



The President's Hebdomadal Blue Ribbon Newsletter *Oct 26 – Nov 01, 2015*



Welcome to the final week of October! Incredible! Times marches on; all we can do is make the most of it.

Four years ago this Wednesday, Oct 28, 2011, Brother Alvaro Rodriguez Echeverria, then-Superior General of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, visited SPS. In his honor, we celebrated a memorable all-school liturgy and formed a Lasallian star. It was a magical moment in our school's history and the picture remains an iconic one. In his address to the students during Mass that day, **Brother Alvaro made the following points which are worthy of review:**



- Lasallians must be concerned with the rights of the child
- Lasallians must serve others, especially the poor
- Lasallians must engage in interreligious dialogue
- Lasallians must form quality relationships
- Lasallians must be people of faith
- Lasallians must have hearts without borders, allowing us to be concerned with all, both here and throughout the entire global community



And even though he's no longer Superior General, let's renew our commitment today to Brother Alvaro's vision of what a Lasallian school should be. Let's re-ignite the excitement of our centennial four years ago so that when SPS celebrates its bi-centennial in 2111, they will look back at our time and say "this was our finest hour" (apologies to Winston Churchill!) – even though I want SPS to greater in 2111!

Mon, Oct 26 (Regular; D E F G)

- **This Day in History:** In 1881, the Earp brothers face off against the Clanton-McLaury gang in a shootout at the OK Corral in Tombstone, AZ. Relive some Old West history today!
- **TDIH:** In 1958, Pan American Airways flies the first direct commercial jet flight from New York to Paris using a Boeing 707.
- **Howl at the Moon Day:** Release your inner wolf and go wild – full moon or not!
- **9th Grade Basketball Tryouts**

Tue, Oct 27: (President's Assembly; A B C D)

- **TDIH:** In 1858, Theodore Roosevelt is born in NY City. In his honor today, speak softly, but carry a big stick!
- **Cranky Co-Workers Day:** Let cranky co-workers enjoy their miseries. Fortunately, we have no cranky SPS ones -- just a cranky President, Principal, AP and Dean!
- **Shadow Day:** This is our last scheduled one; thank you for your cooperation. We will learn the results on Saturday!
- **MC Snack Day**
- **Basketball: 8th grade tryouts**

Wed, Oct 28 (HR Breakfast for Grade 12; CNN & SSR in morning during HR breakfast; E F G A)

- **Mass:** We will again have mass in the chapel at 7 am. You are invited to attend. It was over at 7:23 last week.
- **TDIH:** In 1922, hundreds gather around radios to hear the first-ever cross-country broadcast of a college football game. The Princeton Tigers beat Coach Amos Alonso Stagg's formidable Chicago Maroons.
- **TDIH:** In 1886, the Statue of Liberty was dedicated by President Grover Cleveland on Bedloe's Island in New York harbor. The statue was a gift from the people of France commemorating the French-American alliance during the American Revolution. Designed by Frederic Auguste Bartholdi, the entire structure stands 300 feet tall. The pedestal

contains the words: *Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to breathe free, the wretched refuse of your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me; I lift my lamp beside the golden door.*

- **National Chocolate Day:** Indulge! (As if some of you needed a reason!)
- **Football:** 9th & JV v. Mandeville (5:30)



Some students enjoying the new gym!

- **National Candy Corn Day:** Indulge! (Notice a theme building up to Halloween?)
- **National Cat Day:** OK you cat lovers! Here's your day to celebrate with Tabby!
- **Football:** 8th v. Brother Martin (6)

Fri, Oct 30 (HR Breakfast for Grade 10; CNN & SSR during HR breakfast; Pep Rally; F G A B)

