Friends,

A heartfelt “thank you” to the more than 75,000 volunteers and 1,200 projects throughout the Philadelphia region, who embraced Dr. King’s legacy of citizen action and will continue to make a difference throughout the year. Thank you to hundreds of partnering organizations, our sponsors, and co-chairs, who made the 16th Annual Greater Philadelphia Martin Luther King Day of Service the largest King Day event in the nation.

As more and more are making one day of volunteering a lifetime of service, please join us throughout the year in our MLK365 program.

Best regards,

Todd

Founder and President of Global Citizens,
Todd Bernstein founded the first (and the nation’s largest) King Day of Service

Jan. 17, 2011
Girard College:
Signature Site for the Greater Philadelphia MLK Day of Service

The Armory was the first stop for volunteers and participants to register for the day’s events. MLK Murals from past years were hung on the balcony railing and an enormous screen projected the social networking sites that monitored certain activities. See page 4 for more photos.
**Jan. 20-Feb. 5**

**Looking Ahead**
- Tuesday, Feb. 8: Boys BB Senior Game
- Thursday, Feb. 10: Girls BB Senior Game
- Monday, Feb. 21: No Classes - Presidents Day
- Tuesday, Feb. 22, No Classes - Teacher In-Service
- Tuesday, Feb. 22: Students Return at 7:00 p.m.

**Week 2 on the Web Menu**

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**Thank You for Volunteering**

Following the expression, “MLK Day should be a day ON, not a day OFF,” many Girard faculty, staff and students gave up a good part of the Monday holiday to work at one of the numerous service projects all over campus.

**A Glimpse at Some of the Many, Many MLK Day Projects:**
- Giving blood
- Painting Murals
- Making Cards for Seniors
- Teaching Self-Defense
- Working on a Quilt
- Donating Coats
- Building Bookshelves
- Giving Haircuts
- Becoming a Mentor
- Teaching a Vocational Workshop
- Fighting Violence
**Farm to Families**

**Future Deliveries**

2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

**Order & Pay in Development Office:**
- Jan. 21
- Feb. 4, Feb. 18

**Pick up at the Armory:**
- Jan. 28
- Feb 11, Feb 25

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**Did you know that news and photos of school events are posted on Facebook at “Friends of Girard College (FOGC)” ?**


Join us, and tell your friends.

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**From Tara Pelosi, supervisor of the Food 101 Club:**

On Wednesday, January 19th, the Food 101 Club traveled to 23rd and Market Streets to spend the day at the International Culinary School at the Art Institute of Philadelphia. Bill Tillinghast, GC class of ’78 and director of the Culinary Institute invited the students to spend the day at his school. After a quick tour of the school, the students were given chef hats and aprons and put to work in the kitchen. They worked side-by-side with culinary students as they helped prepare a four-course lunch. They learned about proper food safety, food handling, and various kitchen prep and cooking methods. A few of the items they prepared were: scallop ceviche, zucchini fritters, fish chowder, French onion soup, veal and sausage ragout over homemade pappardelle pasta, stuffed zucchini with lentils and fried artichokes, chocolate ganache, cinnamon ice cream, and bread pudding. After working 2½ hours in the kitchen we were invited to stay for lunch where everyone was served the items they helped prepare. Thanks to Chef Tillinghast, an incredible day was had by all!
January 17
Campus Images

The Campus was Humming

Hundreds of volunteers and members of the public filled the campus with activity.

Making History

In one of the service projects, our students painted the vestibule of the first floor library with Freedom Smitty, Ken Salaam, one of the Philadelphia Freedom Fighters. He wrote them a letter of inspiration, and a plaque dedicating the project was hung on location.

GC Mural Team Makes a Statement about Love

Girard students and Ms. Teresa Coffey worked on a mural that will be hung in the Hum corridor. One of eight sections, the entire mural will be sewn together and put on permanent display in a Hum corridor within the next several weeks.

Kids Carnival: Learning = Fun

Various activities kept children happy, busy and learning.