



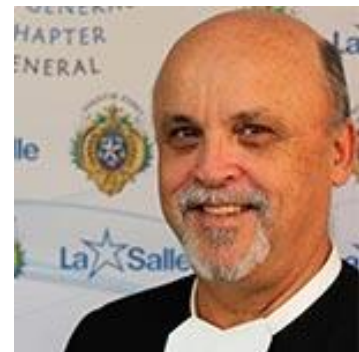
The SPS President's Newsletter
Celebrating 112 years of educational excellence in Covington
343 years of Lasallian tradition throughout the world
April 15-21, 2024



Dear Parents,

When I write my weekly newsletters I often begin by referencing what Brother Ray wrote on this date in years past. As you know, sometimes I copy his words, sometimes I paraphrase his thoughts, and sometimes I just write something of my own. This is one of those “copy his words” occasions. He wrote it six weeks after we had gone into lockdown during the pandemic in 2020. I think his words are still relevant today.

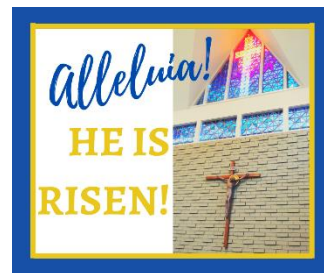
“We are told to have Easter joy – but right now, a lot of us aren’t feeling very joyful. So, to help move us in the direction I will again offer words, written several years ago, from Brother Robert Schieler, Superior General of the Brothers of the Christian Schools. His words merit another reading, especially those I boldfaced and especially in these challenging times:



Brother Bob Schieler,
Former Superior General

- *Our Easter joy springs from the sure hope that we, too, will live forever.*
- *The resurrection and the promise of eternal life are the clearest signs of God’s merciful actions for us.*
- *As ambassadors of Jesus Christ, how can we effectively manifest God’s mercy to our sisters and brothers who, with us, live in a world characterized by war, torture, terrorism, epidemics, starving children, rejected refugees, mistreated migrants, relationship-blocking walls and natural disasters?*
- ***We must help others to experience God’s mercy through our concrete and personal merciful actions.***
- ***Lasallians are called to touch hearts with the mercy of God. We, like Pope Francis, must build bridges of understanding and tear down walls of intolerance and exclusion.***
- ***We must be women and men characterized by tenderness, friendliness, forgiveness, educational excellence and a practical concern for the well-being of our sisters and brothers who suffer from injustice, exclusion, war, anxiety about the future and lack of educational opportunity.***

- *We have to be convinced that all those whom we encounter will experience God's mercy and the joy of Easter when they encounter these qualities through us – merciful ministers of God.*



Let us commit ourselves to accepting Easter's grace to be "merciful ministers of God" – now, more than ever, in these unprecedented times! And if we do, that will indeed be a cause for joy!

Alleluia! He is risen!

THIS WEEK AT SAINT PAUL'S

Sunday, April 14

- 3rd Sunday of Easter

Monday, April 15 BCDE

- Stuff the Bus for Northshore Food Bank-Peanut Butter is requested
- Golf-District Tournament-English Turn Country Club

Tuesday, April 16 FGAB Pack Time-Last for Seniors

- Stuff the Bus
- V Lacrosse @ Archbishop Shaw-7p

Wednesday, April 17 CDEF

- Stuff the Bus
- V Outdoor Track & Field District Meet @ Fontainebleau High School

Thursday, April 18 GABC Snack Day

- Stuff the Bus
- Spongebob Squarepants The Musical-Saint Paul's Theater-7p

Friday, April 19 DEFG

- Stuff the Bus
- Spongebob Squarepants The Musical-Saint Paul's Theater-7p

Saturday, April 20 ABCD

- 13th Annual Crawfish Cookoff 1p-7p Saint Paul's Campus
- Spongebob Squarepants The Musical-Saint Paul's Theater-7p
- Rugby A & B side- A v East Jefferson @ Noon followed by B side v Jesuit @ Marconi Ave. Fields, New Orleans

THIS DAY IN HISTORY:

Thursday, April 18 TDIH: Albert Einstein, one of the world's most brilliant scientists, died on this day in 1955. Two worthwhile quotes from Albert: "When I see the Cosmos, I can't help but believe that there is a Divine Hand behind it all." And "Only a life lived for others is worthwhile."

Sat, Apr 20 TDIH: In 1999, Columbine High School Tragedy occurs. Remain vigilant and reinforce the need for students to report any threat immediately. On this anniversary of Columbine, I invite all to pray: Heavenly Father, fill all schools with Your Holy Spirit. May Your grace and power keep schools safe and eliminate such problems as alcohol, drugs, guns, pornography, violence, depression, and disrespect for life. Turn the hearts of students toward You. Open their eyes, hearts and minds that they may see what is really important in life. Dissipate the anger in all who lash out at others, bullying them or ridiculing them. Touch the hearts of those tempted to solve problems through violence. Make our schools safe harbors, with atmospheres that encourage all to live your Law of Love. Infuse wisdom, vigilance, caring, compassion, and understanding in teachers. Help administrators make just and wise decisions. Help everyone to spread the message that You are with us always and everywhere -- and that only You have the answer to the problems we face. Amen.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

ANNUAL APPEAL: (OK, I promise to stop asking soon!) A couple of months ago, you received the Saint Paul's Advancement Review which contained the President's Annual Educational Fund Report. Many thanks to those who responded to the appeal. We invite you to review the listed businesses and individuals who generously supported Saint Paul's last year. Your support is essential to the continued quality of our offerings to our students and support of our faculty.

