsel, secretary. Presently they are seeking a symbol of identification for their class.

Father Vincent Panepinto was awarded honorable mention for his lack of "ring around the collar." Bill Coughlin, English teacher and in a category of his own, rated high for the best winterwear with his famous overcoat, mile-long scarf, and tweed driving cap.

Kodak and School Linkup Gives Students On-the-Spot Job Study

During February the Nazareth Academy Future Business Leaders Association (FBFA) will tour the Eastman Kodak Office facilities. Twenty girls will participate in the "Correspondence and Reprographics at Work" career visit program, sponsored by the School Services Program at Kodak. The purpose of the tour is to show students how Kodak's secretarial, graphics and reproduction services operate and to expose them to the technology of word processing.

Engineering and Scientific Talent program (DUEST), a special career exploration project sponsored by Kodak.

After individual interviews, some students are given summer jobs at Kodak divisions. Last summer, senior Yvonne Whitfield held a Kodak job at the Elmgrove plant. She was a quality control inspector for camera parts and found the job both interesting and rewarding.

The students whose interest lies in science and math and who have done well in these subjects are eligible to attend free seminars on chemical engineering, computer science, chemistry, and technical occupation. They tour Kodak facilities, talk with engineers, chemists and physicists, and receive a realistic picture of what it is like to work in a highly specialized field.

The experience of working, along with the seminar program, has sparked students' interest in further math and science study and broadened their awareness of career options in science and engineering.

The students are business majors and are familiarized with the theories and applications of what they will see. They will be met at the Kodak office on State Street by a member of the Central Correspondence and Reprographic Department who will be their tour guide.

The tour is just a part of an overall comprehensive program which FBFA has designed for students whose interest lies not just in the business areas, but in securing leadership in those areas. Ms. Joyce Ezrow, moderator, has arranged for the girls a variety of experiences in business leadership during the year. These will culminate in the group's attending the FBFA convention to be held in April.

School Ministry Open For Students

Within the Mercy community, there is a small group of interested students who make up the Campus Ministry Board moderated by Sister Anne Curtis. The purpose of the board is to serve the Mercy community.

Standing committees will cover such topics as liturgy and social justice. Four members of each class will be representatives on the board.

The students will aim to develop and promote a spirit of Christian community through coordinating many

A student can become involved through application for membership. The ministry will meet monthly to discuss, organize, and carry out selected activities.

The Irish Gear Up For St. Patrick's

The "Colleen of the Shamrocks" will be a special feature in this year's St. Patrick's Day Parade on Saturday, March 14. She will be chosen from the participating contestants at the Shamrock Ball, Feb. 21, at Sacred Heart School Hall. The winner will represent the Irish community during the St. Patrick's week festivities as well as other community events sponsored by the Irish throughout the year.

tending Our Lady of Mercy, Bishop Kearney, Charlotte, Greece Arcadia, Greece Athena, Nazareth Academy, Cardinal Mooney. The winner will receive a \$500 scholarship and runners-up will be awarded savings bonds.

The St. Patrick's Day celebrations, sponsored by the United Irish Societies and the St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee, will be kicked off at the Shamrock Ball at 9 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 21, at the Sacred Heart School Hall. All are invited.

Prior to the St. Patrick's Day Parade, Bishop Matthew H. Clark will celebrate Mass

in honor of St. Patrick at 9:30 a.m., at Old St. Mary's Church, downtown.

All parishes in the diocese have been invited to participate in the parade. Those so far who will be entering special theme floats or marching units are: St. Lawrence, Our Mother of Sorrows, St. John of Rochester in Fairport, St. Catherine's in Mendon, St. Charles Borromeo, St. Alphonsus in Auburn, Good Shepherd in Henrietta, and St. Margaret Mary's. The Bishop Kearney Marching Kings and the Aquinas Marching Band will also be in the line of march.

The linkup with industry, however, hasn't been all business-oriented. The science students had an opportunity to get a head start on a science-related career recently when Chuck Wilson from Eastman Kodak invited them to participate in the Discovering Undeveloped

A March 7 Concert

Six St. Agnes students recently participated in the Monroe County All-County Senior High Chorus concert at Penfield High School. On Saturday, March 7, a similar event for junior high students will be held at Eastridge High School. Freshmen Terri Dettman, Kim Haines, Christine Iacovangelo, and Gerri Smith will participate.

The Colleen will be chosen from 10 young ladies representing their respective high schools. Entries have been received from girls at-

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