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Stepinac To Produce *Mary Poppins*

One of Six High Schools Nationwide to Receive License

Walt Disney Theatricals presented Stepinac's award-winning drama club with a pilot license to produce the regional premiere of *Mary Poppins* this May. Stepinac is 1 of only 6 high schools across the country given this prestigious opportunity.

Show dates for this classical Disney story of the whimsical, proper, and high-spirited nanny are **Friday, May 2nd, Saturday, May 3rd, Friday, May 9th, Saturday, May 10th, and Sunday, May 11th**. The production consists of a cast with many featured roles and a large ensemble.



Stepinac Junior Leads Others to Safety

John Dailey of junior year was recently credited with saving several lives from a fire in his apartment building in Riverdale, NY. By knocking on apartment doors he was able to rouse tenants from his floor & lead them to safety. The smoked-filled hallway made exit impossible. He, along with several tenants including a mother & child, entered one of the apartments & closed the door to avoid breathing in the smoke. As they headed toward the fire escape, he helped the young mother carry out her two-year old child. We are all proud of John's act of heroism.

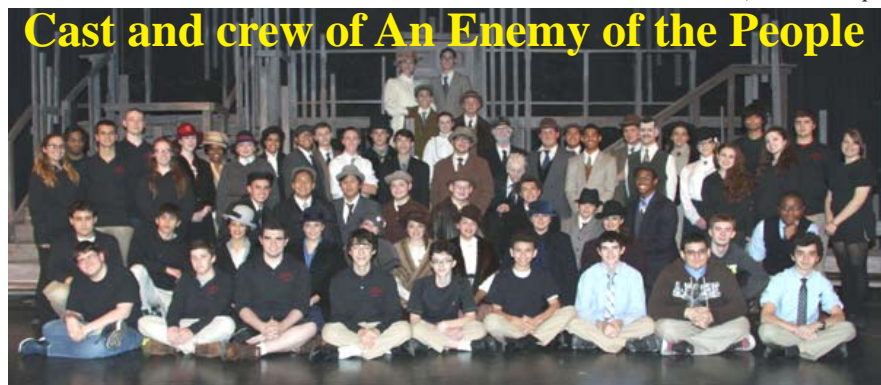


Fall Play - *An Enemy of the People*

Over 50 Students in the cast and crew

In *An Enemy of the People*, Dr. Thomas Stockmann is a popular citizen of a small coastal town in Norway. The town invested a large amount of public and private money towards the development of baths as a tourism boost, a project led by Stockmann & his brother, who is the mayor. Just when the project is gaining popularity, Stockmann discovers that waste products
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Cast and crew of *An Enemy of the People*



Around the Campus

Parents, students and other visitors continue to express their enthusiasm regarding Stepinac being the first school in the nation to implement a complete digital textbook library with a technology integrated curriculum. Stepinac has now been visited by over a dozen high schools in the country from Georgia, California and Pennsylvania. **Each of these pioneering schools left realizing they are at least 2 years or more away from implementing the advanced technology Stepinac is offering today!**



Brian Harris '14 was honored as one of Westchester Counties Golden Dozen Scholar Athlete Football players by the National Football Foundation. He was also awarded the Christopher Mello Scholarship. Chris Mello died in a plane crash on 9/11 that took so many lives. Mr. Doug Mello gave a heart warming speech about his son, who was also a previous Golden Dozen Award winner. Brian was named CHSFL AAA Lineman of the year, All County, All CHSFL, & All State this past season. He has received nominations to West Point & the Merchant Marine Academy. He is also being recruited by Trinity, Assumption, RPI, & Catholic University.

The **Varsity Swimming Team**, restarted in 2008, finished first place in their division, and the team recently won the Championships in their division. Congratulations to **James Goldman '04** on being named Coach of the Year.

Eric Terminello '14 received nominations for the US Air Force Academy & the US Naval Academy. So far he has been accepted into the US Naval Academy.

