



The Weekly Newsletter
Celebrating 111 years of educational excellence in Covington
342 Years of Lasallian tradition throughout the world
April 17-23 – Student Leadership Week



Welcome to the 6th week of the 4th Quarter.

Schedule of Events for Next Week:

Mon, April 17 (FGAB) – Classes Resume

- Golf District Tournament – English Turn CC
- Tennis Regionals - PAC

Tues, April 18 (CDEF)

- Five Guys Community Night
- Leadership Breakfast – Teacher Appreciation Lunch/Snack Day
- Tennis Regionals - PAC

Wed, April 19 (GABC)

- SC Executive Board speeches and election
- V. Outdoor Track and Field District Meet – Covington HS

Thurs, April 20 (DEFG)

- Lacrosse v. Bro. Martin – 7:00 pm Hunter Stadium
- Assembly for Leadership Speaker

Fri, April 21 (ABCD)

- Year in Review Assembly in New Gym

Sat, April 22

- 12th Annual Crawfish Cook-off

Sun, April 23

This Day in History: And just in case you were missing the important events in history that occurred this week, Brother Javier has compiled the list. I've kept them separate for those of you who already knew these facts (not me) or who just wanted the school information for this week. If so, just skip past the list. Thanks Brother Javier.

April 17th

TDIH: The Canada Act took effect allowing Canada to become a fully sovereign state in 1982.

TDIH: In 2018, Barbara Bush, the wife of former President George H.W. Bush and mother of former President George W. Bush died at the age of 92.

TDIH: The hugely popular TV Show *Game of Thrones* debuted on HBO in 2011. It was based on George R.R. Martin's fantasy book series *A Song of Ice and Fire*.

TDIH: The Apollo 13 mission safely ended with the command module landing in the Pacific Ocean in 1970. An oxygen tank had exploded threatening the lives of the three astronauts on board.

TDIH: Cuban leader Fidel Castro's forces repel the Bay of Pigs invasion which was financed by the US Government in 1961. It is one of most well known debacles of the CIA.

TDIH: American printer, publisher, inventor, and diplomat Benjamin Franklin died on this day in 1790. He was 84 years old.

April 18th

TDIH: Paul Revere, a renowned Silversmith, makes his famous Midnight Ride in 1775 warning residents near Boston, MA that the British were coming.

TDIH: Abandoning her Hollywood career, American actress Grace Kelly married Rainier II, prince of Monaco.

TDIH: US Lieutenant Colonel James Doolittle led 16 B-25 bombers on a daring surprise attack of Tokyo a few months after Pearl Harbor in 1942. This event boosted Allied morale.

TDIH: The famous 1906 Earthquakes rocks San Francisco. There were 3,000 casualties.

TDIH: Pope Julius II laid the cornerstone of the new St. Peter's Basilica in 1506.

April 19th

TDIH: The American Revolution begins with the Battles of Lexington and Concord in 1775.

TDIH: German Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger was elected Pope in 2005 succeeding Pope John Paul II who had died some two weeks earlier. Ratzinger took the name Benedict XVI.

TDIH: Considered the worst act of terrorism in US history up to that point, a truck bomb nearly destroyed the Federal Building in Oklahoma City killing 168 people in 1995.

TDIH: Charles Darwin, British naturalist, died on this day in 1882 at the age of 73.

April 20th

TDIH: Adolf Hitler, leader of the Nazi party and Fuhrer/Chancellor of Germany, was born on this day in 1889.

TDIH: Two disgruntled and heavily armed students entered Columbine High School in Littleton, Colorado and murdered 13 people before killing themselves in 1999.

April 21st

TDIH: Elizabeth II was born on this day in 1926. This is her first birthday since passing away last October in 2022 at the age of 96.

TDIH: American naturalist John Muir was born on this day in 1838 in Scotland. He would be responsible for the establishment of both Yosemite and Sequoia National Parks.

TDIH: General Sam Houston led 800 Texans to victory over the Mexican forces commanded by General Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna in the battle of San Jacinto in 1836. This ensured Texas independence from Mexico.