- **TDIH:** In 1938, Orson Welles causes a nationwide panic with his broadcast of "War of the Worlds"—a realistic radio dramatization of a Martian invasion of Earth. You can listen to this classic on You Tube.
- **TDIH:** In 1990, for the first time since the Ice Age, Great Britain becomes connected with the European continent via a new rail tunnel (called The Chunnel) under the English Channel.
- **Haunted Refrigerator Night:** Who knows what evil lurks in your refrigerator? It's time to be afraid, very afraid. Gather friends, open the refrigerator door, and venture unto the realm of the lower shelf, rear. That "thing" inside that container is much more horrifying than any trick or treat tomorrow night!
- **Frankenstein Friday:** Frankenstein Friday celebrates the birth of Frankenstein and its creator. Frankenstein was born in 1818 when Mary Wollenstonecraft Shelley, at the age of 21, wrote the story "Frankenstein".
- **National Caramelized Apple Day:** After chocolate and candy corn, just eat the apple sans the caramel.
- **Football:** Varsity at Mandeville! Go Wolves!
- **Request from Touchdown Club:** Please come out to the Varsity Football game next Friday at Mandeville High and support the Wolves as they take on the Skippers at 7pm. Don't forget to wear your GOLD and bring your noise makers! This game could determine the District 6-5A Champion. If you can't make the game, tune into Saint Paul's Friday Night Football Radio Network on Triple U 98.9FM. Pre-game broadcasting begins at 6:30 p.m.
- **Swimming:** Wolves in Metro Meet through Sat.

Sat, Oct 31

- **Happy Halloween!** I offer you a traditional Scottish prayer for tonight: From ghoulies and ghosties / and long-leggedy beasties / And things that go bump in the night, / Good Lord, deliver us!
- **TDIH:** In 1517, the priest/scholar Martin Luther nails a piece of paper containing the 95 revolutionary opinions that would begin the Protestant Reformation to the door of Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany.

Thu, Oct 29 (HR Breakfast for Grade 11; CNN & SSR in morning during HR breakfast; B C D E)

- **TDIH:** In 1969, the first electronic message was sent via the Internet. Let's not draw attention to the fact that the system crashed half way through sending it, though. And speaking of crashes, in 1929, the New York Stock Exchange "crashes" beginning the Great Depression.
- **Hermit Day:** a day to spend quietly in seclusion. Hmmmm.... Sounds good to me! Maybe I'll call in sick!

- **TDIH:** In 1940, the Battle of Britain ends. Beginning on July 10, 1940, German bombers and fighters had attacked coastal targets, airfields, London and other cities, as a prelude to a Nazi invasion of England. British pilots of Spitfires and Hurricanes show down over 1,700 German aircraft while losing 915 fighters. "Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so few," declared Prime Minister Winston Churchill.
- **TDDIH:** In 1941, Mount Rushmore National Memorial was completed after 14 years of work. It contains 60-foot sculptures of the heads of four presidents – representing American's founding, political philosophy, preservation and expansion/conservation. Trivia question: can you name the four presidents? Answer at end of newsletter.
- **National Knock-Knock Joke Day:** Drive all crazy today by telling K-K jokes. It's always on Halloween.
- **National Forgiveness Day:** The mission of NFD (last Sat of Oct) is to encourage people to ask for forgiveness and to forgive one another while creating an understanding of the power of love, the joy of forgiveness, and the peace of humility in the hearts of positive people. **I ask anyone whom I've offended to forgive me and will offer my forgiveness to anyone who wants it** – but I'm not easily offended so very few people fall into that category!
- **Open House for Prospective Students** (1 pm). If you know of anyone interested in SPS for next year, encourage the family to attend. Administration & Dept chairs will be present, with student hosts & several students who will speak about our school. Thanks to all who are helping! Let's hope for a good turnout! I hope you have noticed the large amount of advertising that schools have been doing to recruit students.
- **Basketball:** 3 way scrimmage
- **Cross Country:** SPS hosts District Meet at Money Hill! Geaux, CC Wolves, as you defend your District Title!

Sun, Nov 1 (All Saints) We encourage Catholic families to attend mass & other families to attend church of choice.

- **Daylight Saving (not Savings) Time ends today at 2 am. Fall back! Enjoy your extra hour!**
- Today we remember those who lived their lives in such union with God that this union was complete at death. These are the SILENT saints who far outnumber the "official" saints, and are often more cherished than "canonized" saints. Saint John Baptist de La Salle wrote for this feast: *yearn as the saints did for the happiness which they now enjoy, considering...not the visible things, but the invisible, because the visible things are temporary, whereas the invisible are eternal.*"
- **Zero Tasking Day** allows you to spend the extra hour you got by doing whatever you want! #NOTASKS!
- **National Authors' Day:** Read your favorite author today with the extra hour!
- **TDIH:** In 1512, ceiling of the Sistine Chapel in Rome, one of Italian artist Michelangelo's finest works, is exhibited to the public for the first time. Here's the link to the Vatican Museum site in order to view this incredible artistic achievement: http://mv.vatican.va/3_EN/pages/CSN/CSN_Main.html
- **TDIH:** In 1848, the first medical school for women opened in Boston. The Boston Female Medical School opened with just 12 students. In 1874, the school merged with Boston University School of Medicine, becoming one of the first co-ed medical schools in America.



