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Alumni and Friends of Saint Paul's School,

As we celebrate this time of year with Thanksgiving, I am certain that many of us have taken the time to reflect on those things for which we are most thankful.

As a proud alumnus of Saint Paul's School, one of the things for which I am most appreciative is the opportunity to have been, and to continue to be, a part of the Saint Paul's experience. I sincerely hope that you, the alumni, share in that gratitude to your alma mater. I am fairly certain that the past, present, and future leaders of this school, reciprocate that sentiment in your allowing Saint Paul's the opportunity to be a "good place to grow up" for you and other young men over the past 104 years and for many years to come.

As we prepare to enter these joyous and also quite eventful Holiday Seasons, I would like to call to mind some upcoming Saint Paul's Alumni events which may be of interest to you. For more detailed information. CLICK HERE

I sincerely hope to see you at one if not more of these events. If I may ever be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Wishing you all of the Peace, Joy and Happiness that the remainder of this year can offer!

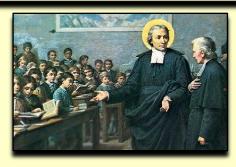
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For the last few years, the Saint Paul's College Class of 1954 has been getting together for a reunion on an annual basis. On October 14, seven classmates were able to get together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bitterwolf to celebrate their 61st reunion. Pictured left to right in the front row are: Gordon Bitterwolf, Norman Pugh, Ray Cavaliere, Leo Sanchez, and Floyd Stanga. In the back row are: Ross Mule' and Jimmy Blossman. Unable to attend were Robert Landry, William Martin, and Blaine McMahon.

#### 2016 Annual Fund Drive

Saint John Baptist de La Salle's original schools charged no tuition. Rich and poor alike were welcomed, and "charity" of benefactors and the donated services of the Brothers funded the schools. We can no longer offer "free" schools, but Saint Paul's tuition is one of the lowest among Catholic high schools - and a downright bargain compared to the private schools.

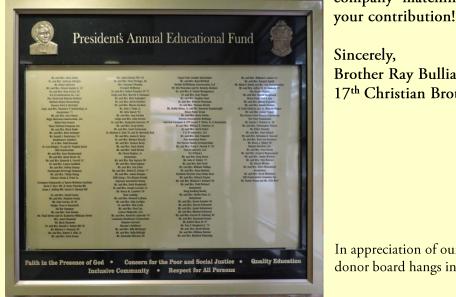


Monies from the Annual Fund help provide our students with a quality education including the certified Project Lead the Way (PLTW-see brochure) and Pre-law curriculums. Faculty compensation, educational conferences, technological improvements, tuition assistance, and capital improvements are also financed with the Annual Fund.

Please assist me in accomplishing a successful annual drive and complete a check to Saint Paul's School, 917 S. Jahncke Ave, Covington, LA 70433 or you may donate online on our website.

I take seriously the faith people place in Saint Paul's for Saint John Baptist de La Salle, founder of the Christian Brothers, insisted that the Brothers look upon their work "only with the eyes of faith." Your gift furthers St. La Salle's instructions to the Brothers that "Christian schools should be in no way inferior to other schools" and that parents who choose the Christian school should "not have occasion to regret that their children do not find therein all other educational advantages."

Lastly, please check with your employer to inquire about company matching funds. This is an easy way to double



Sincerely, Brother Ray Bulliard, FSC 17th Christian Brother President of Saint Paul's School

In appreciation of our major donors (\$1,000 and above), the new donor board hangs in the Main School Building.



## Easy Ways to Donate







Cash back programs are an easy way to give back to Saint Paul's while shopping for your needs. Box Tops can be found on many household items! Check your packages, clip the box tops and mail them back to school. Each box top is worth ten cents.

While shopping for your family members and friends, check out <u>AmazonSmile</u>. Use the school name 'The Saint Paul's School Foundation' as your choice of charitable organization. You will enjoy the same low price of Amazon with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion to Saint Paul's School.

For your home or business, Office Depot will provide 5% cash back on your qualifying purchases. Use the school code of <u>70041640</u> at the check out counter. We just recently received a \$500 credit!!



After shopping on Black Friday and Cyber Monday, consider giving back to Saint Paul's on #GivingTuesday, December 1st. Saint Paul's is participating in The New Orleans Foundation iGiveCatholic 24-hour online giving campaign. The Foundation will award cash prizes for the most NEW Donors. Bookmark this page to give on Tuesday.