April 22nd

TDIH: Spanish author Miguel de Cervantes died on this day in 1616. He is the creator of *Don Quixote*, one of the most influential novels. It is sometimes referred to as the first novel.

TDIH: Richard Nixon who was the first US President to resign from office died in 1994.

TDIH: During World War I, German forces introduced chemical warfare in a systematized way releasing chlorine gas on a 4 mile front in 1915.

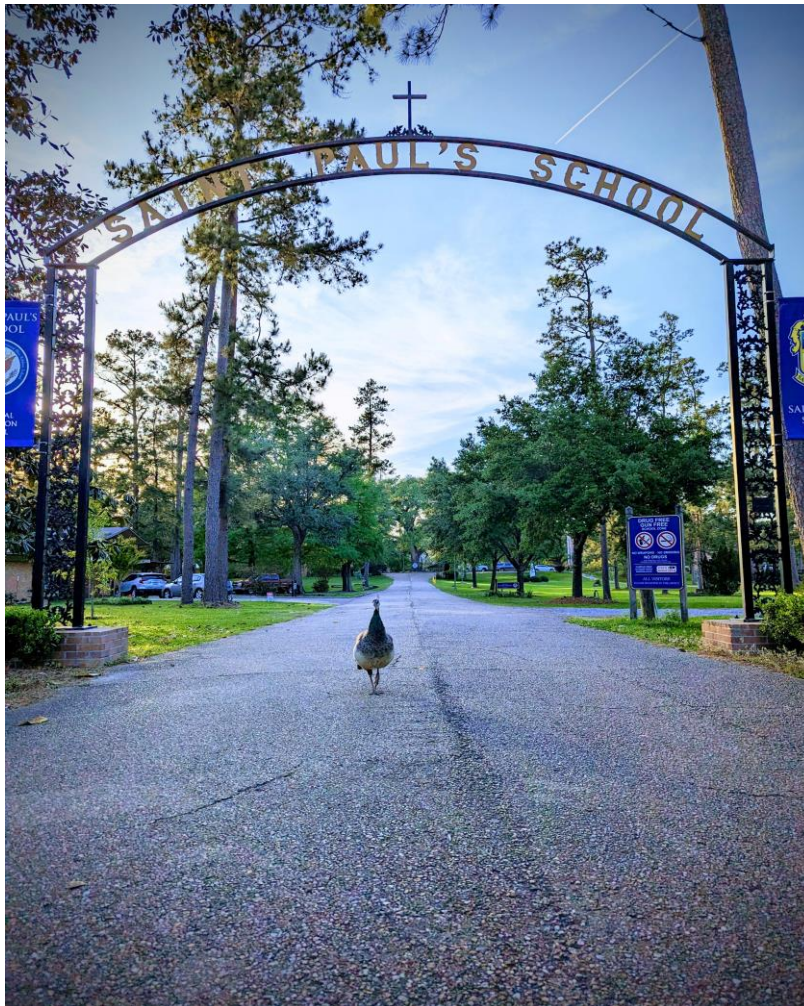
TDIH: J. Robert Oppenheimer who served as director of the Los Alamos Laboratory during the development of the first Atomic bombs was born in 1904.

April 23rd

TDIH: William Shakespeare, British author, died on this day in 1616. Some believe he might even have been born on this day in 1564. He is considered the greatest author of the English language.

TDIH: The first video was uploaded to YouTube by one of its co-founders in 2005. It was a video of his trip to the San Diego Zoo. YouTube now has close to 100 million uploaded videos.

Compiled by Brother Javier Hansen, FSC



Left: Paula, campus peahen, anxiously awaits the return of students from Easter Holiday.

