



WOLF TRACKS

SAINT PAUL'S SCHOOL
COVINGTON, LOUISIANA

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ALUMNI CALENDAR

June 5th & 6th—Reunion
Weekend

July 18th—Gray Wolves
(alums over 60 years
of age) BBQ

September 25—Fishing
Rodeo

Reader Response Needed

As our 2009 year closes we are already starting preparations for our 2010/2011 year.

I am requesting that our readers email me at karenw@stpauls.com with any ideas or feedback regarding the new format of Wolftracks. This will help us continue to provide you with a publication that is informative and exciting.

Thank you.

Trevor Watkins

Academic Assistant Principal



Saint Paul's Administration is pleased to announce that Trevor Watkins, a graduate of the class of '79, will be the new Academic Assistant Principal beginning in the 2009-10 school year. He was awarded the Signum Fidei Award during his senior year, the highest award presented to a student. A graduate of Loyola University, and a winner of the Dux Sociologicus Award; he continued his education at the University of Southern Mississippi receiving a Masters in the Teaching of Languages. He received the Brother Charles Couzet, teacher of the year award in '94, and became an Affiliate of the Christian Brothers in 1998 in recognition of his dedication and service. In 2005, he was selected as the "Outstanding Alumnus of the Year." In addition to his teaching career, he has served as an assistant coach and since 2005 the Head Varsity Soccer Coach, garnering State Coach of the Year twice, and District Coach of the Year numerous times. His academic career at Saint Paul's has included teaching social studies, and Spanish. He is currently the Modern Language Department Chair. During the time Saint Paul's was a boarding school, he served as an Assistant Prefect and a Prefect. He is replacing John Morvant, who is retiring to assume the Upper Headmaster position at Christ Episcopal High School. Brother Raymond Bulliard, FSC stated, "Mr. Watkins brings his thirty plus years association with Saint Paul's School to a new level by assuming the duties of Assistant Principal. He is a consummate educator and has earned the respect of students, parents, and teachers. We are excited over his creativity and dedication, both to the profession of education and the LaSallian Mission at Saint Paul's."

New Basketball Coach Phil Williams



Saint Paul's School administration and Athletic Director, Craig Ketelsen, are pleased to announce the appointment of long time faculty member and coach Phil Williams as the new Head Varsity Basketball Coach beginning in the 2009-10 season. He has been a part of Saint Paul's School since 1984 teaching both English and Religion. He has coached a variety of sports including basketball, football, and baseball. He served the school as Athletic Director from 1992 to 1994. Phil has also coached several AAU basketball teams in our community. He is a long time resident of the Covington; he and his wife Cathy have raised their three children Jennifer, Alex and John here. Jennifer is a graduate of Saint Scholastica and Alex is an alumnus of Saint Paul's.

Craig Ketelsen commented, "We are excited about Phil assuming the responsibilities of a head coach. He was an extremely popular choice with the students, faculty and alumni."

Coach Williams replaces Michael Toups, who has served as the Varsity Head Coach for the past ten years. His record as a head coach included 150 wins and 84 losses.

*"Keep busy
always in your
work for the
Lord, since you
know that
nothing you do
in the Lord's
service is ever
useless."*

1 COR 15:58

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner



Every year, the Saint Paul's faculty and staff host a Volunteer Appreciation Dinner to thank all the community members who have participated in various activities throughout the year. Faculty and Staff serve dinner and this year, several members of the cast of "Oklahoma" entertained. The class of 1959 were also honored at this dinner as part of their fiftieth year reunion events.





ALUMNI WEEKEND

SAINT PAUL'S SCHOOL REUNION WEEKEND June 5th and 6th 2009

It is the time of the year to welcome our alumni back to campus and celebrate Reunion Weekend. Please mark your calendars with the following dates:

Friday, June 5th – Crawfish Boil – “guys only” - \$25.00 per person
6:30 p.m. (Wolf Dome – behind school building)

Saturday, June 6th – Cocktail Party – FREE - Alumni and spouse or date
7 – 10 p.m. Student Center (sponsored by Eddie Riecke, '62 and Jimmy McCune, '62)

All alumni are invited but we are specifically honoring the following classes :
'44, '49, '54, '59, '64, '69, '74, '79, '84, '89, '94, '99 & '04.

