



Golden Jubilarians/Senior Induction



On Monday, May 5, five members of the class of 1964 presented alumni pins to the graduating class of 2014 as part of their induction ceremony into the Alumni Association. Each of the five members blessed the pins before they were distributed. Picture at left L-R are: John Baldwin, Albert Gaude, II, Jim McDaniel, Jr., Clifford Metevier and Eddie Villere.



At right, Golden Jubilarian Rusty Gaude gives an alumni pin to senior Eric Boudet.



Pictured above is Jim McDaniel blessing the pins as Albert Gaude, John Baldwin, Clifford Metevier and Eddie Villere observe.

Golden Jubilarians (Cont.)



Senior Sean Lavin receives his alumni pin from Clifford Metevier.

Senior David Heap shows his pin proudly. David is a generational senior as his father, David, is an alumnus of 1983.



Alumni News



Members of the Class of 1960 gathered together for lunch at Smilie's Restaurant on Friday, April 11th. Pictured at left front row are: Bob Harrington, Sal Pellitteri, and Ronnie Melancon. Second row L-R: Tommy LaCroix, Gerald Howat, A.J. Daquin and Sal Cali. Back row L-R: Eddie Fonti, Barry Zuber, Jens Madsen, Bobby Fulton and Paul Cashio.

Danny Meehan '60 – Danny and his wife Helen will be travelling to the Republic of Senegal and the Republic of Guinea, both in West Africa, to teach in orphanages and to perform needed surgeries. Danny and Helen currently reside in Santa Fe, New Mexico.



Frank Relle '94 - Frank is travelling to Moscow to curate an exhibit called "New Orleans in Photographs", which opens on May 16 and runs for a month at the Multimedia Art Museum, Moscow. The show is sponsored by the United States Embassy. Frank is noted for his New Orleans nighttime architectural studies in photography. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Matthew Johnston '03 – Matthew will be ordained by Archbishop Gregory Aymond to the Catholic priesthood on Saturday, June 7. He will celebrate his first mass of thanksgiving on Sunday, June 8 at noon at his home parish of Our Lady of the Lake Church in Mandeville.

John "Jack" Collens '04 – Jack will receive his Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Georgia and will begin his career as an Assistant Professor at Siena College in Loudonville, New York in the fall. In his dissertation entitled "Breaking Free: The Rise of Candidate-Centered Politics", Jack's "Acknowledgement" was as follows: *I would be remiss if I failed to express my thanks to the educators without whose guidance I would not be here. The late Brother Bill Parsons, FSC was my 10th and 11th grade English teacher. He taught me that effective writing requires mastery of both content and form. The young men of St. Paul's School suffered a great loss with his passing.*

Nicolas Lavie '05 – On May 12, Nick received his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine. Nick and his wife, Elise, who also graduated with a Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine, specialize in large animal medicine, especially equine.

Timothy "Kramer" Schmitt '05 – Kramer graduated with an Master of Business Administration, with an emphasis on healthcare management, from the prestigious Owen School of Business at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee. After completing his BA, Kramer spent three years on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C. as a congressional aide.

Matt Richards '07 – Matt will graduate on May 16 from LSU's School of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering. Currently, he is the president of LSU's Tiger Racing, <http://tigerracing.weebly.com/>, and his team will compete in Detroit this month.

Zac Campo '11 – Zac and his wife Brett Ashley welcomed their son Maddox Woods into their family on Tuesday, May 6. Maddox weighed in at 7 lbs 8 oz and 20 inches long. Mother and son are doing well.

JD Gardner '11 – JD is one of nine students nationwide, from a pool of over 1000 talented applicants, to be hired this summer at Pixar Animation Studios in California. JD attends the New York Institute of Art.

Shawn-Wesley Skinner '12 – Shawn-Wesley was inducted into the Phi Kappa Phi honor society at the University of Mississippi. Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest, largest and most selective honor society of all academic disciplines.

Connor Campo '13 – Connor won the Male Athlete Freshman of the Year for Wartburg College, the NCAA champions for wrestling.



School News



Sophomore Service Day was held on Friday, May 2nd with the help of faculty and parent volunteers. As in previous years, the students both enjoyed and took much from the day. Several Northshore and Southshore sites were visited this year. The sites were: [City Park of New Orleans](#), [Habitat for Humanity](#), [Habitat Restore](#), [Forest Manor](#), [Lyon Elementary School](#), [Catholic Charities of New Orleans New Directions](#), [New Heights Therapeutic Riding Center](#), [Pace](#), [The Covington Food Bank](#), [City of Covington](#).