General Information and Recognitions:

HOLY WEEK: As part of our Holy Week celebrations, the whole school assembled in the gym to reenact the Mandatum. The ceremony is called the *mandatum* because it was on the occasion of washing his disciples' feet that Christ gave us the new commandment (*novum mandatum*) to love one another as he has loved us (John 13:4-17)



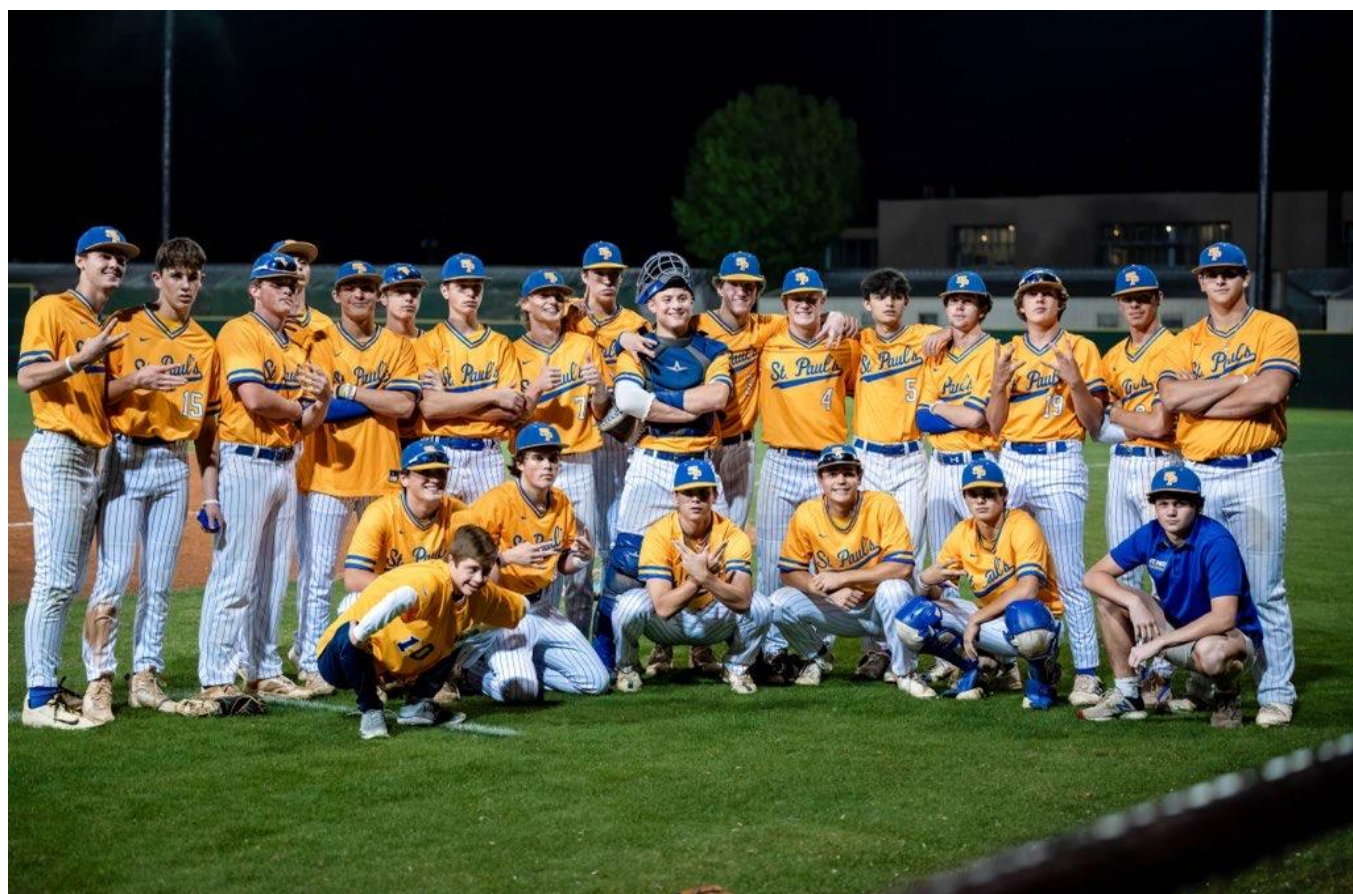
Left: Mr. Ramon, Campus Minister, leads the school in prayer prior to the Mandatum.

