## CHA joins fight the against cancer

Felicity Soares Relay for Life is a charitable organization that was formed to raise funding and awareness for the treatment of cancer patients. This charity is engaged in a vast array of fundraising activities. CHA has now joined the movement to help this organization in the funding department.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is an event that gives many in communities across the planet a way to commemorate the lives of the people who have battled cancer,

\*Remember\* loved ones lost, and \*Fight Back\* against this horrible disease.

The students

and staff, under the leadership of Mr. Church, are raising money for Relay for Life and we have a goal of \$3500. Here is some information on the organization that is helping the world internationally with branches in twenty different countries. In May 1985, Dr. Gordy Klatt walked and ran for 24 hours around a track in Tacoma, Washington, ultimately raising \$27,000 to help the American Cancer Society fight the nation's biggest health concern – cancer. A year later, 340 supporters joined the overnight event. Since those first steps, the Relay For Life movement has grown into a worldwide phenomenon, raising nearly \$5 billion to fight cancer.

Join Team
"CHA Walks for
a Cure" on February 17 from
7:30am to
8:00pm at the
Hen House Restaurant for all you
can eat pancakes
and sausage. A
portion of each
purchase will
benefit Relay for
Life.



Team Captain Mr. Church with the fundraiser chart in the office

Charlton Heston Academy invites you to enjoy

# All You Can Eat PANCAKES!!!



Hen House Restaurant February 17, 2014 8:00 am-7:00 pm

**Proceeds benefit Relay for Life** 

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# A bit about Valentine's Day

Kaylee Bryzelak Valentine's Day is celebrated February 14th. Valentine's Day is not a public holiday. Government offices, stores, schools, and other organizations are open as usual. Valentine's Day is a day of love and many give cards, candy, flowers, or presents. There are many saints called Valentines that are celebrated February 14th.

The day came to be about love in the middle ages of England. The origins of Valentine's Day are not entirely clear, but many people believe that this day comes from the



story of St. Valentine a, Roman priest who was martyred on February 14th in the year 270 A.D.

Some of the major symbols of Valentine's Day are: hearts, colors of red and pink, roses, and statues of cupids and cupids bows and arrows symbolize the feeling of love and romance. Cu-

pid is imaged as a small winged figure with a bow and arrow. In mythological legend, he uses his bow and arrow to shoot people with love. Valentine's Day is named for a Christian martyr but, goes back to the 5th century.

So how will you celebrate Valentine Day?

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## **Valentine's Day** dances planned

Dryden Pierce You all know how we have had middle and high school dances in the past, right? The Valentines Dance, Spring Formal, and the Homecoming. But they have always been for higher grade students, until now. Fifth graders are going to be able to attend the Valentines Dance on

February 12th, located at CHA, along with 6th and 7th graders. There are still preparations being made, such as hiring the DJ, and the exact time of the dance. Ms. Bozzo estimates that the dance will take place from 5:00pm to 6:30pm. Many students are excited about it too. Alexia from 5th

grade said "It's great because everyone can dance and hang out." Randee from 7th grade said "We deserve more freedom!"

There is also a high school dance, its most likely going to be on the same day, estimated 6:30pm -8:00pm.

## Featured Teacher: Mr. Ransford



Nicole Marshall His name his Mr. Ransford and he is from Caro, Michigan. Mr. Ransford has a German Shepard. He went to two different Universities. The first one was Ferris State University and the other was Saginaw Valley

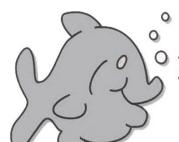
State University. His favorite color is blue. He likes the people he works with and students at Charlton Heston Academy. He said it is different than other schools that he worked at.

His favorite movie is Jimmy Stewart's

"Harvey" which is about a guy who is the only one who can see a 6 foot tall rabbit. All of his friends and family think he's gone crazy. It was made in 1950. The book he likes is called "The Match" it's about four guys playing golf in California the day before a tournament called The Bing Crosby Claim Bake. It's a great story about these four men and their careers in golf. It is a true story.

