

# WOLFTRACKS

*The Beginning of the Next Century!*



The Saint Paul's School  
Covington, Louisiana



December 31, 2011



**Gentlemen,**

*I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!*

*Well, here we go with the second semester of this school year; it seems like we just started school a few weeks ago. There are quite a few events coming up this semester, Ozone Spring*

*Run and the Crawfish Cook-Off just to name a few, so check the schedule and plan on coming out and having some fun with us. Don't forget, all of the spring sporting events will be in full swing too, so come out and help support the Wolves.*

Concern for the  
Poor & Social  
Justice

Faith in the  
Presence of God

Quality  
Education

Lasallian  
Core  
Principles

Respect for  
all Persons

Inclusive  
Community

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**Mother's Club Bookstore**



**La Salle Hall Lobby**



*Students assist the Mother's Club with moving items into the new bookstore located in the renovated La Salle Hall building. Pictured at left are junior Marc Lavie and senior Jack Rayer. At right are senior Zach Lee and junior Austin Robert.*



# Capital Campaign – La Salle hall

*Honoring the past while embracing the Future*

## **OPEN HOUSE - Wednesday, January 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm–8:00pm!**



**Brick structures in the courtyard will represent the Lasallian Five Core Principles**

**La Salle Hall will provide space for:**

**Art Studio & Kiln, Bookstore, Campus Ministry, Guidance Offices, Math Classrooms & Offices, Pre-Engineering Classrooms, Robotics, ROTC Classrooms, Offices & Storage**



**Guidance Offices Lobby**

### **BUY-A-BRICK!**

**Saint Paul's is beginning our Buy-A-Brick Campaign. For only \$125, you can purchase a personalized brick that will be placed in the courtyard of La Salle Hall. Complete and mail the form to the Development Office with your payment.**



**Bookstore**



**[Buy a Brick](#)**

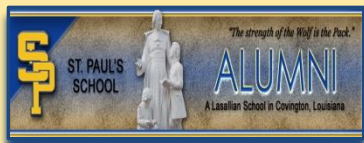
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## A Look Ahead



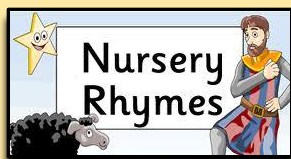
**Wednesday, January 25, 2012 – General Alumni Meeting – 6:00pm in the school cafeteria**



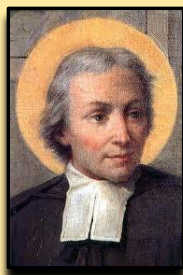
**Friday, March 9, 2012 Career Day for Seniors – alumni volunteers needed to speak to the senior class about potential careers.**



**Saturday, March 10, 2012 – Ozone Spring Run – includes the 2012 Louisiana 10k Championship race and is still a qualifier for the Crescent City Classic race. Wolf Dome 7:00am – 1:00pm**



**Friday, March 16, 2012 – Celebrity Waiters' Dinner – nursery rhymes is the theme for the 2012 event. For reservations or information, call the Development Office at 985-892-3200 ext 1270. DON'T DELAY - OVER 80% OF THE TABLES ARE RESERVED.**



**Saturday, March 17, 2012 – Christian Brothers' Relay – For more information contact Al Nastasi, Jr. at [aln@stpauls.com](mailto:aln@stpauls.com).**



**Saturday, April 14, 2012 – 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Crawfish Cook-off**



**Athletic Hall of Fame Nominations - if you are interested in nominating an alumnus to the Saint Paul's Athletic Hall of Fame, please adhere to the [nomination criteria](#) and complete the [nomination form](#). Please mail the completed form and supporting material to Saint Paul's School Hall of Fame Committee  
C/O Athletic Director  
P.O. Box 928, Covington, LA 70434**

**Chris Ashbey '01** – After graduating from Saint Paul's, Chris entered training with the LA National Guard and served in Iraq for 18 months. Upon his return, he enrolled in Southeastern LA University and was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree on Saturday, Dec. 10th, 2011.

**Andre' Bezou '05** – On Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, Andre' returned from a tour in Afghanistan with the Marine Corps. Andre' was welcomed home by his family and a small contingent of Saint Paul's Marching Wolves.



Daniel De Noux, Andre's uncle, band members, Alex Gravelle, Alex Frey, Justin Dardenne, and Travis Dugas, Andrew Moran, band director and Brother Gale Condit, FSC, Director for Development of Saint Paul's School



Andre' with his father Jacques Bezou

**Richard Jackson '07** – Richard has graduated cum laude from Mississippi State University with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering. Richard also graduated with a minor in Mathematics.

