

Ursuline College Chatham

Student Trustee Report



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This Month

February is typically a slower month. With second semester and classes just starting to begin again, the month tends to be more relaxed. This time around, Ursuline College has kept itself busy with a month packed full of club activities, athletic successes, and many more exciting events. With lots of anticipation from grade 12 students over university and college applications, the beginning of spring sports, and the progression of the second semester, February is the beginning of an exciting second half of the school year.



Languages

Earlier this year, Ms. Vilaranda's Grade 11 French Class took part in an initiative to create French literature for the students at Monsignor Uyen school.

Athletics

On Monday, February 17th, the Ursuline College Senior Boys basketball team won LKSSAA 71-59 over Sarnia Northern, after exciting and lively season prior. Pictured to the right is the thirteen present members of the team, and



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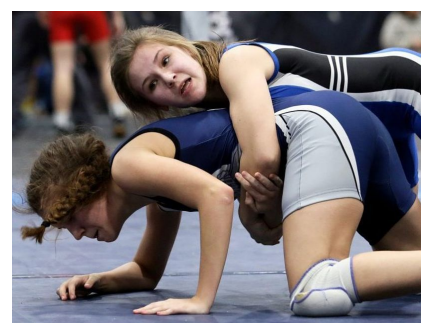
their coaches. On February 18th, the Lancer Junior Boys Basketball team fought hard against Sarnia Northern, losing a close match in the playoffs. Later in the month, both the Lancer Senior Girls and Senior Boys hockey teams won their LKSSAA semifinals, besting Northern and St. Pat's respectively.

The Lancer Curling team also had an eventful month, with team members travelling to the Ontario Championship Provincials. The Lancers defeated the Carleton Warriors and CDHS going 2-0.



February also marks the beginning of the spring athletics season. Starting this month, the girls rugby team and the junior and senior badminton teams will begin hosting tryouts to prepare for what's anticipated to be an eventful season to come.

Lancer wrestlers competed on February 12th in Forest Ontario at their LKSSAA tournament. Of the seventeen Lancer athletes participating, eleven won medals in their categories. Pictured to the right is UCC wrestlers Vanessa Devolder and Hanna Srokosz.



Clubs

The Ursuline College Me to We club is hosting a dodgeball tournament for grade 9 and 10 students to raise funds for their Build a School campaign. Students have the opportunity to create a team with four other friends and compete to win the intramural tournament. The Me to We club has also throughout the month been selling candy and baked goods to support their charity campaign.



The Ursuline College Trivia “Reach for the Top” teams competed in a tournament against a wide variety of schools from across Southwestern Ontario. The “A” and “B” trivia teams both experienced successes, with the A team winning six matches, losing none, and the B team winning three and losing three matches. All things said, the Reach for the Top Trivia team has had an incredibly successful season.

School-wide

Mr. Dula, UCC’s school chaplain, has placed an emphasis on educating about Canada’s history. Spanning the entire month of February, black history month serves to honour the contributions of black Canadians to our country. On several occasions a week during morning prayer, UCC students are delighted to hear Mr. Dula briefly giving biographies about black Canadians who have contributed to the development of Christian culture and values in Canada. Black history month will finish at the end of February.

Additionally, UCC has begun the process of promoting the Student Trustee position for the 2020-2021 school year. Applicants had the opportunity to apply throughout the month of February.