Saint Paul's Mother's Club served lunch to all of the sophomores under the Wolfdom. The day ended with a gathering of the students in Our Lady of Peace Chapel to share their experiences and give reflections.

by Kevin Moore



Sophomores assist in cleaning City Park in New Orleans.



Sophomores plant eight live oak trees along 1st Avenue.



Sophomores sorting items at the Covington Food Bank and Thrift Store.



National Merit Scholars



The administration and faculty of Saint Paul's School is pleased to announce that three members of the Class of 2014 have been selected by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation as finalists in the competition for the 2013-2014 school year. Zachary Albright will attend Princeton and major in Business and Finance. Michael Burke will attend Notre Dame and major in Chemical Engineering. Max Morvant will attend Louisiana State University and major in Biological Sciences.

by Karen Hebert

photography by Expressions Photography



National Honor Society Induction

On Monday, May 5, sixty students were inducted in the Brother Charles Crouzet Chapter of the National Honor Society in the Briggs Assembly Center. The inductees are as follows: juniors, Bradley Clawson, William Dugan, Brent Neal, Casey Prendergast, Connor Rees, Maxwell Robin, Jacob Smith, and Lane Sumrall; sophomores, Logan Buras, Jack Cheng, Parker Layman, Joshua Mascaro, Tyler Reynolds and Sean Whitehead; freshmen, Silas Anthony, Nicholas Ashton, Tyler Babcock, Robert Baricev, John Birdsong, John Brasher, Thomas Carriere, Nicholas Chifici, David D'Antonio, Nicholas Davis, Alex Duet, Maximillian Egan, Yehia Elkersh, Harrison Flood, Dylan Futrell, Andrew Grashoff, James Heurtin, Reagan Hill, Kyle Hladky, Lawrence Jarrell, Brennan Jenkins, Anthony LaCroix, Michael Longo, Karson Matherne, Connor McCarthy, Payton McNeil, Hayden Moran, William Murphy, Kiefer Napolitano, Alexander Nguyen, Alexander Oliveri, Liam Ordoyne, Alex Paille, Christian Rabalais, Jared Saltaformaggio, Kaleb Sandino, Alvin Satches, Zachary Scheurich, Austin Scheyd, James Seese, Shane Strander, Jeffery Tepper, Evan Vamprine, Christopher Woodman, Jordan Wyble and Ashton Young.



Wolves on Wheels



In the midst of all of the end of year awards and celebrations “Quality Education” remains at the forefront of Saint Paul’s, from April 24-27, numerous Saint Paul’s students travelled to Houston to compete in the Shell Eco-Marathon competition. The Shell Eco-Marathon challenges high school and college student teams from around the world to design, build, and test energy efficient vehicles. Thanks to the parent volunteers and

sponsors, the team was able to build four cars for competition this year, “the Streamliner,” the “Delorean” (which strikingly resembled the car from Back to the Future), “Viper 4,” and “the Green Truck.” The Saint Paul’s team competed in various categories like gasoline, electric, diesel, and hydrogen while beating out many college engineering squads. The club, moderated by science teachers Mark Richards and John Carambat, was comprised of Andrew Jung, Quinn Anglada, Grant Grefer, Cain Plaisance, Cray Pennison, Marcus Garner, Adam Fink, Chris Gement, Lucas Waldron, Jordan Wyble, Jacob Tullors, Jacob Coutrado, Max Tepper, and Shane Strander.

by Michael Burke '14

As the 2013-2014 Student Council completes their duties the members of the 2014-15 council begin planning for their term in office. At the “Year in Review” assembly the new officers were announced and introduced to the faculty and student body: Leland Van Deventer, Adam Schmitt, Austin Grashoff, and Sam Giberga have started planning to make next year a great success.

by Karen Hebert



AFJROTC Annual Awards Banquet

On Wednesday, April 30, the Saint Paul's Corps of Cadets held its annual military awards banquet. The 2013-2014 Corps of Cadets was led by SMSgt A.J. East. The room was decorated with blue and white table clothes and red, white and blue centerpieces. In addition, the Prisoners of War/Missing in Action table was set in front of the stage. This table is set for one to symbolize that they are missing from our midst. The table cloth is white to represent the purity of their intentions to respond to our country's call to arms. The single rose reminds us of the families and loved ones who keep faith awaiting their return. The red ribbon tied to the vase is reminiscent of the red ribbon worn on the lapel of thousands to demand a proper accounting for our missing. A slice of lemon on the bread plate reminds us of their bitter fate and the salt is symbolic of the family's tears as they wait. The glass is inverted to represent that they cannot toast with us at dinner and the chair is empty because they are not here.