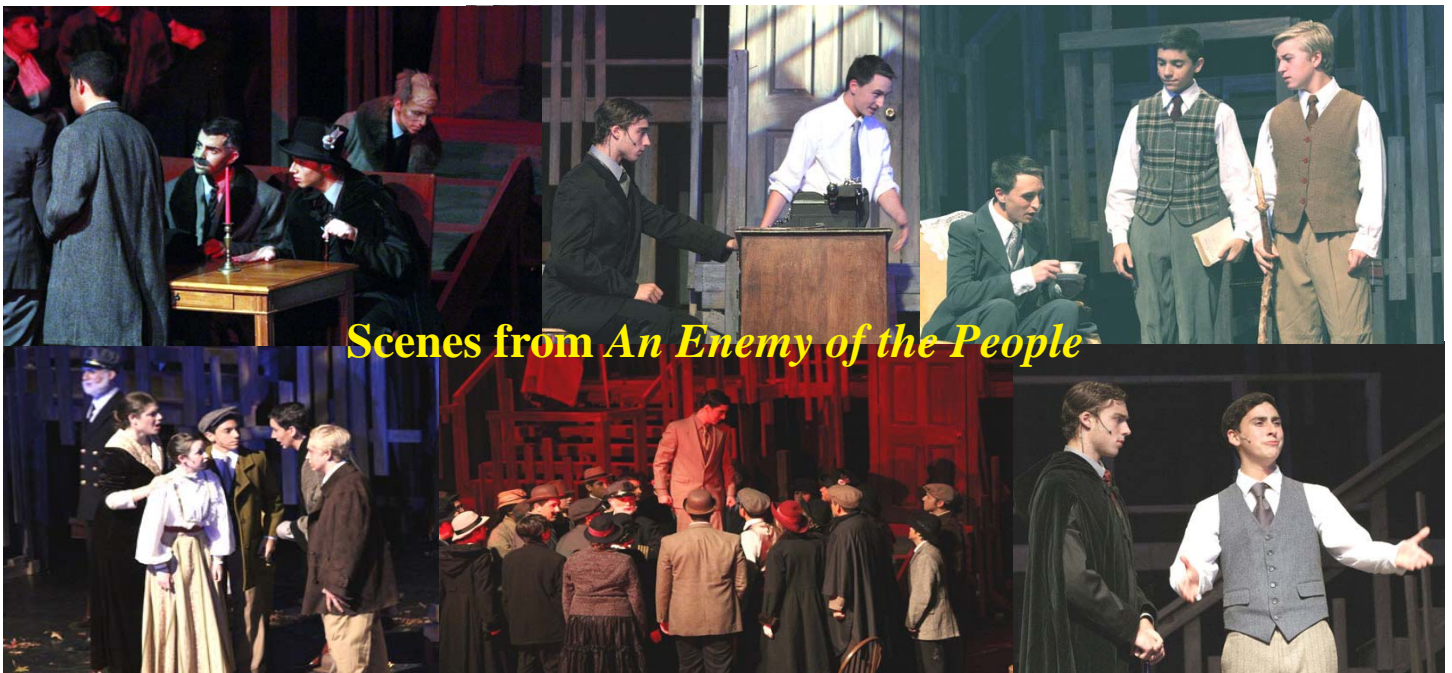
Anthony Panat '15 scored a perfect 800 on the Math Level II SAT exam. We congratulate Anthony and his math teachers on this outstanding achievement. He is also nationally ranked in chess.

The **Stepinac Wrestling Team** is very proud of the 12 wrestlers who recently qualified for the Catholic State Championships.

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from the town's tannery are contaminating the waters, causing serious illness to people. However, when he tries to relay his discovery to local authorities, they refuse to publicly acknowledge the problem or address it. The lesson of the story is that, in matters of right & wrong, the individual is superior to the multitude.



Scenes from *An Enemy of the People*

In Memoriam

Douglas Wyatt '51
John Downing '52
William Parker '52
Patrick Kelleher '53
Leo Troy '54
Timothy Dufficy '56
Richard Barz '57
John Flanagan '57
Richard Burke '59
George Elia '60
James Nicoletti '61
Austin Cassidy '67
Brian Morgan '72
Mark Patrick Collins '76
William Schaefer '81
Allan Joseph Sweeney '83

Upcoming Events

3/17/2014	NYC St. Patrick's Day Parade
3/29/2014	Holy Name Society Breakfast
4/9/2014	Career Day
5/1/2014	Alumni Event in NYC
5/2-3/2014	Spring Musical
5/8/2014	Ron Tedesco Reception
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5/21/2014	Legacy Reception
5/22/2014	Commencement
6/4/2014	Golf Outing
6/26/2014	Boston Alumni Reunion
7/25/2014	Day @ Races - Saratoga
9/4/2014	Gridiron Dinner
10/10-12/2014	50th Anniversary Reunion/Homecoming

Speakers needed for
Career Day, April 9th.

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Alumni News

“ELECTRON RON” CELEBRATES 50 YEARS!