Brass Band entertains the crowd at gym dedication!

Next Dress Uniform Day: Monday, November 2!

Gene Bennett Sports Complex Dedication: The official blessing went well with many people in attendance, including Gene's family. Thanks to the Development Team of Danielle, Shellie, Mimi, Al, Karen, Andrew, the Brass Band, the maintenance Crew, Phil & PE coaches and all who helped make it so successful. The gym played to rave reviews. And I was deeply touched when student council president Leland and vice president Adam presented me with a bronze wolf in honor of the occasion.

Coincidentally, it was exactly one year ago last week that the building permit for the new gym was issued. It's worth

remembering the courageous decision the Brothers made in 1955 to build what is now “the old gym.” Here’s the story, as taken from *The Saint Paul’s Story*, written by Brother Ephem Hebert.

It became impossible to play any basketball games in the old gym [the theater] inasmuch as the court was not regulation size. The hoopmen from St. Paul’s had to go over to Covington High every afternoon to practice, and all of their games had to be played away from home. Brother Conrad [who was President at the time] decided to build another gym with the funds which he had available, which amounted to about \$25,000. He knew most of the work would have to be done by the Brothers and boys, and they were more than willing to pitch in.... This arrangement worked well since it gave the Brothers and boys the opportunity to use their unskilled labor to the fullest extent. The site for the new gym was cleared, the foundations dug, the steel was set in place and all was in readiness for pouring the concrete at the end of April, 1955. Brother Alex had procured two concrete mixers for the occasion. Brother Ephrem worked one mixer and Brother Alex the other, while Brother Conrad directed the movement of the boys. Starting at five o’clock in the morning of May 31 and continuing on through the day, the thirty five seniors from the class of 1955 worked constantly, pausing only to eat a sandwich now and then. At five o’clock in the afternoon, the job was finished; one hundred and twenty yards of concrete had been mixed and poured into the forms....During the summer Brother Alex directed the work of bricklaying, plumbing, electrical work, etc. while Brother Ephrem did the carpentry work on the side roofs of the dressing rooms, hung the doors, etc. The floor was laid in October of the same year [by the way, the current floor is the original floor!] again with the labor of the boys. The completed gym had cost \$40,000. The gym was ready in April, 1956, and was dedicated to Brother Alex. Brother Conrad named the building The St. Jude Center, as everyone had thought that it would be impossible to get a fine gym like this so quickly at so low a cost.



The St. Jude Center, built largely by the Brothers and students, opened in April of 1956.

May future generations say that we, too, were courageous in our decision to build a new gym for our students – which cost over 100 times what the 1955 gym cost!

SPS and SSA Open Houses: The future of SPS and SSA depend on a healthy enrollment. Please invite any interested family to attend. In the past, you, our parents, have been the best source of attracting students to SPS & SSA. Please help us now and encourage families to explore the benefits of single-sex Catholic education. Here are the dates:

- **SPS Open House: Saturday, October 31 at 1pm**
- **SSA Open House: Thursday, November 5 at 6 pm**

Again, please help spread the good word about our two great schools!

Report Cards: Report cards have been emailed. Let me know if you didn’t receive it. Please speak with your son about his grades and the teacher comments. If improvement is needed, please make a plan with him to accomplish the improvement. Remember that first quarter grades count as 40% of the semester grade. First quarter grades DO NOT go on a student’s transcript. ONLY SEMESTER grades are entered on the transcript.

Honor Roll Breakfasts: We look forward to recognizing our First Quarter HR students and their parents at this event (SPS pioneered HR breakfasts in our area starting in 1990.). We will continue to have the breakfasts in the cafeteria. Since the cafeteria can only handle so many people, we must do the breakfasts by level. If your son made honor roll, you should have received an invitation. If you think your son made honor roll but didn't receive an invitation, let me know

Below is the Honor Roll Breakfast schedule. I apologize for the mix up in 8th & 9th grade in previous newsletters! This is the correct schedule (I hope and pray!)