#### New Gymnasium Lockers!



SPS Football Locker

Owenby Family

Sample basketball name plate



Kasey Bratton '97

Keinan Bratton '99

Kyle Bratton '01

Sample football

name plate

SPS Basketball Lockers

Physical Education and Basketball are enjoying their surroundings in the new building of the Gene Bennett Sports Complex, but important changes are happening in the older portion of the complex. The small gym has been converted to a new, larger and better equipped weight room for the use of student athletes. The large portion of the "old" gym is now a permanent home to the Wrestling Wolves. These changes allowed renovations to the former weight room. This space now holds an expanded area for the athletic training facilities, and new football locker room. This new locker room can now hold professional "football style" lockers with room for pads and helmets, as well as uniforms and personal items. Anyone interested in sponsoring "football" locker in this renovated area, or a "basketball" locker in the new gym should contact Mrs. Danielle Lavie, Director of Development at development@stpauls.com or <u>985-892-3200 ext. 1270</u>. Names plates will indicate donations and the current and future athletes of Saint Paul's School will be grateful for the upgraded facilities.

by Karen Hebert



#### Alumni News

Geoff Roach '72 – Geoff has recently been added to the team of <u>Chief Outsiders</u>, a strategic marketing firm. Geoff has had an expansive career in Senior Marketing and is considered a global marketing expert.

Andrew Frederick '03 – Andrew and his wife Leah welcomed Amelia Mae Frederick into the family on November 5. Amelia was born at 4:33pm, weighed 7 lbs 3 oz and 20 1/4" long.



Jason Farrell '93 – For the second year in a row, Jason's veterinary clinic, Hickory Small Animal Hospital, has been recognized in the LSU 100. The LSU 100 is an award given to the top 100 fastest growing LSU alumni owned/operated businesses in the world. His hospital was ranked twenty-seventh fastest growing in 2014 and thirty-seventh in 2015.

Clayton Rougelot '07 – Clayton is currently in Koh Thai ("Turtle Island"), Thailand, one of the diving capitals of the world, training to be a Crystal Dive Master.

Justin DiChara '12 – Justin wrote a moving article about mental health in LSU's Reveille newspaper. It's a personal story about his struggle with depression during his high school years. He wrote the article in hopes that those in similar situations will be encouraged to seek help. Click <u>HERE</u> for the article.



Alex Williams '08 – Alex recently appeared on the Jackson State morning news with Rob Jay to discuss D-1 Sports Training and QB Country. Alex is the head quarterback coach at QB Country, which specializes in year round quarterback coaching, training middle school, high school, college and NFL quarterbacks. Click HERE for more information.



While on break from LSU, several alumni visited Saint Paul's campus. Pictured at left are Ben Toups '15, Michael Brands '15, Mrs. Liz Brett in her Halloween Costume, and Warner Moore '15.



**Logan Jean '15** – During the last week of October, rain inundated the city of Baton Rouge causing dangerous flooding. Recent graduate Logan Jean was among several people touted as heroes with helping to rescue flood victims. Pictured at left is Jennette Franklin with her heroes, Bobby Malbrough and Logan Jean. See article from KAFB News Channel 9.

#### Alumni News (continued)



Houston Bates '10 – Houston is currently a linebacker with the NFL Washington Redskins. At the recent Saints vs Redskins game on November 15, Houston met with other NFL Northshore notables. Pictured at left are Saints defensive player Matthew Mauti, Mandeville High School graduate, Chad Englehardt, Redskins strength coach and Fountainbleau High School graduate and Houston.

## Calendar of Events for the 2015-2016 School Year



Christmas Luminaries – Thursday, December 10 – Founder's Circle – 6:00pm



<u>Feeding the Needy</u> – Wednesday, December 23 – This program, spearheaded by John Baldwin '64 and prepared in Saint Paul's cafeteria, needs volunteers to assemble and distribute meals to those in our community. All alumni and families are welcome. Refreshments will be served in the Alumni Office from 8:30 am – 9:00 am. If you would like to volunteer, contact John at 985-892-2203.