Numerous national organizations were present to award cadets who met the specific criteria for the unique awards. Cadet Justin Guillory '16 was the Master of Ceremony, and the guest speaker was alumnus of 1981, Colonel John Dunlap, member of the Louisiana National Guard and the State Judge Advocate and the senior legal advisor to Major General Glenn Curtis, The Adjutant General. Besides the national awards, the top flight of the year was announced. "Bravo" Flight, class period "C", commanded by Cadet Patrick Rudiger '15, was the top flight.

A delicious meal of grilled chicken and pasta was prepared by alumnus Mark Dixon '81 of The Broken Egg Café and was served by the Saint Paul's Students Hosts.



POW table with the red rose, red ribbon, lemon, candle, salt and overturned glass.



Guest speaker Colonel John Dunlap is pictured with Sergeant Master Sergeant, Don Pressley.



American Legion Scholastic Award was presented by James Lacassagne and received by Cadet Christopher Pennison.



"Bravo" flight was named as the top flight for the 2013-2014 school year and was commanded by Cadet Patrick Rudiger '15.

AFJROTC Annual Awards Banquet (cont.)



Knights of Columbus Patriotism Awards were given by Lt. Col. William Fogle. Cadets Kevin Cahall, left, and Cadet Lucas Waldron received the awards.



Graduating seniors are pictured above. Pictured left to right are: SMSgt A.J. East, Corp of Cadets leader, Steven Arias, Adam Cannon, Lucas Richard, Alex Gondolfi, Kevin Arms and SMSgt, Don Pressley.



The Tulane University ROTC "Core Values Award" was presented by Staff Sergeant First Lt. Amanda Hull of the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps and given to cadet Cadet Patrick Rudiger '15.



At right, Cadet Christopher Gravell received the Semper Fidelis Award from SMSgt East.



At left, Daughters of American Colonists Award given by Ms. Emily Smith to Cadet Nicholas Davis.



Cadets Carson Bayle and Cadet Evan Hood received the Tuskegee Airman Award from SMSgt Don Pressley.

Gymnastics – State Champions !



On Friday, May 2, our state championship gymnastics team competed in the LHSAA Division I Men's Gymnastics State Meet. For the third consecutive year, the wolves captured the State Championship Trophy. In a Nola.com article, Brennan Skinner '14 and his brother Colin '15, were praised as the "Mannings of high school gymnastics". See [article](#). Members of the team are as follows: Drew Bratschi, Blaze Brukenstock, Seth Dragon, Billy Harrison, Ethan Lowry, Brooks McMahon, Alex Shelby, Brennan Skinner, Colin Skinner and Stevie van Zandt. The wolves are coached by Ivan Paulouski.



Brooks McMahon on the still rings.



Brennan Skinner on the floor exercise.



Stevie van Zandt on the horizontal high bar.