- Oct 28 – Seniors
- Oct 29 – Juniors
- Oct 30 – Sophomores
- Nov 04 – Freshmen
- Nov 05 – Pre-freshmen

The breakfasts last from 7:40 – 8:20. The format is simple: a delicious breakfast catered by LaLou Café in Mandeville, individual recognition of the honor roll students, and some congratulatory remarks from yours truly. I always look forward to this event.

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I continue to get reports of unsafe driving by our students – especially those driving trucks. Parents: PLEASE speak to your sons about driving safety – and etiquette and INSIST that they respect other drivers.

There He Goes Again: Halloween is this Saturday; it's not my favorite day. I beg parents to preach safe choices with their children. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) says the scariest Halloween activity is drinking and driving, with 52 percent of all national fatalities on Halloween night from 2007 to 2011 involving a drunk driver. In addition, NHTSA points out that drinking and driving is one of the reasons why teenagers are involved in three times as many fatal crashes as all other drivers.



Marching Wolves perform at halftime!

Christian Brothers Services: During last Monday's faculty meeting, representatives from Christian Brothers Services discussed medical and retirement benefits with our faculty and staff. They presented a great deal of information in an understandable and time-sensitive manner. I even learned a couple of things. Our faculty left the meeting feeling good about their retirement and health plan benefits. I would match our plans against any other school, including the public sector.

While our meeting focused on medical and retirement plans, Christian Brothers Services goes way beyond these two benefit areas. The school's auto, property, liability, workman's compensation, student accident, and unemployment insurance programs are all with

Christian Brothers. And their coverage and service are outstanding. Major property claims such as the Dixon Hall fire and Hurricane Katrina were paid fully and promptly. Major liability claims over the years were handled in a similar timely and sensitive manner. It's no wonder that so many Catholic organizations throughout the country utilize CBS.

CBS is not a traditional insurance company. Member organizations pool their financial contributions to realize greater financial strength. I'm often approached by other companies (especially with newly hired alums!) who want to "bid" on our insurance coverage – included medical. I patiently explain our association with CBS and how we are not going to change. Fortunately, they understand our special relationship with CBS

CBS is another example of what a person with a vision can do. Brother Joel Damian, a Brother in Chicago, began in 1960 with the idea of having the Lasallian (although the word didn't exist in 1960!) schools of the Chicago area pool their collective purchasing power. From that simple concept (which we have not been able to duplicate here in the Archdiocese of NO!), CBS now provides valuable services to Catholic institutions in the US. While I did not know Brother Joel Damian personally, I am grateful to him. We all should be.

Thanksgiving Food Drive: Student Council is hosting its annual Food Drive to benefit the Covington Food Bank. The drive begins Tuesday, November 3 and runs until Tuesday, November 17. Students may bring non perishable goods to their classrooms for collection. Thank you for supporting this important ministry. The most desired items are: **Canned Meats, Peanut Butter (plastic jars only), Dried/Canned Beans, Hearty Soups, Breakfast Cereal Grains, and Canned Goods.**

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Musings on Last Week:

- **Parent-Teacher Conferences:** Thanks to so many of you for coming to the conferences. I hope they were helpful.
- **Football:** JV won big against Slidell as did the Varsity Wolves. The game went well.
- **CG, CLs, MWs & GBs:** And, of course, the Color Guard, Cheerleaders, Marching Wolves and Golden Blues acquitted themselves exemplarily.
- **Wellness Screening** for faculty and staff went well! We pray for everyone's good health!
- **Counseling Dept** had a problem free ACT on Saturday.
- **LYLs:** Our LYLs did a great job in joining with De La Salle & Rummel Lasallians in helping Christian Brothers School with Falcon Day in City Park. The Lasallian bond was strongly in evidence.
- **AP English/History Field Trip:** The boys watched a performance of six classic short stories ranging from Washington Irving to Mark Twain at Tulane after having studied them in class along with the historical context.
- **Swimming:** 2nd place (out of 15) in the Northlake District Championship! I hear Handel playing on Tuesday!
- **Manresa Retreat** was powerful for our boys and they suffered no adverse effects for 24 hours of no phones,

computers, tweets – and even human chatter. God's Sound of Silence is powerful.

