

AHS PARENT CONNECTION - KEEPING YOU INFORMED

April 5, 2024



Mission:

To inspire excellence and personal growth grounded in Catholic principles and tradition

CALENDAR UPDATES:

- April 5:** Golf @ Ridges 3:30
Baseball 4:45—Witter
Softball 4:45—Robinson
- April 6:** Soccer @ River Valley HS
- April 7:** Bingo @ AHS
- April 8:** Royal Parents Mtg 6 PM Library
Golf @ TriCity
Baseball 4:30—Witter
Softball 4:30—Robinson
Soccer 5:00—Washington Field
- April 9:** Baseball @ Auburndale 4:45
Softball @ Auburndale 4:45
Soccer 5:00
- April 11:** Hex 5 ends
- April 12:** No school
Golf 11:00 Ridges
BB & SB 4:45
- April 13:** Barn Dance



On February 15th, Mrs. Baker took Addie Cusack, Kendall Duellman, Kara Drewiski, Evan Harris, Alex Jacoby, Brad Jorgensen, and Manny Schultz to compete in the 5th annual Wisconsin Rapids Regional Tournament Finance and Investment Challenge Bowl hosted by Mid-State Technical College. Asset Builders, a non-profit organization with a mission of increasing financial literacy, has teamed up with South Wood County Financial Stability Coalition. The United Way's Financial Stability Coalition's goal is that community members learn skills to become financially independent. As the picture reflects, there are many community sponsors in our area!

The FICB is a financial literacy program for high school students that aligns with Wisconsin's Model Academic Standards for Personal Finance and Economics, and the Jumpstart National Standards. The FICB culminated in a live, college-bowl tournament where teams compete to determine regional champions. Teams that finish in 1st and 2nd place in each region then advance to the state championship tournament, which will be held in May.

The FICB content is "all about" finance – there is no content from other subjects. They "come to you" by hosting live tournaments around the state. Our in-person interactive format, with students playing through a series of games in a tournament setting, is an effective learning strategy that reinforces lessons already being taught in the classroom and celebrates student achievement in an atmosphere of friendly competition. The best evidence of the value teachers see in the FICB is the fact that the program is growing and almost all teachers bring students to the tournaments year-after-year!

This year Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln brought-8 teams, SPASH-2, Iola-Scandinavia-3, Amherst-5, Pittsville-1, Tri-County-3, and Assumption High School brought 2 this year.

Mrs. Baker is extremely proud and blessed to have had some hardworking students to represent Assumption! We placed 10th out of 24[!] Considering we are a small school compared to our counterpart public schools, we all should be very proud!

ASSUMPTION SPECIAL

RUN THE RAPIDS 5K RUN/WALK

Saturday, April 27, 2024—9:00 am Centralia Center

A discount is being offered to Assumption families choosing to participate in the "Run the Rapids 5K run/walk." In order to receive the discount, please complete the attached form and return to your school office. It is not necessary to register online. As added fun, the Assumption school with the greatest number of participants will receive a pizza party! Looking forward to seeing everyone there and supporting our involvement in this event.

