

MATERNITY B.V.M. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER WINTER 2017

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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION INDUCTS ITS PREMIER HALL OF HONOR CLASS



The Maternity B.V.M. Alumni Association inducted its first Hall of Honor Class on Sunday, January 29: Thomas Filer (1970), former Major League Baseball Pitcher and current coach in the

Pirates Organization; Robert Drennen (1966), retired Fire Battalion Chief, and Sister Mary Anne Basile (1965-71), former Principal. (Full Biographies are in the Fall 2016 Newsletter.) The celebration began at the 9:30 AM Mass, where our Pastor, Fr. Quinter, introduced the three honorees and all spoke about their time at Maternity B.V.M. and what it meant to them. At the end of Mass, a Communion Breakfast was held in their honor in the Parish Hall. The Breakfast included a welcome from Alumni Association President Brian Sokolowski, performances from the Student Band, Choir and Ballroom Dancing Team, and the presentation of Awards to the Honorees. The Breakfast concluded with PA State Senator John Sabatina presenting proclamations from the State Senate and House of Representatives.

SCHOOL NEWS

Eighth-grader Andrew Lukashchuk recently received the prestigious Neumann Scholarship Award from the Connelly Foundation, a four-year, full scholarship to Father Judge High School totaling \$30,000!



Our Fifth Grade Ballroom Dance Team achieved Gold at the *Dancing Classroom Philly, Colors of the Rainbow Team Match Semester Finals*. The Dancers will now compete in the City Grand Finals in June.



The School's Band, Choir, Hip-Hop Dancers and Ballroom Dance Team performed at *Raymour & Flanigan's Student Showcase*. This event, a fundraiser for the School, netted \$650.

The School Musical Returns!

Our Students are prepping to perform a children's musical, *Jack and the Beanstalk*, on May 9 and 10.

Maternity B.V.M. Alumni Association Presents 'A Tribute to Elvis Through the Years'



Saturday, March 25, 5:30 to 10 PM

**Maternity B.V.M. Parish Hall
9322 Old Bustleton Avenue**

**Doors open at 5:30 PM; Dinner from 6-7 PM;
Show begins at 7 PM.**

**Tickets are \$30 (\$35 at the door) and include
a buffet dinner, soda, coffee and water.
Cash bar for beer and wine.**

**For Tickets call: Denise at the Rectory,
215-673-8127, or Cathy Boyle at 267-446-0482.
For more information, visit www.maternitybvm.net.**

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