- **Wednesday's Mass** was really very nice: short and spiritual. Encourage your son to join us in the chapel on Wednesday morning at 7 am.
- **Friday's Dress Down Day** for breast cancer awareness went well.
- **Joseph A. Champagne/Gene Bennett Memorial Golf Tournament** was a big success. Thanks to Alumni Director Al Nastasi and the Development Team for their hard work. The time I spent there was filled with a positive spirit and many positive comments about SPS. The proceeds from this year's tournament will go towards new gym payment.
- **The Guerilla Wolves** produced a wonderful show



Robo-Wolves explore robotic surgery at St. Tammany Hospital.

on Friday. The story on Marvin is hilarious. If you want to watch the show, here's the link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hiGLcOOSeuk>. And the GWs have entered the Metairie Bank video contest. Vote for the GWs submission. Here's the link: <http://bit.ly/mbWeGiveBack>

Robo-Wolves: Kudos to Julie Beck and the Robo-Wolves for a great field trip last Saturday to examine St. Tammany's cutting edge surgical robot: the da Vinci Surgical System, designed for minimally invasive surgical procedures. The boys were all decked out in surgical scrubs and masks and all got to operate the robot. It was quite the day for them. We are grateful to Dr. Katherine Devier, mother of freshman Josh, who arranged for this great experience for our Robo-Wolves.

Lost and Found: The accumulation continues. Sweatshirts, pants, belts, uniform shirts, many, many lunch boxes, books, art supplies, pencil cases, folders, flash drives, you name, it's probably in our lost and found. Parents, please put your son's name on things and stress with your son the need to be responsible with his belongings.

FOUND: A Nissan keyless entry car opener/key was left in the bookstore last week. It's in the Admin Bldg if it's yours.

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Tutoring: The National Honor Society offers tutoring each Tue and Thu during ALL of Lunch in LaSalle Hall Room 205 and each Wed and Thu from 7:15AM in LaSalle Hall Room 212. It's much easier to be tutored early in the quarter than to wait until later in the quarter. The tutors are very friendly and helpful!

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Eagle Scout Project: Junior Alex Seese is collecting certain items for a local organization that sends them to American's troops overseas. (www.operationwecare.com). He is collecting this week. If you can help him, great. He also hopes to have cards and letters written to send to our troops. (Note: When writing a letter or making a card, only include your first name, and do not include an address or other location information.) Any questions can be addressed to Alex at alexseese@gmail.com. Here's a link to the items the Operation We Care is seeking: <http://www.operationwecare.com/items.php>

Helping Saint Paul's: Don't forget – here are painless ways to help:

- If you shop at Office Depot, please give the SPS school code (70041640) and SPS receives 5% of your purchase!
- SPS participates in the Community Coffee program.
- Box Tops for Education – these are redeemable for cash. Have your son bring them to his math teacher.

The Paper Wolf: Congrats to TPW for the flurry of articles being written and published. The quality of writing is excellent. I do hope you subscribe. If not, support our guys and do so. It's free. Here's the link: <http://thepaperwolf.com>



Moms for Mums: MANY THANKS for all the mums sent last week! Our campus is looking fantastic! Our annual appeal for mums is scheduled for Oct 19-30 – just in time for our annual Open House for prospective students. Help make the campus ablaze with mums to celebrate the fall and to welcome visitors on Open House.

Senior Parents: The commemorative March through the Arch photographs are in. If you have not yet received yours, just come to the office during normal office hours. If you would like your son to bring it home, send a note with him authorizing this. I'm reluctant to give the picture to your son (no offense!) because these kinds of things often end up at the bottom of his book bag! But send a note and we will entrust the photo to him.

Service Opportunity: MANY service opportunities are posted in the library. Remember that SPS students must complete a minimum of 10 service hours a year.



AP History & English Wolves at Tulane theatrical performance last week visit with SPS Alums attending Tulane: Philip James, Parker Rice & Nicholas Sibley

Lunches: PLEASE don't bring lunches to school for your sons as we definitely are not equipped to deliver lunches to students. We don't have the personnel, so please don't ask us. And PLEASE encourage your son to take care of his lunch box if he brings he school. We have MANY, MANY lunch boxes ALL over campus.