<u>Christmas on Columbia</u> – Saturday, December  $26^{\rm th}$  at the Columbia Street Tap Room  $6:00~{\rm pm}-9:00~{\rm pm}$ 



<u>Alumni Basketball Game/Recognition Day</u> – Wednesday, December 28 at 5:00pm. Looking for basketball alumni! Play in the new gymnasium!! Click <u>HERE</u> for details.

#### Calendar of Events (continued)



<u>Alumni Wrestlers Recognition Day</u> – Saturday, January 23, 2016 Time TBA. There will be a special recognition for all alumni wrestlers during St. Paul's Invitational Tournament.



Career Day 2016 - Thursday, January 28th, Briggs Assembly Center



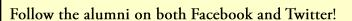
<u>General Alumni Meeting Breakfast</u> – Tuesday, February 2, 2016 from 7:00 am – 7:45 in the theater and followed by Br. Ray's President's Assembly. The assembly will be complete at approximately 8:30 am.



<u>Celebrity Waiters' Dinner 2016</u> – Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7:00pm, Briggs Assembly Center



Crawfish Cook-off 2016 - Saturday, April 16th, Saint Paul's Campus







St. Paul's Alumni-Association

@alumniwolves

# Rise Up 'O Men of God



Mrs. Carola Mitchell, mother of Bill Mitchell, II '75

Mrs. Margie Quinlan Gravois, grandmother of Charlie '16 and Colin '18 Quinlan

Mrs. Joan Marcotte, grandmother of Matthew Stalter '18

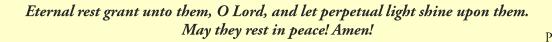
Mr. Emmett Arthur Smith Jr., grandfather of Bailey Smith '19

Uncle of Landon Chambliss '18

Mr. Luke Lordon govein of Alex Pobert '18

Mr. Luke Leader, cousin of Alex Robert '18 Mr. Kerry Polk, cousin of Spencer Fox '19







# Open House





On Saturday, October 31st, Saint Paul's School welcomed prospective students and their families to campus for the annual Open House. The campus was resplendent with color thanks to the Mothers' Club's Mum Drive, and even with stormy weather the Briggs

Assembly Center was filled with families interested in what Saint Paul's has to offer the young men of the area. The guests were welcomed by the Saint Paul's Brass Band under the direction of Andrew Moran, and their lively tones brightened the gray day. Campus Minister, Jeff Ramon, led the prayer, and the AFROTC provided a color guard for the pledge. Six members of the student body related their experience at Saint Paul's to the mission. Speakers included: John Cresson, Patrick Napier, Yehia Elkersh, William Murphy, Luke Avenel, and Adam Schmitt. Brother Raymond Bulliard, FSC, President of Saint Paul's, and Trevor Watkins, Principal of Saint Paul's gave instructions on the application process, and introduced the small of army of willing and able student hosts who lead the visitors on a tour of the campus. Tour stops included: The Hornbeck Offshore Engineering Labs, The Harry T. Howard Foundation/Touro Infirmary Biomedical Labs, the art studio, Project Lead the Way Gateway to Technology Labs, the Gene Bennett Sports Complex, The Marian Players rehearsal for "The Outsiders", The Eco Car workshop, and Our Lady of Peace Chapel. The visitors finished their day with cookies, and Halloween treats.



At left, members of the Brass Band kneeling are: Noah Savoie, A.J. Latapie and Nick Ashton. Standing L-R are: Brad Anzalone, Miguel Seruntine, Lester Guttuso, Ethan Desforges, Collin McGehee, Ryan Meraux, Dustin Simoneaux, and Cameron Holmes.

#### Dia de los Muertos

On Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> Saint Paul's School held its annual celebration of *Día de los Muertos*. Unlike in years past, however, this year's celebration took place in the context of a Mass, celebrated by Fr. Angel Diaz, O.P. The celebration was organized by the Saint Paul's Spanish Club, led by moderator Liz Brett.

"I think it is important for everyone to be award of this cultural celebration, and I'm glad that I can help show everyone this amazing tradition," said senior Luke Avenel, a member of the Spanish Club.

Día de los Muertos, which translates to Day of the Dead, is a holiday celebrated on October 31st, and November 1st and 2nd in



Latin America and especially in Mexico. During this holiday, which has elements from both the Catholic traditions of the Spanish and the traditions of the Native Americans, people build altars dedicated to their deceased loved ones and visit their graves.