RSVP to Jimmy Dykes, '61, Alumni Director at alumni@stpauls.com.

ALUMNI GOLF TOURNAMENT



Several members of the Class of '75 participated in the Joseph A. Champagne, Jr. Memorial Golf tournament. They are (left to right): Jimmy Kasischke, Glenn Warner, Mark "Mango" Grush, Chris Garcia, Hank Buchholz, Bill Mitchell, Warren Illing, Sean Kendrick, and Steve Hartmann.



In-Line Hockey Team

The Saint Paul's in-line hockey team was introduced by a few enthusiasts in 2001 and has become a sport of growing interest. The first volunteer coaches were Saint Paul's dads John Gordon, father of Johnny Gordon '02, and Lou Luzynski, father of Ben Luzynski '01. The first moderator was Mary Pierson, mother of Chris Ashbey '01. Coach Luke Barwick moderated the team from 2003—2008 until he became the coach of Saint Paul's Golf Team. This team has become the backbone of the North Shore League, and is housed at the state of the art hockey rink on Deer Cross in Madisonville. Local competition includes Fontainebleau and Mandeville and South Shore teams include Jesuit, Brother Martin, Rummel and Ben Franklin. The 2009 team is coached by Lou Luzynski and Mike Stevens, father of Mike Stevens '11. The team manager is Nicholas Sibley, brother of Alexander Sibley '11. They play South Shore and Mississippi Gulf Coast teams to promote the sport throughout the region. Twelve teams competed weekly from January through March and the Hockey Wolves took second place in their division. This season's special recognitions went to: Amos Bartlett, Most Valuable Player, Michael Naccari '11, Most Improved; Team Player, Garrett Ollister '11; and Defensive Player, Michael Stevens '11. As a team, St. Paul's in-line hockey promotes their passion and LaSallian principles in the greater community.



***"I will give
you a
sacrifice of
thanksgiving,
and offer my
prayer to
you."***

PS 116:17

Recognizing Our Alumni Veterans

Our oldest living grad, Harry Friedman, Class of 1933, suggested that we recognize our graduates who have served in the military. Ken Breau, Class of 1961, has volunteered to chair this project.

To accomplish this goal, we need your email response to the following questions; alumni@stpauls.com :

- ✦ Your name
- ✦ Branch of service in which you served
- ✦ The highest rank or rate attained
- ✦ Any decorations obtained while in the military

If you are aware of a classmate or friend who has served in the military, please send us any information you may have so that we may pursue contacting this Veteran.

This project is expected to be a permanent memorial placed on the Saint Paul's campus. This will be an ongoing effort for us to give proper recognition to all who have served and all who will serve our country. Thanks to Harry and Ken for the idea and work to date on this project.

Golden Achievement Award

Saint Paul's School has once again been awarded the Louisiana State University "Golden Achievement Award" based on the spring testing performance of the class of 2009. Sixteen seniors, Peter Albares, Christopher Anzalone, Andre Charitat, Christopher Gensler, Alex Grashoff, Drew Lindermann, Christopher Linder, Nicholas Logarbo, Andrew Maestri, Daniel Mahony, Paul Martin, Sean Martin, Eric Orphys, Kevin Stanga, Randy Watson, and Eric Wendel participated in the two day testing process which can earn students credit hours and placement in advanced courses. The students from Saint Paul's have garnered 186 total credit hours equaling \$70,300 in tuition costs. The Golden Achievement Award is only presented to twenty high schools in the state of Louisiana.

"We beg you, our brothers and sisters, to pay proper respect to those who work among you, who guide and instruct you in the Christian life."

1 THESS 5:12

Alumni Fishing Rodeo



Three generations of the Celestin family attended this alumni fishing rodeo. Don Celestin, Sr. (left), Don Celestin, Jr. and Canyon Celestin (right)

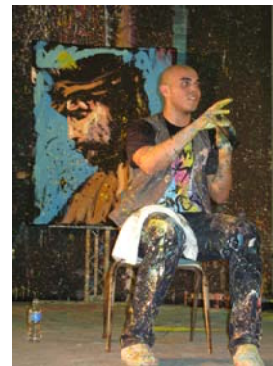


The fifth annual W. Wallace Poole, Jr. Memorial Fishing Rodeo was held in Lafitte, Louisiana on May 15th and 16th. It was a tremendous success and everyone had a very memorable time.