Below: Student Council President, Ben Barousse, washes to feet of students and teachers during the ceremony.



BASEBALL: Congratulations to the varsity baseball wolves who won the district championship game last week beating Covington High 14-2 in a mercy-rule win! To reach the finals of the district tournament, St. Paul's first defeated Northshore 2-1 and then won again by the same score over Mandeville High. Now on to playoffs!

Below: Saint Paul's Varsity team following their 14-2 victory over Covington High.



BASKETBALL HONORS: Congratulations Reece Seichshnaydre who was named to the All St. Tammany Basketball Team by the St. Tammany Farmer.

Reece Seichshnaydre, St. Paul's, Senior

- First-team District 6-5A selection.
- Averaged 19.3 points, 8.5 rebounds, 4.5 assists and 2.9 steals per game.

SUMMER CAMPS: Summer sports camp registration is now open. Please help us get the word out regarding our quality athletic programs for boys ages 8-14:

<https://www.stpauls.com/student-life/summer-camp/>.



MU-ALPHA-THETA: Before the Easter break the Fighting Math Wolves attended the State Mu Alpha Theta convention. Here are the results as provided by Mrs. Susan Jordan.

26 Total schools

600+ Total students

No divisions. SPS brought 16 students in comparison to the magnet schools and Baton Rouge schools which each brought between 40-70 students each.

Area Tests and Results:

Algebra 2 -- Perrin Duhe - 20th place (approximately 100 students took this test)

Trig--Joey Mire- 2nd place (approximately 120 students took this test) Joey did not miss any questions, the student that earned 1st finished a minute or so before him.

Calculus B--Peter Verges - 8th

Potpourri--mixed math problems and puzzles, no calculus

6th - Sean Roberts 8th - Connor Dodson

Functions--2nd - Jack Hadskey

Games:

Descartes -- Joey Mire -- 8th place

Gemini--Jacob Revere and Claude Scarpelli - 4th place

Interschool--

Theta (algebra 2) - 10th

Alpha (adv math and trig) - 9th

Mu (calculus) - 9th

The boys were so well-behaved!!

Thanks to math teachers Mrs. Jordan and Ms. Baudoin who accompanied the boys and congratulations to all participants and winners.

Below: Mu Alpha Theta competitors celebrate their achievements at the convention.



LUNCH DROP-OFF (there is no such thing): For the safety of everyone on campus we insist that you do not pull onto campus to drop off lunch for your son. This is against school policy. We do not allow ANYTHING at ANYTIME to be dropped off without checking into the office first. If your son forgets his lunch and needs to purchase a cafeteria meal, have him see me if he needs to borrow a few bucks for a meal.

KHAN ACADEMY: A great New Year's Resolution! Preparation for success in classes and on standardized testing is a marathon, not a sprint. DAILY practice is ideal, starting in 8th grade. MANY materials (often free!) are available. Here is a good one: the Khan Academy. Khan Academy has a wealth of free prep in various subjects from math to social studies to standardized and AP testing. It grows each year and has turned into an incredible free resource. Encourage your sons to use it regularly. Here is the link:

<https://www.khanacademy.org/>

CRAWFISH COOK-OFF: The Crawfish Cook-off is a charitable event presented by Saint Paul's Alumni Association. The purpose of this event is to raise funds for both Hope House of Saint Tammany and Saint Paul's Alumni Association while providing an entertaining event for all to enjoy. It allows for a good-natured competition for those in the community who wish to prove they cook the best boiled crawfish!

Our next event is scheduled for this Saturday, April 22, 2023, from 1:00 to 6:00 pm on Saint Paul's beautiful campus in conjunction with Reunion Weekend. Please contact Al Nastasi, Alumni Director, at 985-892-3200 ext 1971 for more information.



BOOK STORE: All school supplies will be available for purchase, as well as St. Paul's apparel.
Hours?

- M – F: 7:30 am - 8:15 am and 11:15 – 12:45
- By appointment. Email spsbookstore16@gmail.com
- All proceeds from the bookstore are used for the benefit of our students!