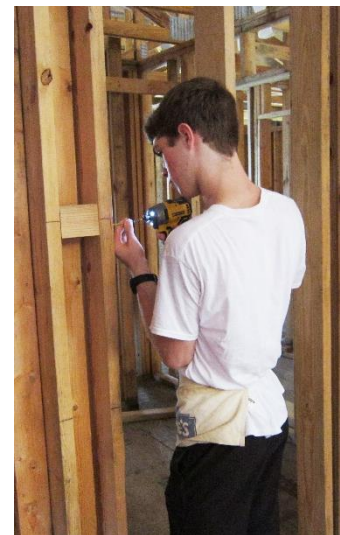
This year we invite you to continue or even increase your contributions to the Annual Appeal. If you did not contribute last year, I humbly request that you consider donating. For clarity, I offer the following:

- Almost **all private schools conduct annual campaigns**; many are high pressured; ours is not – but we request your support to keep it from being high pressured.
- Your annual gift supports tactical, short term projects, e.g., technology, special programs, STEM equipment and supplies, unique one-time academic needs, teacher formation and professional development, minor campus upgrades and renovations, student activities, etc. - in short, the necessary resources to ensure a superior education and first-class facilities for our students. A partial list of the items funded in the past two years include:

- Kiln installation in Art Room
 - Wolves on Wheels funding
 - Stadium press box repairs
 - Landscaping
 - Chapel pew refinishing
 - Travel expenses for several clubs
 - Supplemental Funding for Student Clubs
 - Trophy cases in new gym
 - Carpentry Shop tools
 - Presentation and monitor TVs in classrooms
 - Outdoor furniture in break areas
 - Security fencing and cameras
 - Classroom technology
 - Instruments for new music class offerings
 - Bat removal from various buildings (Yes, removing bat colonies!)
 - Chapel HVAC replacement
 - Teacher Professional Development and Lasallian Formation
 - Student and Teacher computer upgrades
 - Repaving of De La Salle Drive
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- The Capital Campaign (more on this later) provides resources to expand and improve 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 Hall.)
 - 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, \$20, or more dollars. GREAT!
 - Gifts of stock are welcome.



Above: Faculty and Staff at Lasallian Formation



Above: Student at Work on a Habitat for Humanity House

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 financially supporting SPS in some other way, I understand! Thank you for your generosity. Will you send \$10 to the Annual Fund so I can show an increase in participation?
- Please consider helping if you have not already done so and are in a position to do so.
- Please also consider asking friends or family who may be in a position to help. **Thank you!**

ANNUAL APPEAL AND GRANDPARENTS: We are blessed with many supportive grandparents. Many schools solicit donations from grandparents directly. Again, we do it differently than other schools that directly solicit grandparents. We ask that you inform your son's grandparents or, if you want, we'll be happy to send them the information directly if you wish. Just provide me with the information. **We 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.

BROTHER RAY MEMORIAL: Many ask what has become of the donations to the Brother Ray Memorial Fund. The short answer is that nothing has happened yet but it continues to grow as people continue to donate. I humbly suggest that a portion of the fund should be dedicated to the purchase and proper placement of a statue of Saint Joseph somewhere on the Saint Paul's campus. And, that this statue of Saint Joseph be dedicated to Brother Ray, both to honor the Institute of the Brothers and Brother Ray in particular. Thanks to those who have agreed to be part of the memorial committee. After Easter I will gather the group to begin planning.

SOLAR ECLIPSE: Regrettably our local viewing of the solar eclipse was obscured by the cloudy weather. However, this reminder of the last eclipse was sent to me. I thought you might enjoy. Can you tell who these four are?



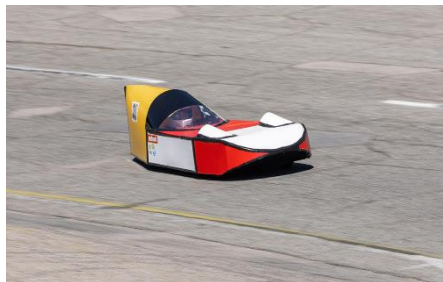
GATOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:

The Louisiana GATOR Scholarship Program will provide Education Scholarship Accounts that allow customizable options for parents to fund their child's education. These scholarships can be used for school tuition and fees, tutoring, educational therapies, textbooks and curriculum, dual enrollment courses, uniforms, and transportation. We encourage you to ask your legislator to pass this bill, empowering Louisiana's parents with the freedom to direct the education of their children. Use the link below:

[Ask Your Legislators to Vote Yes for the Louisiana GATOR Scholarship Program!](http://actnow.io)
actnow.io

Please consider this request from the Archdiocese! The GATOR program can help all Catholic school families that participate!

WOLVES ON WHEELS: On April 6, 2024, Saint Paul's Electric Car Racing Team (Wolves on Wheels) traveled to Five Flags Speedway - Pensacola, Florida. The team competed in the Electrathon America-sanctioned race. The Wolves took 1st and 2nd place in the High School Advanced Battery Division. The team consisted of (Juniors) Jake Fontenot and Seth Fontenot and (Seniors) Alex Klemp and Bennet Barreca (pictured below). The Wolves performed in an exemplary manner overcoming mechanical issues to take the top 2 spots. Our extended thanks to adult team members Geoff Philippus, Cody Fontenot, and John Carambat.



