

# Community

## Spotlight



St. Raymond School

### Home of the Saints!



Myra Wilkins – President and CEO of Martin a XEROX company, presents a check to the winners

The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Joliet Chamber of Commerce Entrepreneurs club Expo was held in April 2018 at the University of St. Francis. The goal of the event is to promote creativity and innovations among the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. More than 50 student teams from Gompers, Washington, Hufford, Dirksen, Troy, Rockdale, St. Raymond and Channahon participated in an entrepreneurship convention seeking mock investors.

Lena Baltz and Marlie Potocki created a business called B.E.S.T. Run Club. B.E.S.T. stands for “Better Enurance Strength Techniques.” The mission of this business is to reduce childhood obesity. These young entprneuers impressed the judges with their professionally designed T-Shirts, complete with company logo, budgeting calculations and a antriculate delivery of their sales pitch.



Teacher sponsors and Student winners



Announcing winners to St. Raymond students



Words of encouragement

We are very honored to partner as the Angel Investor with the Superintendents and Business leaders of the Joliet Chamber Education committee, to support our schools to develop the next generation entrepreneurs