ATTENDANCE: Please follow all SPS attendance regulations in the Student-Parent Handbook and make Mrs. Suzy's job as easy as possible. Thank you for your cooperation. The State of Louisiana limits the number of days a student may miss and still receive credit. Saint Paul's adheres to these regulations. **Please do not allow your sons to miss school for less than very serious reasons.**



DECISION DAY:
Ethan, Peter, and
Kilian celebrate
college decision day.
In the La Salle Hall
courtyard.

AFTER SCHOOL: The Library remains open to students until 4 pm. If your son is looking for a comfortable place to wait for his ride and get a jump on his homework, this is a good option for him.



PLTW: Did you know that St. Paul’s uses the Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Gateway curriculum as our 8th Grade Science class? Units include Automation and Robotics, Science of Technology (where students learn about how science principles fit into technology, labs like oil spill, ice cream lab, making glue, and nanotechnology), Medical Detectives and Flight and Space. Mr. Orphys and Mrs. Beck each teach two units, one per quarter.

Beginning in the ninth grade our students can choose between three PLTW multi-year programs offered at St. Paul’s. All three programs, Computer Science, Engineering, and Biomedical Sciences have been designated as Distinguished Programs by PLTW.



***PLTW Medical Detectives Class:**
Pre-freshmen, Isaac, Reece, Jackson,
Colton and Zachary learn about brain
anatomy by dissecting a sheep’s
brain.*

STUFF THE BUS: Thanks to all who helped us STUFF THE BUS! Every year the eastern St. Tammany Catholic schools collaborate to “Stuff the Bus” with food items for the Northshore Food Bank. These items go a long way to helping the Food Bank get through the summer months when food-insecure children typically do not have access to school lunches. St. Paul’s sends a bus(es) to the other campuses to pick up their donations. Over the past couple of years, we have actually stuffed TWO busloads of food which our boys help unload at the Food Bank. This year we did it again! Special thanks to Mr. Gibbe and his PE classes who helped load and unload the busses and to Mr. Dickens and Mr. Pierre who drove to the other schools to pick up their donations.

NEW PRINCIPAL AT OUR LADY OF THE LAKE: We extend our thanks and congratulations to Mr. Frank Smith who retired this year after 18 years of service at Our Lady of the Lake School. During his tenure, Mr. Smith guided OLL to many outstanding achievements. We also congratulate Mrs. Vida Dickens, wife of our own Mr. Joe Dickens, who was named to replace Mr. Smith as principal of OLL. The Dickens now become a two-principal family! We wish them both many years of successful leadership.



CALENDAR FOR SPRING SEMESTER:

- Wed-Fri, Apr 26 – 28 Senior Final Exams
- Thurs, May 11 Pre-Freshmen Promotion Ceremony (6:30)
- Sat, May 13 Senior Graduation (4 pm) in the BAC
- Thurs – Tues, May 18-23 Final Exams for Grades 9 - 11
- Wed, May 24 Conflict/Makeup Exam Day
- Thurs, May 25 Conflict/Makeup Exam Day/Faculty Records Day

WRESTLING: Congratulations to Coach Jessy Kellum who was recently named to the State Powerlifting Hall of Fame. From the NOLA.com article:

“Do what you love, and you’ll never work a day in your life. Never have those words rang more true than for St. Paul’s powerlifting coach Jesse Kellum. The 56-year-old has coached powerlifting at St. Paul’s for 15 years, racking up three team state crowns and helping guide more than 40 individual state champions. Now, he’s getting a little recognition of his own.”

Pictured Below: Coach Jessy with his son, 4-time state champion Joshua.



SOCCER: Congratulations to the following soccer wolves who were recently named to the All-Parish Team by the St. Tammany Farmer:

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Owen Spath, Midfielder, St. Paul’s, Junior

District 5-I first-team selection.

Led the team with 20 goals and 13 assists.

Named Most Outstanding Player in the Division I state championship match.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Lucas Piazza, Defender, St. Paul’s, Senior

District 5-I Defensive MVP.

Led the Wolves defense that allowed 13 goals with 18 shutouts.