Members of the Spanish Club decorated an altar in the back of the gym where the Mass was held with *Catrinas* (skeletons), skulls, *pan de muertos* (bread of the dead), and candles. Before the Mass began, members of the Spanish Club Luke Avenel, Sam Avenel, Jacob Broussard, Ethan Desforges, and Kyle Schmitt gave a history of *Día de los Muertos* and explanations of the four elements represented on the altar: earth, wind, fire, and water. Then, the student body and faculty were invited to place pictures of their deceased loved ones or index cards with their deceased loved ones' names on the altar.

On Friday, November 6, the Saint Paul's Spanish Club went to the restaurant El Portal to practice



ordering in Spanish and enjoy a Mexican lunch.

Luke Avenel enjoyed the lunch and being able to experience some of what he had learned in Spanish class and as a member of the Spanish Club, "Being able to go to a small, authentic Mexican restaurant for lunch with the Spanish Club has helped show me the culture that I have been learning about in class and through our celebration of *Día de los Muertos.*"

by Jacob Broussard '16





#### Blue Ribbon Assembly

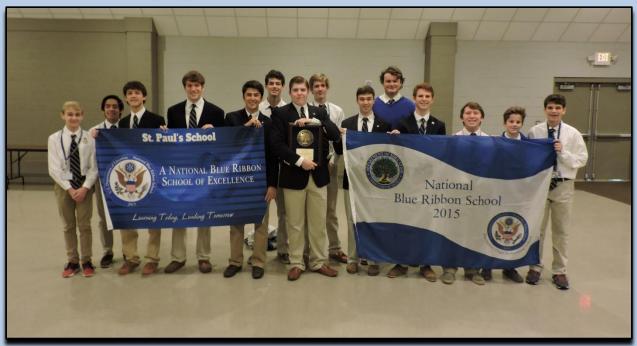


Saint Paul's Administration, Faculty, Staff and Student Body celebrated the United States Department of Education National Blue Ribbon School Award, the highest award given to a school, in the Briggs Assembly Center on Thursday, November 12. Senior, Luke Avenel, welcomed everyone, and Brother Raymond Bulliard, FSC, President of Saint Paul's introduced the honored guests including: Covington Mayor Mike Cooper, Covington Police Chief Tim Lentz, Associate Superintendent of Catholic Schools Jack Truxillo, Office of Catholic Schools Director of Marketing Donna Wallace, Saint Paul's School Trustees Todd

Richard, Adrianne Baumgartner, David Briggs, Barry Morse, Teddy Barkerding and Michael Sciortino. Former faculty members introduced were: Judy Lacour, Ann Forster, Francoise Butchart, Jon Craig, Merle Dooley, and Jim Robertson. Kehoe-France Northshore Administrators Kie France and Brad Humphrey, Director of Education for San Francisco New Orleans Province of Christian Brothers Charles Legendre and Saint Scholastica President Dr. Elizabeth "Cissy" Lafarge. Saint Paul's was one of Louisiana's three high schools, and the only Catholic high school recognized in the state. It is also the only Christian Brothers' school in the nation recognized this year for the outstanding award.

The students sang, "Honneur A Toi," the traditional hymn of the Christian Brothers and "Rise Up, O Men of God" as an opening to the program. Oliver Guice and Alex Oliveri did the readings for the day, while Leland Van Deventer, Adam Schmitt, Will Murphy, and Logan Haydel, read the prayers of intercession. John Cresson, a member of the class of 2016, reflected on his education at Saint Paul's, and the characteristics of his school that made this award possible. Kurt Thompson sang the "Ava Maria." Brother Ken Boesch, FSC, provided the musical accompaniment for the service.

Principal, Trevor Watkins, and Assistant Principal Joe Dickens made the official presentation of the plaque, banner and flag to the student body. Members of the Student Council and Class Presidents marched around the assembly center to the music of the Saint Paul's Brass Band, earning a standing ovation from the assembled students.



Class presidents and Executive Board Members of the Student Council with the official blue ribbon awards are: Josh Devier, Luke Vargas, Logan Haydel, Adam Schmitt, Chris Barnett, Carson Caulfield, Leland Van Deventer, Ashton Van Deventer, John Cresson, Morgan Kinch, Will Murphy, Oliver Sibley, Paxton Ballard, and Daniel Wieseneck.