Ron Tedesco '57 is celebrating his 50th year at Stepinac! Stepinac will celebrate this occasion on May 8th at the school. We hope you will join in the festivities.

An anonymous alumnus has presented us with a challenge. For every dollar the Stepinac Community raises to enhance our Science Labs, **he will match dollar for dollar up to \$100,000.**

If Mr. Tedesco made an impact on your life or career, now is your chance to thank him with a gift in his honor. For more information, please contact Dennis Buckley at dbuckley@stepinac.org

Joseph Deluca '55 is currently a practicing Primary Care Physician & Clinical Psychologist (MD/PhD) in Altamonte Springs, Florida. He & his wife Penny, have 8 children & 10 grandchildren. He had two books published in 2013 - *Inspirational Sentiments to Become A Better Person- A Starter Manual & Snippets - Memories to Enhance Healing, Health, and Wellness*. Both books are available thru the websites of Barnes & Noble or Amazon. He still participates in Masters Track & Field and Weightlifting. E-mail is: GardbergDeLuca@aol.com.

Bernard Ellrodt '59 retired in 2011 as an engineer & senior manager for Lockheed Martin. His military service was in the Air Force, where he attained the rank of Lt. Colonel.

Dr. Nicholas Petrelli '65 has been chosen as one of Delaware's top doctors. He currently serves at the Helen F. Grham Cancer Center & Research Institute in Delaware & was the founding medical director of the center. He looks forward to the establishment of the Delaware Center for Cancer Biology, a “medical school without walls” where all members of the medical community can work together closely in the same facility.



Class of '76 at a gathering to celebrate the life of classmate, Mark Collins

Nicholas Lopane '84 earned his CPCU designation in December of 2012. In March of 2013, he was promoted to Second Vice President at General Star-A- Berkshire Hathaway Company. Nicholas has been in the insurance industry over 25 years.

Derek Ortiz '01 earned an Associate Degree in Applied Science - Computer Information Systems from Westchester Community College & a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in Information Systems from Iona College. He's currently employed by the New Rochelle Police Department as a PC Support Specialist. Derek is also a touring musician for rock band 'Go For Launch' - www.GoForLaunchMusic.com

Christopher Siegfried '04 graduated Cum Laude from Iona College in 2008. He received a Master's Degree in Education in 2010 and a Master's Degree in School Leadership in 2013. He currently teaches at the middle school level for the NYC Department of Education in the Bronx. He married his lovely wife, Heather, in April 2013.

Austin Taps '12 from Mahopac won lineman of the year award at the University of Pennsylvania and was named honorable mention All-Ivy by the league office. Austin, a sophomore at the university, played in 9 games, had 26 tackles, 5 sacks, 8 tackles, & recovered 1 fumble during the season.



Young Alumni Receptions



Just before Christmas two young alumni events took place. The class of 2003 held their 10 year reunion at the *The Cornerstone* in Yonkers. In addition, the Advancement Office held the 2nd Annual Thanksgiving Eve Young Alumni event at *Bob Hylands's Sports Page* in White Plains. Alumni ranging from the classes of 1991 to 2008 returned for a night of laughs and reminiscing. Over 70 young alumni gathered at the two events. Look for more information regarding future young alumni events. Follow us on Facebook, www.facebook.com/StepinacAlumni, and on Twitter, [@StepinacAlumni](https://twitter.com/StepinacAlumni). E-mail us with your updated contact information at stepinacalumni@stepinac.org. Please joins us at our next outing in New York City - Thursday, May 1st at Turtle Bay 52nd Street and 2nd Ave. - owned by Steve Breen '86.



Hardwood Club Inductees

Stepinac hosted its 6th Annual Hardwood Club Dinner Induction ceremony on December 5th. This year's inductees included **Dick McDine '52, Rico Dos Anjos '59, Peter Swanson '69, Steve Hillebrecht '87, David Conlon '91 and Tim Philp '95**. **Sr. Margaret Keoghan**, long time educator and basketball fan at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Elmsford, received the Hardwood Club Service award for her love of the game & support of Stepinac.

This outstanding group of Hardwood Club inductees personifies Stepinac's storied tradition of excellence on the court and accomplishments off the court. This year's event gave us the opportunity to introduce Stepinac's new head coach **Steve Herman**.



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Any Firefighter, members of any city, state, county, federal Police department as well as any EMT & EMS personnel who are interested in becoming part of Stepinac's Holy Name Society please contact either Dick Nagle or Paul Thomas at stepinacalumni@stepinac.org

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