Wolves on Wheels is a student-centered organization that provides hands-on opportunities to learn about STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) as students design and build electric vehicles for competition and/or personal projects. Wolves on Wheel's goal is to engage creativity, collaboration, critical thinking, problem-solving, and communication.



MUSIC DEPARTMENT PERFORMANCES: Just in case you did not get enough of the Saint Paul's Music program during Mardi Gras, the following is a list of upcoming performances by the various Saint Paul's ensembles:

April 18th Bill Evans Jazz festival (Big band and combo back to back 9am at Southeastern)
April 20th Crawfish Boil (Combo, Big Band, Rock Class, and My band "the Movers" from 1-6pm)
April 25th Covington Concert Band in the Briggs (free admission. 7:30pm)
April 27th St. Paul's Spring concert (Combo, Big band, Percussion, and concert band, maybe others 2pm)
May 8th Recital concert in the Music Hall (Various individual/group performances)
May 17th Wolf Jam (Rock class and various groups, 5-9pm)

ACCOUNTANT NEEDED: The Saint Paul's Finance Office is looking for an additional assistant. You must have an accounting degree and at least 2 years accounting experience. If you are interested, please contact our CFO Jo Sutherlin at jsutherlin@stpauls.com or 985-892-3200 (x1905).

CUSTODIAN NEEDED: The Saint Paul's Retired Brothers' Community seeks to fill a custodial position for their residence. 18 hours/week; Mon. – Fri. Call 985-892-3200 ext. 1974

ADMISSIONS FOR 2024-25: We are extremely pleased with the number of applicants for next year! And, we continue to receive more applicants! Thanks to all who helped make this happen. Thanks also for spreading the good news about Lasallian education at Saint Paul's School! Congratulations to all future Wolves!

2024 - 2025 CALENDAR: The 2024-25 School Calendar has been posted. You can find it at the end of this newsletter. Please refer to this calendar when making vacation or other plans. Thanks.

ACT PERFECT SCORES: Congratulations to the following juniors and seniors who have earned a perfect score on their ACT tests so far this year. We will add names as new tests are taken and scores are reported.

December 9th ACT 2023
2025 (juniors)

Patrick Darrah—36 Reading
Perrin Duhe—36 English
Brady Myers—36 English
Owen Paddock—36 English
Carter Plaisance—36 Reading

February 10th ACT 2024

John Collings—36 Reading

Brady Myers—36 Reading

School Day ACT March 12th 2024 for 2025 (juniors)

Andrew Dodd—36 Reading
Sean Lenahan—36 composite! 36 Math; 36 English; 36 Reading
Owen Paddock—36 English

LEADERSHIP BREAKFAST: On Tuesday of this week the annual current and potential student leaders were invited to a breakfast in the Briggs Assembly Center. There they enjoyed a breakfast while listening to an inspirational talk by Mr. Monty Fontenot '84, former Saint Paul's teacher and basketball coach, former Head of School of Northlake Christian School, and current teacher and basketball coach at Covington High. Students were nominated for this event if their peers or teachers consider them to have demonstrated leadership qualities. They do not have to have an official position or title. Rather, they have to have shown leadership potential through their actions.



On Thursday these leaders were given a copy of “On Leadership, Essential Principles for Success,” a book written by noted physician and former President of the American Medical Association, Dr. Donald J. Palmisano. Saint Paul's School was dear to Dr. Palmisano as he studied here for several years as a resident student before eventually graduating from De La Salle High School in New Orleans. In his book (one of many he authored) he talks about the failures and successes of leadership and includes many personal anecdotes, many of them related to the Katrina Disaster. From this book our students will learn valuable lessons on leadership and get an insider's look at historical events surrounding Hurricane Katrina. Dr. Palmisano died last year, and at his request, his funeral was held in our school chapel.

NEW STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTED: Congratulations to the newly elected executive board of the Saint Paul's Student Council. These young men were introduced at the recent Year-In-Review Assembly.

*Incoming Board Members (right) are:
Eddie d'Hemecourt- President
Aaron Sieden- Vice President
Rhodes Hidalgo- Secretary
Drake Fielding- Philanthropy Coordinator*



And congratulations to the outgoing Executive Board Members. These young leaders did an outstanding job this year as evidenced by being named as a Council of Excellence. (see below)

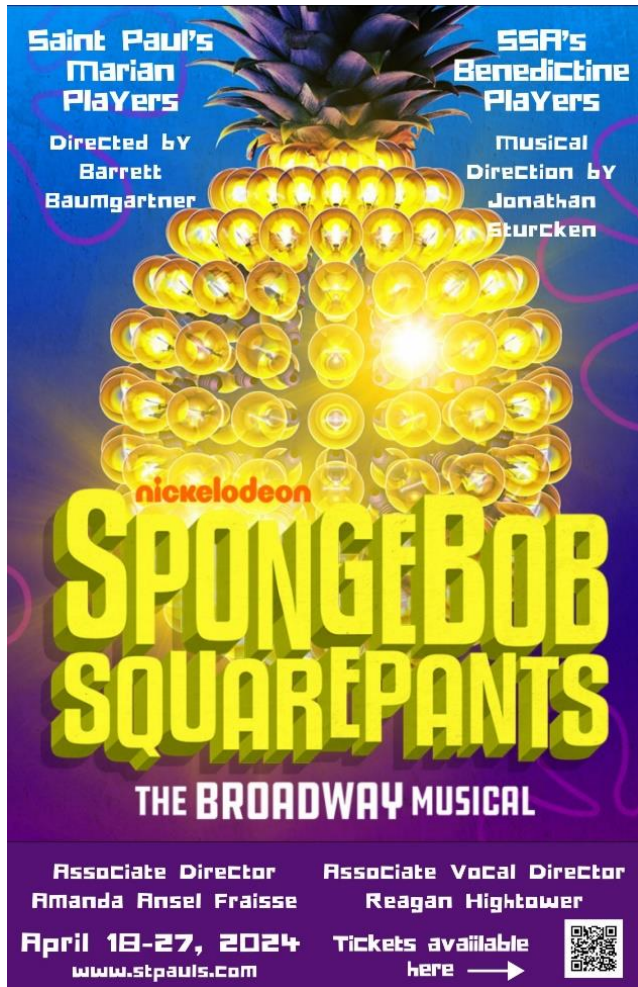
*Right: Outgoing board members:
Gunnar Gavel -President
Peyton Kilgore- Vice President
Eddie d'Hemecourt- Secretary
Kaiden Klebba- Philanthropy
Coordinator*