#### Blue Ribbon Assembly (continued)



Mayor Cooper, class of 1972, declares November 12<sup>th</sup> as Saint Paul's Blue Ribbon Day.

Mayor Mike Cooper proclaimed November 12th, 2015 as Saint Paul's Blue Ribbon Day in the City of Covington. Assistant Superintendent of Catholic School, Jack Truxillo, congratulated the administration, faculty, and students on their impressive achievement. Brother Jerry Vincent, FSC, head of the Saint Paul's Retired Brothers' Community, added congratulatory remarks, and awarded the students and faculty an early dismissal day on Friday, and a vacation day in the second semester for their achievement. The prayer service closed with "O God Beyond All Praising."

Members of the Saint Paul's Mothers' Club treated the students and faculty to doughnuts covered in blue icing and blue sprinkles, and generously hosted the faculty to a special lunch with desserts of petit fours topped with blue ribbons, and chocolates wrapped in blue papers.

by Karen Hebert, Public Relations Director



Mother's Club members Stacie Hollingsworth, Jenny Pierson, Kim Hill and Tricia Bollinger distribute blue ribbon doughnuts.

Retired Christian Brothers distribute blue candy during break time. Pictured left to right are Brothers John Fairfax, Alfred Baltz, Ralph Baltz, Jerry Vincent, and Duane Gregory.



Seniors enjoying their blue doughnuts are kneeling: Joseph Chuter; sitting L-R: Mason Hebert, Chris Coyne, and Jared Simoneaux; standing L-R: Deonte Sorapuru, Brandon Eberts, Garrett Drouant, and Wyatt Heap.



## Football – District Champs!



With a 35-17 win against Fontainebleau High School on Friday, November 6, Saint Paul's clinched the 6-5A District Title. The Wolves were unbeaten in district play with a 7-0 record and a 9-1 record for the season. This is the tenth District Championship the Wolves have either won or shared in the past eleven years. Pictured above are the SPS Wolves after the Mandeville High win on Friday, October 30. To view the news articles, click The New Orleans Advocate and The Times Picayune.

# Saints High School Coach of the Week



The New Orleans Saints have selected Saint Paul's Head Football Coach, Ken Sears, as the Saints High School Coach of the Week for November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Ken has been with Saint Paul's School for twenty-six years. Click <a href="https://example.com/here-for-article">here-for-article</a>.

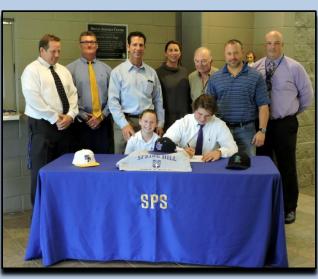
#### Player of the Week





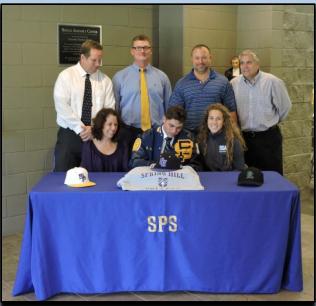
Sophomore Noah Seiden was named Ochsner Sports Medicine Institute's Player of the Week. In conjunction with Fox 8 News, a high school athlete is selected each week. Noah received 3,292 votes for his performance as a defensive end forcing two fumbles and getting one sack during the Saint Paul's vs Mandeville game on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>.

# College Signings



Saint Paul's School is pleased to announce that Hunter Romero and Bradley Yaeger have signed scholarships to play baseball at Spring Hill College in Mobile, Alabama. The young men celebrated their signings together in the Briggs Assembly Center.

Celebrating Hunter's signing standing are: Craig Ketelsen, Athletic Director; Mick Nunez, Head Baseball Coach, Tony and Erica Romero, Hunter's parents, Tommy Bush, Hunter's grandfather; Todd Cole, Assistant Baseball Coach, and Lee Pierre, Assistant Football Coach. Seated are: Sofia and Hunter Romero.





Celebrating Bradley's signing standing are: Craig Ketelsen, Athletic Director, Mick Nunez, Head Baseball Coach, Todd Cole, Assistant Baseball Coach, and Ray LoCicero, Bradley's former coach. Seated are: Dawn, Bradley, and Julianne Yaeger.