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## Rise Up 'O Men of God

**Saint Paul's mourns the loss of:**

**Brother Edwin Grillet, FSC,**

a member of the Saint Paul's Retired Brothers Community;

"Brother Ned" was 97 years old and was the oldest member of the

New Orleans-Santa Fe Province of Christian Brothers

**Dr. John Cottingham, father of Jay Cottingham '79**

**and grandfather of Christian Ingram '15 and Hayden Ingram '16**

**and**

**the aunt of Markell Powell '12**

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace! Amen!





# The Saint Paul's School

100 Years of Learning



*On Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, Saint Paul's continued an important tradition, luminaries, lighting the campus with thousands of candles. The Christian Brothers from New Mexico brought this celebration to the school and it has continued for a number of years. The student body works on the bags at advisory, writing a prayer request on the bottom of each bag and folding the top down twice to make the bag ready for the sand and the candle. Members of the Student Council, under the direction of Ann Forster, the National Honor Society, under the direction of Jeaneen Schmitt, and members of the Mother's Club filled bags and lit candles. The band played and caroling filled Founders' Circle.*

*The school chooses to honor the traditions of our Christian Brothers with this event and wish our community, friends and families a safe and joyful holiday season.*

*by Karen Hebert*



**SUPPORT THE BLOOD BANK**

**Donate your blood and make a difference**

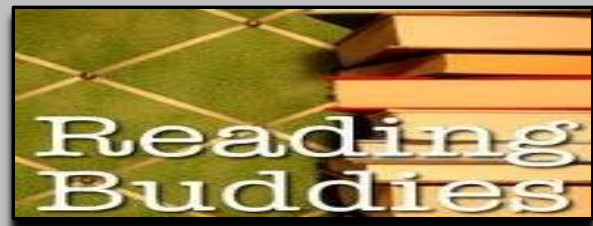



*As part of the celebration of Advent each December Saint Paul's holds a blood drive on campus. This year blood donations from the students and faculty were able to help 102 patients. This donation also is a practical application of the Lasallian Core Principle: concern for others. Air Force Junior ROTC Cadet, Christian Guilbeau is pictured during his donation.*

*Saint Paul's is pleased to announce that a number of seniors scored a perfect thirty-six on subject tests in a recent ACT. Gabe Emerson, Science; Sean Ross, English; Andrew Pennison, Reading; Reed Wilson, English; Reid Andrus, Reading, and Dane Stubbs, Reading.*

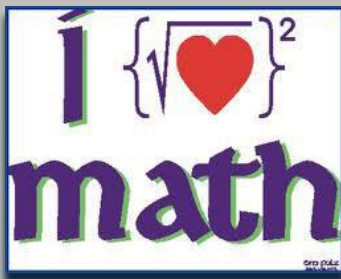


# Reading Buddies



Members of Karen Hebert's class show off some of the trade books donated by Scholastic for their "Reading Buddies" project sponsored by the Brown Foundation. Seated are: Grant Rhodes, Will Healy, Sam Crowton, Seth Dragon, Bryce Jenkins, T. Jacques Guillot, and Christian Flick. Kneeling are: Cray

Pennison, Ethan DeForges, Jacob Broussard, Harrison Prieto, Colin Ross, Austin Grashoff, Patrick Stewart, Patrick Connolly, Leland Van Deventer, and Oliver Guice. Standing are Briggs Simpson and Chris Coyne.



The Fighting Math Wolves boarded a bus on Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> to compete in the Riverside Academy math tournament. There were one hundred ninety student mathletes competing from eleven schools. Saint Paul's was represented by forty-one Math wolves. Two teams placed second in the team events: Algebra I team – Luke Avenol, Nick Oubre, Leland van Deventer and Jeffrey Champ and Alpha A team – Bobby Bayer, Alack Patel, Michael Sitarz, and Jack Lynch. Individual winners are listed below:

<b>Algebra I:</b>	<b>Luke Avenol</b> - 3 <sup>rd</sup>
<b>Geometry:</b>	<b>Matthew Baldone</b> - 1 <sup>st</sup> <b>Kyle Cleveland</b> - 2 <sup>nd</sup> <b>Aaron Nguyen</b> - 3 <sup>rd</sup> <b>Walden Perry</b> - 4 <sup>th</sup> <b>Hunter Simonson</b> - 7 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Algebra II:</b>	<b>George Cazenavette</b> - 5 <sup>th</sup> <b>Parker Jaquillard</b> - 7 <sup>th</sup> <b>Peter Yager</b> - 8 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Advanced Math:</b>	<b>Bobby Bayer</b> - 6 <sup>th</sup> <b>Alack Patel</b> - 8 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Calculus:</b>	<b>Gabe Emerson</b> - 4 <sup>th</sup> <b>Austin Frosch</b> - 7 <sup>th</sup>

by Susan Jordan

## Saint Paul's Christmas Relay

**The Cross Country Running Wolves** hosted their 11<sup>th</sup> annual Christmas Run on December 3. An annual fundraiser for the team to support the upcoming year programs, the Christmas Run always brings back team alums to run in the race and visit with Coach Terry Chatham. Pat Gavin '01, Brian Lozes '08, Michael Sciortino '02, and Ian Krentel '02 all showed up on the chilly morning to run the 5K.