STUDENT COUNCIL RECOGNIZED AS A COUNCIL OF EXCELLENCE: Congratulations to the Saint Paul's Student Council which was named by the National Association of Student Councils (NASC) as a 2024 National Gold Council of Excellence! Winning the National Gold Council of Excellence Award is testament to the highest standards of quality, leadership, innovation, and community engagement that our council consistently demonstrates in its operation, and its projects and activities. NASC's National Gold Councils of Excellence are the models of quality for which other student councils nationwide should strive to become.

TREY HIGGINS WINS ELKS AWARD: Congratulations to senior Trey Higgins who won the Herbert Hostler Memorial Award and was selected as a Most Valuable Student in our local Elks lodge. Following this honor his application was then submitted to the state competition, which he also won! Trey was honored to be chosen among 500 students nationally as a semifinalist out of 21,000 initial applicants which led to being awarded a \$4000 scholarship. Unfortunately, he did not make the top 30, but we are very proud of his accomplishment.





MARIAN PLAYERS AND BENDICTINE PLAYERS PRESENT *SPONGEBOB*: This April, join the Marian Players of Saint Paul's in a joint production with our sister school, the Benedictine Players of Saint Scholastica Academy! Take a trip under the waves to Bikini Bottom, where a volcano will soon erupt, destroying everything around it. SpongeBob, Patrick, Sandy, and all their friends must find a way to come together and save their world. Featuring amazing songs from many different genres, this show will entertain you as it proves that sometimes, heroes can come from the most unexpected of places. Opening April 18, 2024. Tickets are available at <https://ticketpeak.co/saintpauls/events>.

MENTAL HEALTH CLUB: A group of SPS students interested in improving their overall well-being started the Wolves for Mental Health Club, which kicked off the week before Mardi Gras. The group meets every Wednesday at 6 p.m. in Benilde Hall. Students learn methods of self-improvement, practice techniques for dealing with stress and anxiety and have fun with their brothers. Meetings begin with snacks and socializing and end with games. The group meets monthly on Wednesday evenings. For more information contact Senior Shaun Cooney or Mrs. Kim Gardner.

SENIOR YEARBOOK ADS: Senior Parents, please do not forget to purchase a senior ad in the 2024 yearbook. This is a great way to leave a lasting message to your son(s). The due date for ads is May 15th. The ads can be purchased and created by going to yearbookforever.com Seniors do not need to purchase a yearbook as this is included in their senior fees paid at the beginning of the year.

13TH ANNUAL CRAWFISH COOKOFF: Time is short to secure your tickets to this fun and delicious event! For more information, please visit our event website at <https://www.spscco.com/> or contact Al Nastasi at 985-892-3200 ext 1971.



SUICIDE & CRISIS LIFELINE 988: On July 16, 2022, Louisiana joined the rest of the nation in launching 988, the new three-digit dialing code for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline to make it easier for people to receive assistance during a mental health crisis. When you call (multiple languages), text (English only) or chat 988, you will be connected to trained, compassionate crisis counselors who will listen to your concerns, provide support, and connect you with local resources. The chat feature is available through the Lifeline's [website](https://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/chat/) (www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/chat/). People can use 988 if they are having thoughts of suicide, mental health or substance use crises, or any other kind of emotional distress. People can also dial 988 if they are worried about a loved one who may need crisis support.



LOST AND FOUND: Now that Spring weather is upon us, the L&F closet is full of cold weather attire! Tell your son to look there for any misplaced or “stolen” items. The Lost and Found Closet is located under the outside stairs behind the large wall at Founder’s Circle. Lunch boxes, sweatshirts, PE uniforms, book bags, and sports equipment are some of the most frequent items “lost.” Misplaced phones, keys, ID cards, and electronics are handled by Mrs. Claire’s office.



SCHOOL ZONE DRIVING: Covington Public Works recently added School Zone sign at East Eleventh Avenue reminding drivers that the school zone speed limit is 15 MPH. For the safety of everyone, please respect the speed limits in the Saint Paul’s and all school zones!

STUFF THE BUS: Once again, the six Catholic school of Western St. Tammany have joined forces to “stuff a school bus” (guess whose?) with non-perishable items for the Northshore Food Bank. Thanks to our intrepid Joe Dickens for again “volunteering” to drive the bus – which will be stuffed.



