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# SHAMROCK

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS ~ February 2019

2/02	Tournament @Portage	2/12	Girls B-Ball @ Portage
2/03	Children's Mass	2/14	P/T Conferences 4-7PM
2/05	Girls B-Ball (H) 5:00PM	2/15	NO SHOOOL—P/T Conf. 8-10AM
2/06	Home & School 5:15PM	2/19	Girls B-Ball (H) 5:00PM
2/07	Ed Commission 7:30PM	2/20	3rd Mid-quarter
2/09	GALA evening	2/21	Girls B-Ball @ Portage
		2/24	KC Pancake Breakfast 9—12

### Home and School Trivia Night

Please keep the night of **March 16th** open and join us for the annual Home & School Trivia Night.

We are looking forward to the rousing competition and fun at this event.

### Spelling Bee Winners

Congratulations to St. Patrick's students, and good luck in Portage Bee

**Ava Stanila—5th grade**

**Lillyan Wilke—5th grade**

### Geography Winners

Congratulations to the winners of this year's Geography Bee, Good Luck going forward.

**Graham Hallwood—8th grade**

**Martin Wolf—8th grade**

### PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Catholic Schools Week was a great time for our students to reflect on the benefits of a Catholic education. The staff created activities that included service to the community as well as fun during the gray days of January. We would like to thank our Home and School Association and our retired teachers for helping with various activities during the week.

Lent is often described by our children as a time they must give something up or that they cannot eat meat on Fridays. I have always described it as a time to prepare for the most joyous time of the Catholic year. I look forward to this time of year as part of a renewal process in understanding and appreciating our faith.

I was impressed with the contributions our staff and students created in their baskets for the Gala.

The next few months will fly by as we continue to anticipate spring.

*Linda Leyer*