#### Cross Country – District Winners!



Congratulations to the Saint Paul's
Cross Country team who claimed their
8th Consecutive District
Championship on October 31, 2015 at
Money Hill Subdivision. The Wolves
were led by Champion Eric Coston
and outscored the second place
Mandeville High School Skippers 28
points to 52. Pictured from L to R are:
Henry Elliot, Colin Sullivan, Stephen
Schlottman, Eric Coston, Spencer
Albright, Tristan Smith and Evan
Hendry. The Cross Country Wolves are
led by Head Coach Terryl Chatham.

Want to support our Cross Country Wolves? Join them for the annual Cross Country Christmas Run.

# Wrestling Season has Begun!

The Wrestling Wolves have started the season with a great showing at the Rummel Invitational on Saturday, November 7. Eight teams participated in the tournament. Thirteen of fourteen Saint Paul's wrestlers placed in either first, second or third. Click HERE for SportsNOLA article. Listed below are the boys' accomplishments:

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106 lbs. – Brandon Stein – 1st
                                          5 wins, 0 losses
113 lbs. – Cole Houser – 2<sup>nd</sup>
                                          4 wins, 1 loss
120 lbs. - Jared Thieler – 2<sup>nd</sup>
                                          3 wins, 1 loss
126 lbs. - Shane Ulfers – 1st
                                          5 wins, 0 losses
132 lbs. - Stevie Van Zandt – 3<sup>rd</sup>
                                           4 wins, 1 loss
132 lbs. – Grant Hughes – 2<sup>nd</sup>
                                          4 wins, 1 loss
138 lbs. – Billy Harrison – 1st
                                          5 wins, 0 losses
145 lbs. - Hunter Bourgeois – 2<sup>nd</sup>
                                           4 wins, 1 loss
152 lbs. – Seth Dragon - 3<sup>rd</sup>
                                          4 wins, 1 loss
160 lbs. - Sam Dufour* - 1st
                                          5 wins, 0 losses
  * Sam was voted outstanding wrestler of the tournament
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\* Sam was voted outstanding wrestler of the tour  $182 \text{ lbs.} - \text{Josh Mascaro} - 3^{\text{rd}}$  3 wins, 1 loss  $195 \text{ lbs.} - \text{Kyle Schech} - 3^{\text{rd}}$  4 wins, 1 loss  $285 \text{ lbs.} - \text{Christian Fortner} - 2^{\text{nd}}$  2 wins, 1 loss



Pictured above is Billy Harrison working toward a win. Click <u>HERE</u> for the complete wrestling schedule.

#### First Quarter Honor Roll

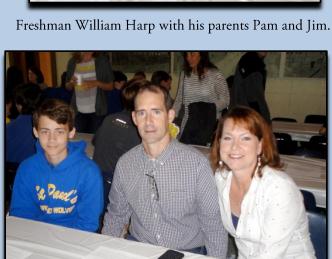
Saint Paul's School Administration, Faculty and Staff held special breakfasts for those students who earned honor roll status in the first quarter of the 2015-16 school year. At each breakfast, honor roll recipients and their families are treated to wholesome meals of eggs, sausage, biscuits, and vocabulary, skillfully served by School President and Honors English instructor, Brother Raymond Bulliard, FSC. A fierce advocate of student proficiency in vocabulary, Brother Ray introduces those in attendance to a few of his favorite words during the latter half of each breakfast—a tradition that many students and families have grown rather attached to. LaLou of Mandeville, owned by alumnus Mark Dixon '80, prepared the meal.





Sophomore Luke Andrews with his dad Blake are ready for a great breakfast.





Junior Ruston Keller celebrates with his parents Roger and Allyson.



Prefreshman Callan Danenhower '20 celebrates with his parents, Sarah and Chad Danenhower '92. Callan is a third generation Saint Paul's student; his grandfather Danny Letsch is a graduate of '68.



Senior Grant Fowler with his parents Kent and Marla.

#### **Biomedical Sciences**

Saint Paul's School's Principles of Biomedical Sciences class instructed by John Carambat welcomed Neal Hightower from Medtronic to their classroom. Mr. Hightower brought two popular surgical tools, The Aquamantys Bipolar Sealer and the Peak PlasmaBladem. Mr. Hightower's presentation included a brief history of surgical devices, videos of surgeries using the tools, and a demonstration of the products. Both are technologies acquired by Medtronic, the largest medical device company in the world, and are used by surgeons to stop blood loss during procedures. After the presentation the students were encourage to practice on beef steaks and liver, and chicken legs and thighs. Students in the class during the



demonstration included: Blake Cordes, Marshall Roy, Chris Wilson, Waleed Sultan, Trace Roberts, Patrick Guidry, Conner Walmsley, Jack Bonaldi, Josh Devier, Matthew Algero and Griffin Lowry.