BACK THE PACK
APRIL 15 - 19



HWY 190
COVINGTON &
MANDEVILLE



CHICK-FIL-A SENIOR FUND RAISER: It's Chick-fil-A Senior Spirit Week. Help us celebrate the Seniors and earn lunch for the Class of 2024. Say you support Saint Paul's when you order at Chick-fil-A Hwy 190 in Covington and Mandeville any time from April 15th through April 19th. The winning school will earn lunch for the Senior Class and 10% of Total School Orders. Carry-out not included.

SUMMER CAMPS: Registration is now open for all of our summer camps, including musical theater and STEM camps. [Check out the website](#) for information and registration. Space is limited. Contact Ms. Tammy Freeman for STEM camp information: t.freeman@stpauls.com. If you or someone you know wants to attend a camp at Saint Paul's this summer, please register early. Most camps fill to capacity very early!



2024 SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS



June 3-7: Basketball



June 10-14: Football



June 17-21: Baseball



June 24-28: Soccer



June 24-28: Strength



June 24-28: Golf



July 8-12: S.A.S
Speed, Agility, and Strength



July 15-19 - Wrestling



July 15-19 - Lacrosse



July 15-19 - Rugby

- All camps are staffed by the coaches and athletes that make up some of the top athletic programs in Louisiana!
- Camps run Monday - Friday, 9am-3pm at St. Paul's School, 917 South Jahncke Ave, Covington, LA
- Camps are open to all boys ages 8-14 Prior experience in a sport not necessary!
- All camps have limited enrollment numbers. Sign up early to reserve your spot!
- All SPS Sports Camps held on campus will have a resource officer on duty to ensure the safety of our campers.
- All camps cost \$240 for the week. Sibling discounts are available. A lunch option is available for \$35.
- To sign-up, go to: stpauls.com/student-life/summer-camp

Questions? Contact sportscamps@stpauls.com or (985) 778-9166

KEY CLUB AT WORK: Yesterday, Saturday, the Key Club was in action at the Community Garden where they built 15 rows for a future garden, installed a water fountain, built three tables, assembled a raised bed and programmed a weather detector. The boys did some great work to assist in the future food production for the West 30's community. Members: Alex Klemp, Perrin Duhe, Cooper Kelsie, Marcus Hidalgo, Lathan Harrell, Ethan Ward, Colin Ocman, Jacob Cresson and Morgan Garvey



SAINT PAUL'S STUDENTS AND TEACHER WIN BIG AT NATIONAL HISTORY DAY COMPETITION: Congratulations to our two teams and Mrs. Gardner who are off to Nationals this summer in Washington DC based on their outstanding performance at the History Day Competition on Saturday at the World War II Museum. Saint Paul's students competed against over 200 students from throughout Louisiana to earn these awards.

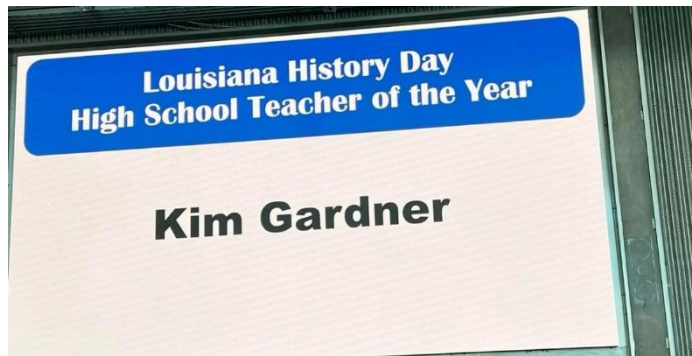
Andrew James, Will Herndon, Vincent Cruise, Sean Talbert are moving on to the National Competition for their Group Documentary "Turning the Tides of the War: The Higgins Boat." This team also won a special award "The Naval Order of the United States Award for Excellence in Naval or Maritime History."





Andrew Dodd, Trey Rather, Gray Cartier and Drake Fielding are also heading to Nationals for their group website: “The U.S. Army Air Corps Act of 1926: A Turning Point in History.”

And Kim Gardner won the Louisiana National History Day High School Teacher of the Year and will move on to the National competition as well.



SPORTS NEWS

RUGBY: Congratulations to the Saint Paul's Rugby for their 31-17 win over the Jesuit Blue Jays. The win places the Wolves in a three-way tie for first place. Trys were scored by Patrick Darrah, Nick Lowe, and two try's scored by Luke Cuccia. Connor O'Quinn scored 11 points off of conversions and a penalty kick.

The Rugby Wolves JV will play the Jesuit "B" next Saturday at 11:00 AM. The varsity will play the East Jefferson Warriors at 12:00 PM. Both games are at the New Orleans City Park Rugby pitch 6010 Marconi Blvd, in New Orleans.