Founders Week April 27-May 1

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Monday: Discussion on Lasallians...Who are we? What do we share?

Wolf TV and Video on the life of our Founder and the story of the Christian Brothers.

Wolf TV presentation by Alex Levy about the core principle, Quality Education.

Tuesday: Lasallians: Past, Present, Future

Wolf TV presentation by Richard Green on core principle, Respect for All Persons.

Principal's Assembly with speakers Brother Alfred, Coach Bennett, and Alex Grashoff.

Wednesday: Concern for the Poor and Social Justice

Wolf TV presentation by Thomas Lorando on core principle, Social Justice.

"Stock the Food Bank" Food Drive! Food was collected in Founder's Circle.

Seniors Last Assembly centered on the theme "Share the brotherhood!"

Thursday: Inclusive Community

Wolf TV presentation by Chris Barr on core principle, Inclusive Community.

Service Liturgy: Special student liturgy and the presentation of Order of St. LaSalle and Brother Alfred service recognitions.

Special visitation by guests from San Miguel High School in Tuscon, Arizona, a Cristo Rey Lasallian school founded in 2004.

Friday: Faith in the Presence of God

Wolf TV presentation by Alex Grashoff on core principle, Faith in the Presence of God.

Noon performance by David Garibaldi,

an artist whose show is a fast-paced witness of God's presence today!

His music, paint, and rap all bring home the Message of the Five Core Principles!

WOLF JAM was held in the Student Center,

music was provided by student bands and included a special presentation by San Miguel students.

Profits from this event went to San Miguel to help fund the education

of those students who have financial needs.



Class of 1959—50th Reunion



The class of '59 hit the campus with a bang on May 10th and kept the fire going until their departure after the Principal's Assembly on May 12th. Thanks to the planning of Freeman McGlothlin, Eddie Leonard and Allen Seither, this reunion will be remembered as the best ever. Sunday May 10th started with a breakfast followed by mass; recognition of classmates who have died (including special recognition to Mrs. Diane Musso (Van Musso's widow); a tour of the campus and lunch under the Wolf Dome. On Monday, they all attended a dinner in the Student Center and on Tuesday morning they were recognized at the Principal's Assembly where each of them received their framed 50th Anniversary certificate. A record of 76% of the living classmates attended the event.

Pictured are: First Row: Leo Bourgeois; Wallace Layne; Warren Privette; Brother Alfred Baltz, FSC and Freeman McGlothlin; Second Row: Allen Seither; Bob Berlin; Henry Lambert; Gary Mott; Jay Sevin and Jenns Madsen; Third Row: Eddie Leonard; Roger Gandolfo and Jake Giardina and Last Two Rows: Chuck Harrington; O.J. Andre; Gary Edwards; Sidney Gale; Archie Julian; Larry Zimmer; Richard Cullerton and Tom Moore

*"They will
enjoy rest
from their
hard work,
because the
results of their
service go
with them."*

REV 14:13

Vintage Moms Host Luncheon



The Vintage Moms held their annual luncheon at Keith Young's Steakhouse in Madisonville. Last year's chair Fran Miranda is pictured with this year's chair Vickie Traina-Dorage (center).



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Wolf is in the Pack**

Alumni...Down the Road

The July edition of Wolf Tracks will be focused on Alumni only. We need to hear from you as to what is up in your life; e.g., birth of children, job promotion, relocation, marriage, etc..

Please send information by June 30th to alumni@stpauls.com so that we can begin preparing the July edition.

Alumni End of the Year Project

Many of you are familiar with the book by Brother Ephrem Hebert, FSC, entitled, "The St. Paul Story" depicting the history of St. Paul's from its inception in 1911 to 1968.

Brother Jeffery Calligan, FSC, has taken on the task of bringing the book up to date from the period of 1968 to the present. This edition will be comprised of comments from students during those decades relating to their views of what Saint Paul's meant to them. More to follow soon!

**Alumni: Send
us your news!**

**Let us know what's
new with you. Email
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alumni@stpauls.com**

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