# Petroleum Engineering Class

Saint Paul's School's Petroleum Engineering Class visited Louisiana State University for an informational visit with Petroleum Engineering Professor Dr. Fred Thurber and Chemical Engineering professor Dr. Liz Melvin. After a morning of classroom instruction and conversation the students toured the petroleum engineering research and technology transfer laboratory. Mr. Bradley Bessetti is the instructor for the Petroleum Engineering elective course which was added to the curriculum for the 2015-

16 school year.



Dr. Melvin, Corbett Russell, Robert Ellis, Louis Lebourgeois, Briggs Simpson, and Gaetano Paternostro are pictured on the tour.



Joe Chuter, Gaetano Paternostro, Corbett Russell, Louis Lebourgeois, Joe Monahan, Briggs Simpson, Robert Ellis, and Matthew Melancon, listen to Colton Mall the facilities manager.

#### Quidditch Club

Saint Paul's School welcomes the newly formed Quidditch Team to the long list of extracurricular activities. The team was selected as the only recipient of a national grant given by the United States Quidditch Organization. The team is moderated by Andrew Dart, with the assistance of Barrett Baumgartner and Jeff Ramon. The grant provided the group with equipment needed to hold matches including: Peterson Hoops, Badon Matchpoint Quaffle, Three Champion Bludgers, One Snitch, Headbands, Practice Pinnies, Practice Cones, and a first aid kit. The Quidditch organization remarked "Saint Paul's application stood out from a number of very competitive submissions." Many universities and colleges have organized quidditch competitions and Saint Paul's hopes to start a local league with other high schools in the area. The Gulf Coast Gumbeaux, and Louisiana State University's Quidditch teams have offered to instruct the students from Saint Paul's in the complexities of the game. For additional information readers may contact quidditch@stpauls.com.



Members and moderators of the quidditch team are pictured after receiving the news about the national grant. Standing are: Andrew Dart, Moderator, Louis Marion, Zachary Taylor, Marc Costa, Charles Rowbatham, Stephen Schlotman, Julian Contreas, Callan Dallenhower, Jackson Lohmeyer, Christopher Pennison, Grant Hughes, Zach Serpas, Avery Frey, Andrew Aceves, Tristan Smith, Jack Blossman, Silas Anthony, Samuel Kenney, John Baglow, Forge Mathes, Andrew Lambert, Colin Hoy, Oliver Sibley, and Moderators Barrett Baumgartner and Jeffrey Ramon. Kneeling are: Christopher Wallace, Gabe Daigle, Matthew Wallace, Joshua Roviria, Clayton Dunavant, Evan Carse, Charles Sinclair, Michael Oubre, Johnny Crouere, Greyson Buras, Austin Grashoff, Patrick Napier, Spencer Albright, Reagan Hill, Julian Siliba, Patrick Stewart, Christian Flick, Addison Nick and Hayden Coutrado.

# Key Club



After school on Wednesday, November 4, members of the key club visited the home of Shellie and Paul Campo and picked 200 pounds of satsumas. Shellie is Saint Paul's Special Events Director and her husband, Paul, is an alumnus of 1981. Pictured at left standing are key club members Thomas Carriere, Ruston Keller, Adam Savoie, Oliver Sibley, Shane Strander, Parker Hagood, Christopher Barnett, Yehia Elkersh, Andrew Lacoste, and Alex Nunez. Kneeling is Andy Grashoff and Garrett Boyce and club moderator Principal Trevor Watkins. The satsumas were then donated to the Covington Food Bank.

#### **Annual Food Drive**

Saint Paul's Student Council once again made the Covington Food Bank the project for Thanksgiving. The students and faculty collected staples for two weeks. When the last grain of rice and ounce of jiffy mix were counted, Saint Paul's contribution to the Food Bank totaled 18,197 pounds of food.



Pictured at left are Logan Haydel, Matthew Myers, Austin Wiles, and Colin Frances







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Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas!



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