

NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Crusader families,

One of the many things that makes ND such a special place is our ability to join together in support of efforts that benefit the Notre Dame community.

During this most unusual school year, we hope we can still count on you to support our largest fundraising event which benefits each and every member of ND community – our annual Gala Auction and Ave Maria Awards. This event raises necessary funds which go, in their entirety, to continue our great traditions and Crusader legacy. In years past, we have used the proceeds from this event in the following ways:

- Renovations to our boys' and girls' lavatories on all three floors
- Renovations to the hallways, front entrance and main office
- Gymnasium renovations
- Science classroom renovations
- Improvements to the lighting in the classrooms and hallways
- Chapel renovations
- Technology infrastructure and device upgrades

One of our lofty goals this year is to purchase a school van which will provide transportation for students to and from spiritual, academic, and athletics events, in addition to service projects and vocational-technical classes. Purchasing this new vehicle will provide a cost savings to the school by eliminating the rental of buses in some cases, and the regular upkeep of the very aging van we currently use. We also hope to "wrap" the van in ND colors and logos thus providing our school some marketing opportunities as we travel throughout the Lehigh Valley and beyond.

In order to help us achieve our goal, we ask that you consider participating in any of the following ways:

- Purchase tickets to the event or become an event sponsor (see attached flyer)
- Donate a gift card to your favorite establishment (restaurants, salons, spas, car wash, etc.) to be used at our table of chance (we hope to collect 100 gift cards valued at \$20 or above.)
- Volunteer your time the day of the event. Anyone serving a 2-3 hour shift during the event will receive a complimentary ticket. Volunteers are needed at the greeters table, selling 50-50 tickets, auction recorders, and table of chance.

Please contact Kristina Lomax at lomaxfamily3@gmail.com for information on volunteering or donating gift cards. Please submit gift cards by April 15, 2021 to the Notre Dame Main Office, addressed to "Mrs. Weber - Development Office".

This event is our opportunity to recognize our distinguished alumni, raise important funds for our school, and most importantly, enjoy a night celebrating the past, present and future of our Crusader Family! We hope you consider joining Kristina and me at 2021 Gala! *It's always a great day to be a Crusader!*

Andrew D'Angelo

Principal

Mrs. Kristina O'Hay Lomax, '85

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Parent Volunteer Chair, Gala Committee