Brennan LeBlanc, Midfielder, St. Paul’s, Senior

District 5-I MVP and Spring Hill commit.

Was a key facilitator in the midfield, finishing with 12 goals and 12 assists.

Max Pellegrini, Midfielder, St. Paul’s, Senior

District 5-I first-team selection.

A two-year starter who didn’t miss a match for a Wolves team that allowed 13 goals with 18 shutouts.

Daniel Wayert, Forward, St. Paul’s, Senior

District 5-I second-team selection and Franciscan University commit.

Finished second on the team with 17 goals for the state champions.



And to Coach Moser,
COACH OF THE YEAR
Sean Moser, St. Paul's

Guided the Wolves to a 24-2-4 record and the Division I state championship.
Continued an impressive streak of 12 state championship appearances in the past 14 seasons as St. Paul's captured its eighth state title during that span.

CAMPUS UPDATE: Work is almost complete on the renovation of the 118-year-old Theater Building, the only remaining original structure on campus. Did you know that this building was originally a gym, built by then Dixon Academy? In those days basketball gymnasiums did not have established dimensions or shapes. So, the Odeon, as it was then known, served as the first gym when Dixon Academy, purchased by the monks of St. Joseph Abby, became St. Paul's College in 1911. In 1914 St. Paul's defeated LSU in this building! The annex to the side, now a classroom, was originally an indoor pool. Brother Ray likes to say that "it was the PAC of its time".

When I was a student at St. Paul's the building was known as L5, meaning Large Classroom #5. It hosted lectures given by teachers to a whole level once a week when St. Paul's followed what was known as Modular Schedules. A whole generation of SPS graduates continue to call it by this name.

Current renovations to the building include substantial shoring work to the basement (yes, basement) and foundation, waterproofing the masonry, electrical and plumbing upgrades, a complete paint job, a new roof, added insulation for improved efficiency, and sealing openings to keep out bats. I hope the current renovations will help L5 last another 118 years!

Left: Work continues on the theater building with roofers adding insulation and a new roof.



ANNUAL APPEAL: Many thanks to those who have responded. For clarity, I offer the following: · Almost all private schools conduct annual funds; many are high-pressure; ours is not – but I need your support to keep it from being high-pressure. · The Annual Fund funds tactical, short-term projects, e.g., technology, special programs, etc. The Capital Campaign funds large infrastructure projects (the \$4 million La Salle Hall renovation, the \$4.5 million new gym, the \$4 million Benilde Hall renovation and now the \$2.5 million music building.)

- · You may “pledge” your gift and pay later or in installments (monthly, etc.). More and more families are using automatic credit card monthly payments of \$10 or \$20 dollars.
WONDERFUL!
- · Gifts of stock are welcome.
- · No gift is too small. I repeat: no gift is too small! What’s important is that everyone participates. Of course, no gift is too large!
- · If you are contributing to the Capital Campaign or supporting SPS in some other way, I understand! Thank you for your generosity. Can you send \$10 to the Annual Fund to increase participation?
- · Please consider helping if you have not already done so and are in a position to do so.
Many thanks!

Below: Roofers rush to complete the roof before students return following Easter break.



ANNUAL APPEAL AND GRANDPARENTS: We are blessed with many supportive grandparents. Many schools solicit donations from grandparents directly. Again, I do it differently than other schools that directly solicit grandparents. I ask that you inform your son's grandparents or, if you want, I'll be happy to send them the information directly if you wish. Just provide me with the information. I do not want to ask grandparents without your consent but we need their support. I have already received a number of grandparent gifts. Again, no gift is too small – and, of course, no gift is too large.

DRIVING: I call the following to your attention:

Please watch for Paula and other fowl as you drive through campus!

- **Driver's License Requirement:** You need TWO of these: one when your son applies for his learner's permit and ANOTHER when he goes for his permanent license. Several parents have been turned away, not knowing they needed another form. Don't blame me! This is a legislative action.