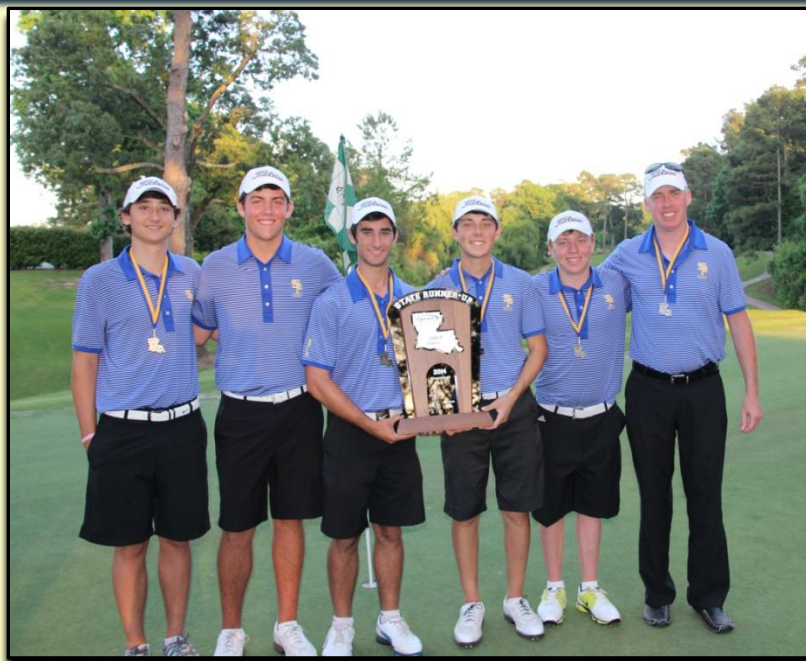


Brennan Skinner on the parallel bars.



Seth Dragon on the pommel horse.

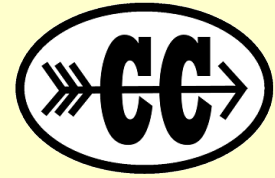
Golf – State Runner-up!



On Tuesday, May 6, Saint Paul's Golf Team finished as runner up in the LHSAA State Meet. Pictured at left are: David Doherty, Beau Briggs, Peter Yager, Thomas Ruli, Trey Hughes, and Luke Barwick, coach.



College Signings



Saint Paul's senior, Kraemer Jackson, signed an athletic and academic scholarship to run Cross Country and Track at Louisiana Tech University in Ruston, Louisiana. In addition to being an honor graduate, and earning a position on the All State Academic Team, he has been selected as a member of the All District, All Metro, and All State Cross Country Teams. In 2012 he was the Indoor State Runner Up in the 3200 meters.

He is a member of the 2013 Saint Paul's State Champion Cross Country team. Pictured seated at the signing are: Lisa, Kraemer, and Kirk Jackson. Standing are Craig Ketelsen, Saint Paul's Athletic Director, Myrle



Wiggins, Assistant Cross Country Coach, and Terryl Chatham, Head Cross Country Coach.



Saint Paul's Senior, Wyatt Popovich, has signed with Huntingdon College in Montgomery, Alabama where he will be a member of the basketball team. In addition to being an honor graduate, Wyatt served as the basketball team captain for the past two years. He was a three year letterman and a Coach's Award Winner for his junior and senior years. Seated at the signing ceremony are: Larry, Wyatt, and Stephanie Popovich. Standing are Charles Tracy, Paul Scoriels, Junior Varsity Basketball Coach, Phil Williams, Head Basketball Coach, Luke Barwick, Freshmen Basketball Coach, and Craig Ketelsen, Athletic Director for Saint Paul's.



by Karen Hebert



Lacrosse – Second in State!



On Sunday, April 27th, Saint Paul's Lacrosse team finished second in state for the third consecutive year. For the complete article, visit the school newspaper, [The Paper Wolf](#).

Ultimate Frisbee – Second in State, too!

On Sunday, May 4, Saint Paul's Ultimate Frisbee competed in the state championship competition in Zachary, Louisiana. They came away with the runner up award. Pictured at right are seniors left to right - Jordan Jacob, Cole Abraham, Justin Sciortino, Ben Kenney, Trevor Watkins, Captain David Conroy, Jack Ruli, Cain Plaisance, Kyle Waguespack, David Heap, Matt Rader and coach Mark Richards.



State Literary Rally

Nine students were recognized at a recent Principal's Assembly for their accomplishments in the State Literary Rally held on the campus of Louisiana State University. Maxwell Gold placed second, and Matthew Baldone placed fourth in Advanced Math: Functions and Statistics; Aaron Nguyen placed fourth in Advanced Math: Pre-Calculus; Ryan Meraux placed second in Algebra II; George Cazenavette placed first overall in all divisions of the state in Calculus; Ryan Keller placed second in Chemistry; Jeffrey Champ placed third in English II; Patrick Connolly placed third in Spanish III, and Heath Rushing placed first in World History.

by Michael Burke '14



Seniors pictured at left get ready for Saint Paul's prom which was held on Saturday, May 3. From left to right are: Mikey Thomas, Chris Meraux, David Conroy, Sean Lavin, Kevin Durr, Jack Ruli, Willis Spurlock, Paul Tilly, Graham Jordan, Zach Albright and Matt Rader.

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