When the dust had settled at the finish line, Pat Gavin '01 was the overall champion covering the course in 15:26. He was followed by Brian Lozes '08, who was wearing his Saint Paul's singlet and his Tulane shorts. Both alums are still actively involved in running.

Brian runs on the Tulane Cross Country and Track teams, while Pat runs competitively when not busy in his Louisiana Running store on Canal Street in the mid city area of New Orleans.

Some of the traditions of the run include the Christmas bike raffle, hot chocolate and Christmas treats, huge helpings of Jambalaya, wooden trophies and ornaments as prizes, Santa as the starter of the race, and candy canes distributed at the finish, making it a very family-friendly event. Lucky for the Running Wolves that it is popular because the money raised from the sponsorships pays for their summer conditioning camp, some uniform items, weekly picnic lunches at the meets, the annual Awards Banquet on the Sunday after the race, etc.

by Myrle Wiggins



## Saint Paul's Renaissance Program



Picture at left are board members L-R: Otto Mehrgut (Profit-on-hold), Marie Hammons (Premier MRI 4U), Eric Dunavant (Dunavant Wealth Solutions), David Briggs (David Briggs Enterprises), Brother Gale Condit, FSC, Lisa Barnett, Craig Paretti '93 (The Paretti Family of Dealerships), Danielle Lavie and Mike Sciortino (Sciortino Financial Services). Not pictured are board members: Adrienne Baumgartner (Porteous, Hainkel and Johnson), Brother Ken Boesch, FSC, Paul Campo (Campo Better Living and Mobile One Auto Sound), John Dardenne (Frighthouse Electric, Inc.), Preston Hammons, Rick Kessenich (Daigle, Fisse & Kessenich), Sally Kingston and Todd Richard.



On Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, the St. Tammany West Chamber of Commerce recognized Saint Paul's Renaissance Board with a special recognition. This award was given to the chamber member who has shown high academic AND service accomplishments. The Renaissance Program at Saint Paul's was organized in 2001 by Brother Gale Condit, FSC, Vice Principal for Development. Over the last ten years, the Renaissance Board has generated over one million dollars for programs such as the college tour, life skills for seniors, financial aid, etiquette training for eight graders, big brothers, faculty continuing education, St. Tammany West Habitat for Humanity, and executive seminars at area businesses and corporations. All proceeds are collected from Saint Paul's Celebrity Waiters' Dinner event that is held annually in March. This program recognizes the true commitment between Saint Paul's School and the business community throughout the Northshore.



**Saint Paul's Wrestling Wolves won the George Trygg tournament held on Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at Grace King High School. This was the first time the wolves won this tournament! In addition, the wolves won the Jacob McMillan Memorial Wrestling Tournament held in Lafayette on Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup>.**

**The Wrestling Wolves team finished FIRST out of 31 teams in the Trygg Tournament and FIRST out of 14 teams in the Jacob McMillan tournament. Individuals winners are as follows:**

**Trygg Tournament: Chris Arms, 1<sup>st</sup>, 170lbs; Connor Campo, 1<sup>st</sup>, 126 lbs; James Cavaliere, 1<sup>st</sup>, 160 lbs; David Englehardt, 1<sup>st</sup>, 138 lbs; Dominic Iovenitti, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 145 lbs, Tanner LeBlanc, 1<sup>st</sup>, 152 lbs; Chris Meraux, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 113 lbs and Matt Rader, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 113 lbs.**

**McMillan Tournament: Chris Arms, 1<sup>st</sup>, 170lbs; Bryant Badeaux, 4<sup>th</sup>, 182 lbs; Shane Burkholder, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 285 lbs; Connor Campo, 1<sup>st</sup>, 126 lbs; James Cavaliere, 1<sup>st</sup>, 160 lbs; Zach Clay, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 120 lbs; Dominic Iovenitti, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 145 lbs, Tanner LeBlanc, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 152 lbs; Chris Meraux, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 113 lbs and Jordan Peterson, 1<sup>st</sup>, 132 lbs.**



**Senior James Cavalier pictured with the Outstanding Wrestler Trophy from the Jacob McMillan Tournament.**

**Winners from the George Trygg tournament: Connor Campo, Dominic Iovenitti, James Cavalier, Tanner LeBlanc (kneeling) Chris Arms, Bryant Badeaux, Chris Meraux, Matt Radar, and David Englehardt posing with their individual trophies.**



**The Strength of the Wolf is the Pack**



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