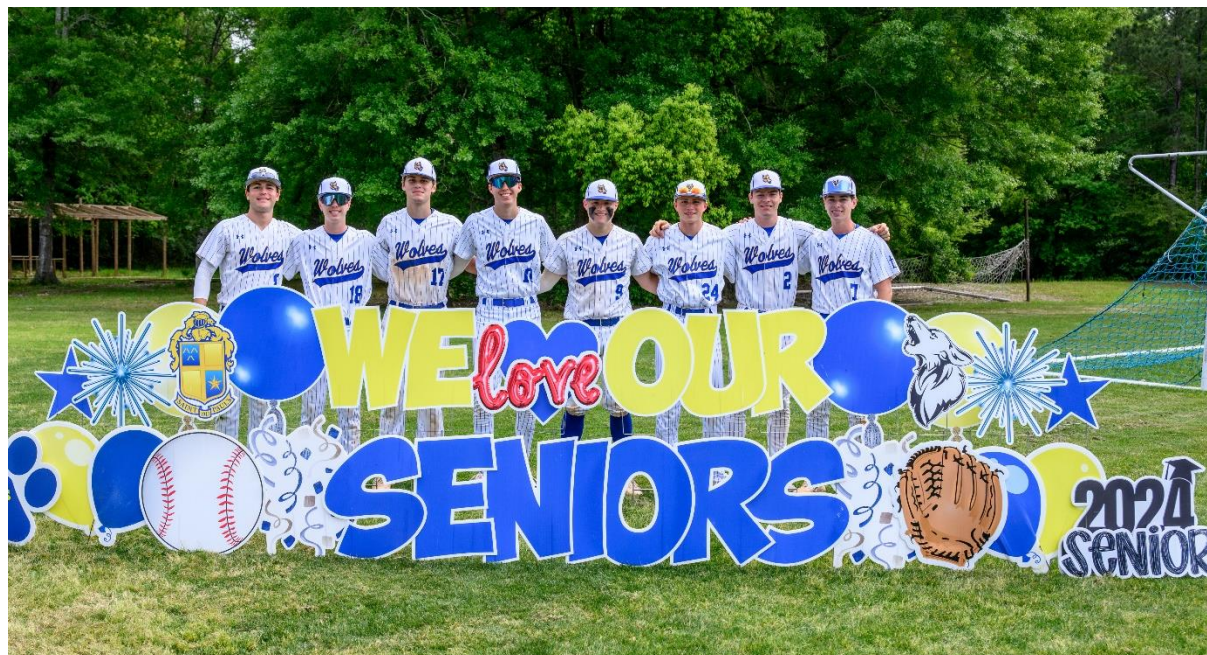
Six of our current ruggers were invited to the NOLA Gold Under 18 Academy Team tryouts on March 10, 2024. Four of them, Luke Cuccia, Connor O'Quinn, Sean Parker and Patrick Darrah, were chosen to the local Major League Rugby Team's Training Academy. These Saint Paul's ruggers will participate in three on-field trainings per month and several Zoom classroom sessions. The Academy will represent the NOLA Gold on in a tournament against other academies on June 13 -16th in Hendersonville, TN - put on by the Panther Rugby Academy. Good luck to these Wolf Ruggers.

GOLF: Good luck to Coach Barwick and John McWilliams, Grant Garcia, Ben Chiasson, Maerek Barberito, Nick Kelsey, Parker Church, Timothy Wolfe, Nathan Guillot, Bennett LaNasa, Sam Vitale, and Rylan Hess who will be competing on Monday in the District Golf Tournament at English Turn CC.

TRACK AND FIELD: Track and Field Wolves finished in 3rd place at the PHS Classic tune up meet before District. Best of luck at the District Meet this week.

BASEBALL:

Varsity: It was a busy week for the Wolves. We celebrated our Seniors/Coach Mick and competed in the District Tournament. The Wolves fell short and finished 4th in District.



Above: 2024 Seniors - James Hardwick, Lucas Newfield, Jack Theriot, John Montour, Cooper Winchester, Christian Russell, Braden Farizo, Marcus Newfield.

Fontainebleau - Class of 2024 Senior Day

Wolves win in fashion as *Cameron Caime* walks it off to grab the victory! (2-1)

Pitching was strong with the Wolves pitchers striking out 8. *Marcus Newfield* gave up 2 hits, 1 run (zero earned), striking out 7 with one walk over six innings. *Easton Leblanc* surrendered 1 hit and 0 runs over 1 inning.

Marcus Newfield 6.0IP; 2H; 0ER; 1BB; 7SO

Easton Leblanc 1.0IP; 1H; 0ER; 0BB; 1SO

Cooper Winchester 1-2, 1HR, 1RBI, 1BB, 1R; *Marcus Newfield* 1-3; 1R; *Cameron Caime* 1-3, 1RBI (walk-off) *Cody Corales* 1-3.



Cameron Caime at bat

Ponchatoula

Another victory for the Wolves at The Heap. (3-1) Wolves got on the board when *Cody Corales* hit a solo homerun to left field. *Jude Roberts* stole 2 bases & *Sammy St. Pierre* the number 7th hitter, led the team with 2 hits in 3 at-bats. Another strong outing on the bump for *Easton Leblanc* recording 6K's and *John Montour* saving the game on a K.

Easton Leblanc 6.0IP; 6H; 1ER; 2BB; 6SO

John Montour 0.2IP; 0H; 0ER; 0BB; 1SO

Cody Corales 1-3, 1HR, 1RBI, 1R; *Sammy*

St. Pierre 2-3, 1RBI; *Cooper Winchester* 1-2, 1RBI



Cooper Winchester blasts a HR

Mandeville

Wolves hit the road and fell to Mandeville despite an active day at the plate. (11-4)

Cooper Winchester drove in all 4 runs on 3 hits. Wolves scored 3 runs when *Cooper* blasted his 3rd Home Run to left field. Also, *Jude Roberts* collected 2 hits in 4 bats.