Attendance: Please comply with our attendance regulations as printed in the handbook which is posted on Edline. This is especially true when a student is absent or needs to check out during the day.

And Speaking of Edline: Please check Edline regularly for important info about your son's grade and SPS life. Call Mike Holmes, Edline administrator, at

892-3200, ext. 1044 if you need assistance.

H of the W: In honor of Halloween on Saturday, 10/31:

- *What do skeletons say before they dine? Bone appetit!*
- *What do ghosts serve for dessert? Ice scream!*
- *What was the witch's favorite subject in school? Spelling!*
- *Who won the skeleton beauty contest? Nobody!*
- *Why do witches fly on brooms? Because vacuum cleaner cords aren't long enough!*
- *What do you call a skeleton who won't work? Lazy Bones!*
- *What do you call a fat Jack-O-Lantern? Plumpkin!*
- *Where do baby ghosts go during the day? Daycare centers*
- *Why don't ghosts party? They have no body to dance with!*
- *What monster flies his kite in a rain storm? Benjamin Franklinstein!*
- *What do witches put on their hair? Scare spray!*
- *What was the favorite game at the ghosts' birthday party? Hide and shriek!*
- *What do the birds sing on Halloween? Trick or tweet!*
- *What's the first thing ghosts do when they get in a car? Buckle their sheet-belts!*
- *Why are there fences around cemeteries? Because people are dying to get in!*
- *Who did Frankenstein take to the prom? His ghoulfriend*
- *What is a vampire's favorite holiday? Fangsgiving*
- *Knock, knock! Who's there? Boo. Boo who? Sorry. I didn't mean to make you cry!*
- *Knock, knock! Who's there? Olive. Olive who? Olive Halloween!*
- *What did one ghost say to the other ghost? Do you believe in people?*
- *What do you call a witch who likes the beach but is scared of the water? A chicken sand witch.*

- *OK, I'll stop!*

A Look Ahead

October 31 – Open House for Prospective Students 1:00
 November 2 – Dia de los Muertos – Mass – **Dress Uniform Day**
 November 3 – Pack Time
 November 4 – 9th Grade HR Breakfast
 November 5 – 8th Grade HR Breakfast – Aspire test to 10th Graders in BAC
 November 9 – ~~Late Start~~ **Canceled**
 November 10 – President's Assembly
 November 17 – Pack Time
 November 18 – Thanksgiving Prayer Service schedule
 November 19 – Blood Drive on Campus
 December 1 – President's Assembly
 December 8 – Pack Time (Luminaria bags) Mass Schedule
 December 10 – Snack Day – Luminarias in the evening
 December 12 – ACT on Campus
 December 15-18- Exam Schedules
 January 4 – ABCD
 January 5 – President's Assembly -Snack Day
 January 6-8 Senior Retreat
 January 12 – Pack Time
 January 19 – President's Assembly
 January 20 – 9th Grade PLAN Test
 January 21-22 – 9th Grade Retreat



Leland and Adam present bronze wolf statue during the gym dedication.

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Enough for this week. As usual, I'll close with my usual paraphrase of one of my favorite NPR radio shows (which I'm listening to now and LOLing): well, it's happened again – you've squandered perfectly good time reading my ramblings! Let me know if there's an issue you would like me to address in my newsletters or a question you think applies to others.

Pray that things go well! We're already into the third week of the second quarter! Time marches relentless on, and the only thing we can do about it is decide how we use each second of each minute of each day of each week of each month of each....OK, you get the idea.

May our year be one of grace and blessing! Know of my prayer for you and your family. Again, thanks for being part of the 2015-16 edition of Saint Paul's – our 104th year of existence!

Brother Ray Bulliard, FSC

Made It to the End of October as the 17th Christian Brother President of Saint Paul's School

**Did I mention that the next Dress Uniform Day is Monday, November 2?
 And did mention that I continue to get reports of unsafe driving by our students?**

Answer to Oct 31 Trivia Question: The four presidents on Mount Rushmore are George Washington (founding), Thomas Jefferson (political philosophy), Abraham Lincoln (preservation) & Theodore Roosevelt (expansion/conservation.)

“Preach by example; practice before the eyes of the young what you wish them to accept.”

~ St. John Baptist De La Salle (Meditation 99.2)



*...and doing ordinary things extraordinarily well by making
courageous choices and doing God's will!*

