

December 2013

Five Keys To Success Here At O'Gorman High

Be Here.

Be on time.

Be Involved.

Be Prepared.

Be Respectful.

# News from the KNIGHTS

### Monthly Virtue: Charity

As we enter the season of Advent to prepare our hearts for the birth of Jesus, it is rather suitable that this month's virtue is CHARITY. Many of us are already engaging in the mad rush to purchase gifts to put under the tree on the 25th, but let us be mindful of the fact that charity is not always about giving material things. Our quote for the month is "Where charity and love are, God is there". As St. Thomas Aguinas described it "Charity is friendship first with God and secondly with all who belong to God." (2a2ae, 25,4). How can you practice charity and generosity in our community without necessarily giving material things?

### **Gold Cup Champs**

Congratulations to the Senior Boys Basketball team who won the Gold Cup Tournament! In the championship game, the Knights beat Timmins High 56 - 23.



Great job boys and a special thank you to the coaching staff for all of their time and hard work!

#### Career Fair

Students from O'Gorman High and O'Gorman Intermediate had the opportunity to hear about a number of careers opportunities from our Grade 11 and 12 Cooperative Education students.



Great job Mrs. Tremblay, Mrs. Neal and the COOP students!

#### Advent Season

First Week of Advent - Theme: Anticipation and longing for the coming of Jesus.

Second Week of Advent - Theme:

Preparation for the coming of Jesus

Third Week of Advent - Theme: Rejoicing in anticipation of Christmas

Four Week of Advent - Theme: God's love

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#### First Semester Exams

Exams for first Semester will be on; January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>.

A friendly reminder that requests to withdraw a student during final evaluation periods for reasons other than illness (accompanied by a doctor's note) will be denied.

## Mark Your Calendar!

December 6: Take Our Kids To Work
December 12: Advent Mass at St. Joseph
December 13-14: Zenon Ziemba Tournament
December 17: Christmas Dinner from the Cateteria
December 19 – Christmas Assembly
December 20 – Professional Activity Day