John Montour 4.0IP; 7H; 6ER; 2BB; 2SO

Brody Bouterie 1.2IP; 3H; 4ER; 1BB; 2SO

Reed Montgomery 0.1IP; 1H; 0ER; 1BB; 0SO

Cooper Winchester 3-4, 1HR, 4RBI, 1R; *Jude Roberts* 2-4, 1R; *Sammy St. Pierre* 1-1



Fontainebleau Wolves came up short with another loss. (5-0) *James Hardwick*, *Marcus Newfield*, *Cooper Winchester*, *Cody Corales*, *Easton Leblanc*, *Sammy St. Pierre* each collected one hit.

Marcus Newfield 4.2IP; 5H; 0ER; 4BB, 4SO

Andrew Innusa 0.1IP; 1H; 0ER; 1BB; 1SO

Jude Roberts 2.0IP; 0H; 0ER; 1BB, 3SO

Marcus Newfield 1-2; *James Hardwick* 1-1; *Easton Leblanc* 1-2, 1BB

Left: Cody Corales in the outfield

8th, 9th, and JV - Wrapped up their seasons & looking forward to Summer Ball.

Congratulations to the following players for being selected by the coaches to represent the Baseball Program at the Annual Leadership Breakfast:

John Montour, *Cooper Winchester*, *Graham Lang*, *John Marciante*, *William Olivier*, *Jude Reason*, *Logan Rosiere*, *Jackson Seal*, *Bradley Stucker*.

VOLLYBALL: Congratulations to the Volleyball Wolves who played Mandeville the week before Easter and won in straight sets, 25-18, 25- 22, 25-12. We will play again on Monday against Covington HS at Covington. Team members that participated were Jacob Strecker, Slate Dominique, Nick Kelsey, Kaiden Klebba, Shawn Cooney, Preston Olivier, Jackson Picone, and Dane Delaune.

LACROSSE: The Freshman Wolves closed their season with a busy week. On Thursday the Wolves beat Newman in Hunter Stadium. Then over the weekend, the Wolves beat Catholic 13-1, Brother Martin 5-1 and tied St. Thomas More 3-3 after what would have been the winning late goal by John Duffy was called off. The Wolves finished the season undefeated and look forward to continuing the strong tradition of St. Paul's Lacrosse into next season.



SCENES FROM THIS WEEK AT SCHOOL:

Leadership Breakfast in the Briggs Assembly Center



Left: Students enjoy Leadership Breakfast

Below: Mr. Al Nastasi, Alumni Director, reconnects with his old friend, Mr. Fontenot.



Left: Mrs. Case and her Student Council Leadership team serve breakfast.

Below: Invited student leaders listen to Mr. Monty Fontenot.





Above: Wolves on Wheels Team show off their projects at the shop.



Left: Patrick D'Hemecourt repairs an easel for the art department in the woodshop.

Right: Wolfnation's Annual March Madness Basketball Tournament came to an exciting end on Friday. The Sophomore Team of Caron Michel, Noah Vicknair, and Aiden Brooks came out on top of the 49-team bracket.





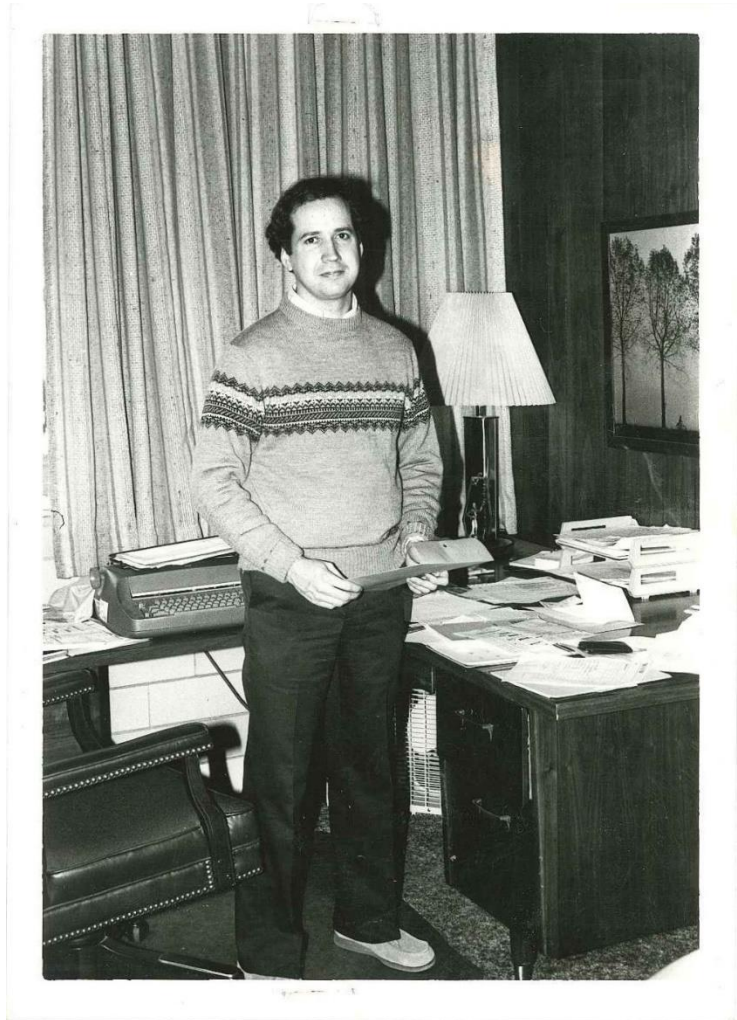
Above: The campus geese make their presence known at morning car line.

Right: Key Club at work at the Covington Community Garden.



