

## Tuesday Tidbits

May 8, 2018

### Important Items:

- Exams (5/9-5/15)
- Muffins with Mom for Pre-K and K (5/11)

### Year End Pre-K Program

Pre-K students invited parents and guests to a special year end program last Friday. The students performed songs and dances to share all the wonderful lessons they have learned during the year including A,B,Cs, where to start the letter, and even an alphabet rap! Saint Ann School is so proud of our Eaglets!



### Important Dates:

Exams	5/9-5/15
Muffins with Mom (pre-K and K)	5/11
Donuts with Dad (pre-K and K)	5/18
Grade 8 Trip	5/16-5/19

## SAS Information:

- **Summer Camp**—St. Mary Villa will be offering Summer Camp opportunities this summer. Please see the [attached letter](#) from SMV about the camp. Schedule and registration will be coming soon.
- **EagleSTRONG Award**—Dr. Nicholson is accepting nominations for EagleSTRONG families at Saint Ann School. At the last Mass we award Eagle awards are given to students who display all the characteristics of EagleSTRONG. This year we are adding an award for a volunteer or family that displays the same traits. Please feel free to email nominations to [kelly@stannnash.org](mailto:kelly@stannnash.org) or [krystal@stannnash.org](mailto:krystal@stannnash.org).
- **Lost & Found**—The Lost & Found is growing. Please have your student check the tub in the Neidert Hall kitchen for lost items. Anything left will be thrown away or donated to Goodwill at the end of the year.
- **Girl Scouts**—Saint Ann School Girl Scout Troop 372 will meet in the PLC, 5-6pm on Tuesday, May 8. Registration for the Girl Scouts 2018-2019 school year will be held on **Tuesday, May 22 at 5pm in the Knights of Columbus room** in the Parish Life Center. Girls in grades K-8 are welcome. For more information email [girlscouts372@gmail.com](mailto:girlscouts372@gmail.com).
- **Room Coordinators for 2018-19**—The HSA is looking for volunteers to serve as Room Coordinators for next school year. If you are interested, please contact Kelly Braniff at [kelly@stannnash.org](mailto:kelly@stannnash.org).
- **Baking & Cake Decorating Club!**—We will be having a hands on baking and decorating club next year on Fridays after school for grades 6 through 8 where the students will learn to bake, stack, sculpt, fill and decorate cakes with butter cream and fondant. Space is limited to 10 students! Please see [flyer attached](#) for more information. Email me to reserve your spot or if you have any questions @ [Nayeli@stannnash.org](mailto:Nayeli@stannnash.org)
- **Athletic and Academic Awards Night**—Saint Ann School is planning to celebrate the achievements of all our Eagles both in the classroom and on the field/court/track on Tuesday, May 22, at 6:00pm.
- **Exam Study Hall**—The school building will open at 7:30am starting on Wednesday, May 9, for any student in grade 5-8 who would like a quiet area to study for exams before school.
- **SchoolKidz**—Saint Ann School is excited to launch a new service to parents this summer. Through Staples, we will have school supply kits for parents to purchase. The kits will be delivered to the school and each student will receive their individual box of supplies on the first day of school. Parents will still need to purchase items like backpacks, lunch boxes, and grade level novels as per the teacher request but the remaining supplies will be automatically compiled and delivered. More details and purchasing links will be emailed later this week.
- **Forensics Celebration**—The Forensics coaches will hold a celebration ice cream social on Tuesday, May 15, 3:15 - 3:45, in the courtyard next to the PLC. If you were a member of the Forensics team, please plan to attend.
- **Yearbooks**—Students will receive their yearbooks on Thursday, May 24. The annual yearbook signing event is planned for that morning.

## Grades 5-8 Exam Schedule

	Wed. May 9	Thurs. May 10	Fri. May 11	Mon. May 14	Tues. May 15
5th	Religion	English		Spanish	Literature
	Science	Math	Math	Spelling	G.S.
6th	Religion	English	Literature		Spanish
	Science	Math	Math	Spelling	G.S.
7th	Religion	English	Literature	Spanish	
	Science	Math	Math	Spelling	G.S.
8th	English A/B		Literature 8B	Spanish	Literature 8A
	Science	Math	Math	Spelling	G.S.



# BoxTOPS

BoxTOPS for the year are in and counted! Students in grade 7 won the class contest by submitting 1,797 Box-TOPS, We will reward their hard work with a pizza party. Gwenelise Best earned a gift card for submitting the most BoxTOPS in April . Saint Ann School collected a total of 8,128 BoxTOPS for the year, totaling \$813 for the school. The following students earned a duds day on Tuesday, May 22:

## PreK

Josephine Hauer  
Maven Jackson  
Chase Johnson  
Oliver McIntyre  
Elizabeth Veit  
Mrs. Grigsby  
Mrs. Ducharme

## K

Breen Bentzen  
Wolfie Holiday-Eaves  
Ella Ford Philbin  
Mrs. Johnson

## 1st

Benjamin Calkins  
Nadia Ducharme  
Kaylan Hooper  
Ivy Peterson  
Jeannie Marie Sotiriadis