- **Safe Driving:** Parents –let's set an example for the students! Students – the neighbors are watching (and filming!) and we will take action! This applies at all times: after school, after practice, on weekends, at games, etc. Please obey the traffic laws: speed

limit, no tailgating, no texting while driving, no cell phone use during school zone hours, buckle up, etc. Thank you!

● **School Zone Cell Phone Ban:** It is illegal to use a cell phone in a school zone while driving. I see some students and parents driving in the morning and using a cell phone. This sets a bad example – and is illegal. Please do not drive on campus during school zone hours while using a cell phone.



Above: Paula, campus peahen, visits Brother Ray and the retirement community each morning. The cooks feed her breakfast before she heads to the cafeteria to await lunch treats from the boys.

HELPING SAINT PAUL'S: Don't forget – here are painless ways to help:

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

LOST & FOUND: Lunch boxes, uniform shirts, books, shoes – all sorts of things are being

left behind on campus – almost all with no names on them. Stress with your sons to keep track of his belongings. Putting his name on items helps, too. Lost & Found cabinet is located outside the Attendance Office.

FREE BAND/ATHLETIC PHYSICALS: Free Athletic/Band physicals are scheduled for 7:30 am on May 6th at **AVALA Ortho, 1200 Pinnacle Parkway, Covington, LA.** A current physical is required for all athletes and band members. Contact Ms. Claire for more information clairec@stpauls.com

TUTORING: Tutoring offered by National Honor Society members is underway and occurs every day at lunch in Mrs. Pool's room in La Salle Hall for the remainder of the school year. All students are welcome to utilize this free tutoring service. Essay proofreading services are also provided. It is not embarrassing to go for tutoring! NHS members have been working with peers since August!

UNIFORM SHIRTS: We have a large number of pre-owned uniform shirts in good condition if your son has outgrown his and purchasing new ones is difficult for you. Just come to the Admin Bldg. Nothing will be done to embarrass your son. We also have khaki pants available – all for the taking.

SLOW YOUR ROLL: Please follow the posted school zone speed signs and do not use cellphones in school zones.



PROFILE OF A SAINT PAUL’S ALUMNUS: A few years ago, then Assistant Principal Mr. Dickens lead the effort to compose the following Profile of a Saint Paul’s Alumnus. It’s worth a look. We hope you agree that this is what we hope for your sons upon graduation.



Profile of a Saint Paul's Alumnus

The Saint Paul's alumnus lives the Five Core Principles which are the cornerstone of Lasallian Education:

- Quality Education
- Concern for the Poor and Social Justice
- Inclusive Community
- Respect for All Persons
- Faith in the Presence of God

The Saint Paul's alumnus has garnered educational experiences that will help him move more seamlessly into adulthood. Because he understands that learning never ceases, he will continue to grow intellectually throughout his life.

The Saint Paul's alumnus understands service to his community and beyond. He willingly gives his time for the betterment of others, namely the marginalized. Furthermore, he champions social justice because he believes in the dignity of all persons.

The Saint Paul's alumnus advocates for equity and equality to encourage building a community that is unapologetically inclusive.

The Saint Paul's alumnus looks at the world and its citizens through an unbiased lens. He is respectful of all persons and sees the unity that must exist in diversity.

The Saint Paul's alumnus has grown in his faith and models not only being a disciple of Christ but also a Lasallian who understands the never-ending spiritual journey that he has just begun. He will always acknowledge and celebrate the Holy Presence of God.

All in all, the Saint Paul's alumnus is a Lasallian man of faith who embodies the Five Core Principles and continues to mature intellectually, spiritually, and morally beyond commencement and habitually exhibits integrity and dependability as he does the ordinary extraordinarily well.

THE LAST WORD:

We are not alone in this work as parents and teachers.

From the First Meditation for the Time of Retreat | Saint John Baptist de La Salle

“We cannot be instructed in the mysteries of our holy religion unless we have the good fortune to hear about them, and we cannot have this advantage unless someone preaches the word of God. For how can people believe in someone, the Apostle says, about whom they have not heard anyone speak, and how can they hear him spoken about if no one proclaims him to them?”