FROM THE FILES: Each week the newsletter will include a few historical events or moments of Saint Paul's School (College) captured by photographers through the years.

Right: Just one this week: Brother Ray c.1983 in his Counseling Office.



A LOOK AHEAD:

April

- 23 – EFGA – Principal's Assembly (last for seniors)
- 26 – CDEF – Mass; Senior Exams (elective)
- 29 – GABC – Senior Exams (elective)
- 30 – DEFG – Senior Exams

May

- 1 – ABCD – Senior Exams
- 2 – EFGA – Senior Exams
- 3 – BCDE – Late start
- 7 – CDEF – Last Principal's Assembly
- 9 – DEFG – Academic Awards – dress uniform day
- 10 – ABCD – Athletic Awards; 8th Grade Exams
- 13 – EFGA – 8th Grade Exams
- 14 – BCDE – 8th Grade Exams
- 15 – FGAB – 8th Grade Exams/ Senior Grad Night
- 16 – CDEFG* – 8th Grade Promotion
- 17-22 – Final Exams
- 18 – Graduation
- 22 – Last Day of School – 11:30 Dismissal/ Faculty Luncheon

NEED MORE INFORMATION? For academic issues, contact teachers, counselors, Principal Joe Dickens (985)892-3200 Ext. 1920, Assistant Principal Lee Pierre Ext. 1942, or Curriculum Coordinator Matt Pinero Ext. 1982. For discipline, attendance, or dress code questions, call Dean of Students, Mr. Ken Sears, Ext. 1981. Finances? Call Mrs. Jo Sutherlin Ext. 1905 or me Ext. 1901. Athletics? Contact the coaches or Athletic Director, Mr. Sam Francis Ext. 1983. Naturally, call me, Trevor Watkins, if I can help. **My office phone is 985/892-3200, x 1901.**

Live Jesus in our Hearts...Forever!

Trevor C. Watkins, AFSC

President



Saint Paul's School 2023 - 2024 Calendar

Second Semester

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
Thu, May 23	Conflict/Makeup Exam Day
Fri, May 24	Conflict/Makeup Exam Day/Faculty Records Day

In case of emergency closings, student make-up days will be taken from scheduled holidays.
Please do not schedule vacations during school time.

Second Semester Period Rotation

April

15 – BCDE	6 – FGAB
16 – FGAB – Pack Time (last for seniors)	7 – CDEF – Last Principal's Assembly
17 – CDEF	8 – GABC
18 – GABC – Teacher Appreciation Lunch/ Snack Day	9 – DEFG – Academic Awards – dress uniform day
19 – DEFG – Class Level Elections	10 – ABCD – Athletic Awards; 8 th Grade Exams
22 – ABCD	13 – EFGA – 8 th Grade Exams
23 – EFGA – Principal's Assembly (last for seniors)	14 – BCDE – 8 th Grade Exams
24 – BCDE	15 – FGAB – 8 th Grade Exams/ Senior Grad Night
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26 – CDEF – Prayer Service; Senior Exams (elective)	17-22 – Final Exams
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Saint Paul's School 2024 - 2025 Calendar

Thu, Aug 1	Teacher Meetings
Fri, Aug 2	Archdiocesan Formation Day for teachers
Mon, 5	Teacher Meetings
Tues, Aug 6	Teacher Prep Day
Wed, Aug 7	School Opens with full day of instruction
Mon, Aug 19	New Parent Reception and Information Meeting (6:30)
Thu, Aug 22	Senior March through the Arch, Breakfast, Unity Day, Ring Day
Fri, Aug 23	Senior Ring Holiday
Mon, Aug 26	Parent-Teacher Mini Schedule Night (6:30)
Fri, Aug 30	N.O. Lasallian Convocation for Teachers (no classes for students)
Mon, Sep 2	Labor Day Holiday
Fri, Oct 4	Fall Break Holiday
Fri, Oct 11	End of First Quarter; 11:00 am dismissal
Fri., Oct 11	Grandparent Day (11:30 – 1:00)
Mon, Oct 21	Parent-Teacher Conferences 5-7
Sat, Nov 2	Prospective Student Open House (1 – 3 pm)
Mon-Fri, Nov 25 - 29	Thanksgiving Holidays
Mon, Dec 2	Classes resume from Thanksgiving Holiday
Mon - Thu, Dec 16-19	Semester Exams
Thu, Dec 19	Christmas Holidays begin at 11:45 following exams
Fri, Dec 20	Conflict/Makeup Exam Day/Faculty Records Day
Mon, Jan 6	Classes resume & Second Semester begins
Mon, Jan 20	Martin Luther King Holiday
Mon, Feb 3	Parent-Teacher Conferences 5-7 pm
Fri, Feb 28	Faculty Retreat Day (no classes for students)
Mon-Fri, Mar 3-7	Mardi Gras / Beginning of Lent Holidays
Mon, Mar 10	Classes resume
Fri, Mar 14	End of Third Quarter
Fri – Fri, Apr 18 – Apr 25	Easter Holidays
Mon, Apr 28	Classes resume from Easter Holidays
Mon-Thu, May 5 – May 8	Senior Final Exams
Thu, May 15	Pre-freshmen Promotion Ceremony (6:30 pm)
Sat, May 17	Senior Graduation (4 pm)
Mon – Thu, May 19 - 22	Final Exams for Grades 9 - 11
Fri, May 23	Conflict/Makeup Exam Day
Tues, May 27	Conflict/Makeup Exam Day/Faculty Records Day

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