His favorite food is Italian food, Lasagna, Pizza, Spaghetti, Carbonara, etc. Mr. Ransford said, "I like Italian food because I always feel full after I've eaten."

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#### **FEBRUARY PTO EVENTS**

Kaylee Bryzelak

2/3/15

2/9 & 2/10

2/9 thru 2/12

PTO Meeting 6:30 P.M Rose Sale \$2.00 each

(maximum 2 roses per student)

**Book Fair** 

2/11/15 Cake Walk 6:00pm



# open for submissions

Danielle Marshall The Historium Literary Magazine is a magazine filled with short stories and poems, all written by the students of Charlton Heston Academy. This is going to be their second issue. The theme this year is "power". Ms. Johnson, the 8 -10th grade teach-

er is the leader of it all. She would love for everyone to be a part of it. All submissions are due on March 6th. Alexis Chapman is editor-inchief. Many other students do help out with it all, too.

For the students who do want to get put in, good luck. Submissions can be put in the blue basket on Ms. Johnson's desk or emailed to historiumCHA@gmail .com. If you have any questions, all you need to do is ask. The questions are assured to be answered.



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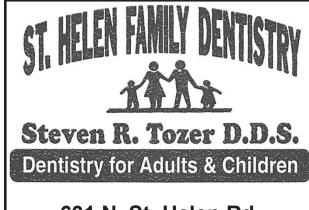


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# Students create their own fossils

Alyssa Davies
The 6th graders
have been working really hard
this year! So it's
time for some fun
right? In Ms.
Larms 6th grade
classroom they
have been learn-

ing about fossils! Ms. Larm thought it would be fun and interesting for her students to create their own fossils! So that's exactly what they did! Leah Sadler said "This is so

interesting, way better than doing book work." Well that's nice. Fossils have been explored in the 6th grade. For more details go to Ms. Larms room!



Students show off their fossils



A completed fossil

## Bowling underway

Alyssa Davies Bowling is so much fun! Well students at CHA in grades 9th and 10th are able to see exactly how much fun bowling really is. There is a girl's bowling team and a boy's bowling team. The girls have been practicing Mondays, Wednesdays, and

occasional Fridays. The girls bowling coach is Mrs. Sinischo. The girls and boys have tournaments every Saturday until the end of February. There are six girls on the bowling team this year! Amber Badalamenti, Alyssa Davies, Amanda Hart, Marissa

Zerod, Cassandra Baker, Skyler Richards. As a team they are doing good! There is definitely room for improvement. The boy's team consists of Brandon Perryman, Nathaniel Desnyder, Jacob Campeau, Jeremy Smith, and Jarod Scott.



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The girl's bowling team



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## 2014-15 Baskethall

Junior Versity Boys Junior Versity Girls



BackRowleR: Michael Stockman, Josh Lisiecki, Ryan Marshall, Morgan Smith, Anthony Peters, Coach Joe Leusby Front RowleR: Kaiyden Walsh, Daniel Ferguson, William Thompson, Zachary Allen



Left to Right: Faith Kimball, Morgan Ludwig, Taylor Sinischo, Morgan Simmons, Keena Romps, Alexis Chapman, Hailey Cooper, Breanna Timmons, Julia Badalamenti, Not pictured: Felicity Soares, Felicity Kimball

### Middle School Boys Middle School Girls



Left to Right: Coach Andrew Guzdial, Derrick Rayment, Michael Stockman, Brandon Austin, Matthew Bennett, Devon Austin, William Thompson, Hayden Wilson, Tyler Lorenz, Luke Richards, Coach Matt Compo



Back Row L-R: Coach Alicia Evans, Jillian Gleason, Samantha Jarosz,
Danielle Marshall Middle Row L-R: Kyla Jakubos, Desirea White,
Alyssa Koler, Logan Backus, Maddie Huntley Front Row L-R:
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