This is what God does by diffusing the fragrance of his teaching throughout the whole world by human ministers. Just as he commanded light to shine out of darkness, so he kindles a light in the hearts of those destined to announce his word to children, so that they may be able to enlighten those children by unveiling for them the glory of God.

Because God in his mercy has given you such a ministry, do not falsify his word, but gain glory before him by unveiling his truth to those whom you are charged to instruct. Let this be your whole effort in the instructions you give them, looking upon yourselves as the ministers of God and the dispensers of his mysteries.”

By these words De La Salle meant to animate and motivate the early Brothers in their work with their students. He reminded them that they were not just subject matter teachers. Rather, their work was much loftier. They were also to “enlighten those children by unveiling for them the glory of God”.

As part of the Saint Paul’s family we are all part of De La Salle’s vision of the “someone who preaches the word of God”. As members of the adult community in a Lasallian school we, teachers and parents, are expected to join in this cause. At times this effort is counter cultural and difficult. It can seem like we are swimming against the tide. But, you should know that we are not alone.

Saint Paul’s is just one of over 1000 other educational ministries around the world in this noble work. Founded by St. John Baptist de La Salle in 17th century France, the Institute of the Brothers today consists of approximately 4,000 Brothers and 90,000 Partners who serve nearly 1,000,000 students and families located in 80 countries. The Brothers of the Christian Schools is the largest religious order of Brothers in the Church dedicated solely to the mission of Christian education.

Know that we are joined by millions of current and former members of the greater Lasallian family around the world who are “dispensers of His mysteries”. I hope you take courage in your work as parents, as we do in our work as Lasallian teachers, knowing that you are not alone.

If I may be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Live Jesus in our Hearts.....Forever!

Trevor Watkins, AFSC



Next Year's Calendar:

Saint Paul's School 2023 - 2024 Calendar

Fri - Mon, Aug 4 & 7	Teacher Meetings
Tues, Aug 8	Teacher Prep Day
Wed, Aug 9	School Opens with full day of instruction
Mon, Aug 21	New Parent Reception and Information Meeting (6:30)
Thu, Aug 24	Senior March through the Arch, Breakfast, Unity Day, Ring Day
Fri, Aug 25	Senior Ring Holiday
Mon, Aug 28	Parent – Teacher Mini Schedule Night (6:30)
Mon, Sep 04	Labor Day Holiday
Fri, Oct 06	Fall Break Holiday
Fri, Oct 13	End of First Quarter; 11:00 am dismissal
Fri., Oct 13	Grandparent Day (11:30 – 1:00)
Mon, Oct 23	Parent-Teacher Conferences 5-7
Sat, Oct 28	Prospective Student Open House (1 – 3 pm)
Mon, Nov 06	Archdiocesan Formation Day (no classes for students) (tentative)
Mon-Fri, Nov 20 - 24	Thanksgiving Holidays
Mon, Nov 27	Classes resume from Thanksgiving Holiday
Fri - Wed, Dec 15-20	Semester Exams
Wed, Dec 20	Christmas Holidays begin at 11:45 following exams
Wed, Jan 03	Classes resume & Second Semester begins
Mon, Jan 15	Martin Luther King Holiday
Mon, Feb 05	Parent-Teacher Conferences 5-7 pm
Fri, Feb 09	Faculty Retreat Day (no classes for students)
Mon-Fri, Feb 12 -16	Mardi Gras / Beginning of Lent Holidays
Mon, Feb 19	Classes resume
Fri, Mar 8	End of Third Quarter
Fri – Fri, Mar 29 – Apr 05	Easter Holidays
Mon, Apr 08	Classes resume from Easter Holidays
Mon-Thu, Apr 29 – May 02	Senior Final Exams
Thu, May 16	Pre-freshmen Promotion Ceremony (6:30 pm)
Sat, May 18	Senior Graduation (4 pm)
Fri – Wed, May 17 - 22	Final Exams for Grades 9 - 11
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In case of emergency closings, student make-up days will be taken from scheduled holidays. Please do not schedule vacations during school time.