## 2nd

Tyler Green  
Ridgeway Lambert  
Kadie vanBergen  
Benjamin Veit

## 3rd

Henry Braniff  
Andrew Calkins  
Andrew Hurm  
Matthew Schaefer

## 4th

Roseanne Nguyen  
Charlie Veit

## 5th

Gwenelise Best  
Jackson Funk  
Alex Hurm

John Schaefer

Joey Sperrazza  
Shane vanBergen

## 6th

Garrett Moran  
Sam Wiggins

## 7th

Krispin Braniff  
Brendan Golden  
Miles Hoyos  
Bella Lepore  
Brody Moran

Nathan Ryan

Lily Philbin  
Tess Wiggins

## 8th

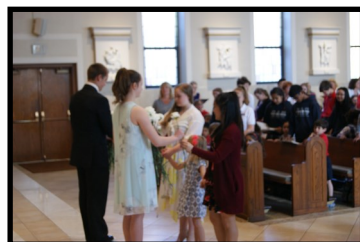
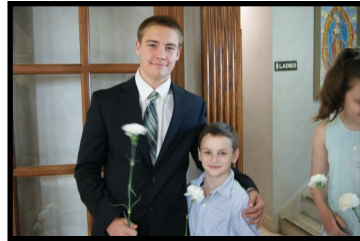
Reese Anderson  
Will Bowles  
Abigail Funk  
Ashley Hurm  
Sam Hutto  
Avery Lepore  
Ben Maxwell

Mrs Graham  
Krystal Johnson

Saint Ann School wants to give a HUGE thank you to Sharon Golden for meticulously clipping this year!

## May Crowning

May Crowning was absolutely beautiful with the Kindergarten and 8th grade buddies processing in together and the 2nd grade new communicants leading the way. 8th grade students lead the school in a litany to Mary and Ben and Grace crowned the Blessed Mother statue.



## Get Your Name on the Wall

All monies collected from the Annual Fund solely funds technology and IT at Saint Ann School. We need all parents to prayerfully consider participating the Annual Fund this year. Gifts of any level are needed and truly appreciated. The goal this year is 100% participation!

**Every class that achieves 100% participation will receive a pizza party. First class to 100% will get ice cream as well!**

Please consider completing the [attached form](#) to make a pledge today or [click here](#) to give online. If now is not a good time for your family, consider a pledge that can be paid at a date of your choosing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Amanda Bilbrey, Dr. Nicholson, or Kelly Braniff.

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# 2017 - 2018 Annual Fund

## Father Ryan High School and St. Cecelia Academy Updates

Congratulations to Landon Bilbrey and Joseph Bills for their participation in the Irish AAU basketball team. The season finished up this past weekend and the boys brought home a Championship from the tournament!

St. Cecilia Academy hosted their Awards Night on April 26. Saint Ann School alumna, Liz Rock, was one of the Dominican Cross Award winners from the Freshman class. Congrats, Liz!





## News from Saint Ann Catholic Church

- **Mission Trip to Haiti**—Last summer, the Youth Group traveled with the Haiti Committee to visit our sister parish, St. George, in Bassin-Bleu, Haiti. We would like to invite some more kids to come and join us this year (tentatively planned for the first week of July 2018). If you would like to get more information about our sister parish, the youth mission trip, and the application process and form, please contact Delishia Jones at [delishia.jones@gmail.com](mailto:delishia.jones@gmail.com) or Matthew Hayes at [matthew@humancapitalgroup.com](mailto:matthew@humancapitalgroup.com).
- **Camping Weekend**—Please mark your calendar and reserve your campsite for the annual Saint Ann Catholic Church Camping Weekend. Please see the [attached flyer](#) for additional details. Many thanks to the Knights of Columbus for organizing and sponsoring this fun event for all the parish.
- **Totus Tuus** —Saint Ann Catholic Church will be offering a week long summer camp program called Totus Tuus (Totally Yours). Please see the [attached flyer](#) for additional details. [Registration forms](#) are now available.



## Now That it is May...Let's Get Ready for Field Day

**Mark Your Volunteer Calendar Now** The month of May gets crazy, and you don't want to miss Field Day 2018! Wednesday, *May 23*, is the big day and we need your help in making it happen for the students. If you can be here at 8:30 am on May 23, please e-mail Karen Herrmann at [kherrmann@stannnash.org](mailto:kherrmann@stannnash.org)--she will gratefully add your name to her volunteer list.

Don't forget to complete the [attached permission slip](#) for students to play on the age appropriate inflatables or grade 8 students to get in the dunk tank. It is REQUIRED! ***Don't forget dismissal is at 2pm on Field Day.***

Many thanks to HSA, Lynn Forte-Gottke, Lynn Snyder, and the Ladies Aux. for generously donating monies to make Field Day a success again this year.



## State Recognition for SAS Student

So proud of all five grade 7 students who were nominated for Duke Talent Identification Program—Krispin Braniff, Miles Hoyos, Tess Wiggins, Lily Philbin, and Matteo Ward. Krispin achieved state recognition for not one but two of his scores on the ACT. Saint Ann School (and your mom) are proud of you!



## Who Scared the Rhinos?

Last Friday, Saint Ann School Kindergarten, grade 1, and grade 2 went to the Zoo for a fun field trip. They explored all the animals and exhibits and learned a lot despite the rainy weather.



## Bakers 4 Bikes

Saint Ann School will host one last Bakers 4 Bikes fundraiser before the end of the year. We are trying to raise money to purchase another bike for a child who is obsessed with bikes but requires a specialized bike to ride!

Students will be encouraged to bring in \$5 to come to school decked out in "Wacky, Tacky" attire on Thursday, May 24. There will be a Wacky, Tacky contest for the students and a bike presentation. The afternoon will also include a cookie decorating contest—each class will submit design ideas to their teacher and bring in 5 ingredients to decorate their cookie cake that day. The sugar cookie and white icing will be provided. All students will have an opportunity to sample their creations.



## Grade 2 Celebrates Their First Communion

Mrs. Merzbacher and the students in grade 2 took time to reflect on the importance of the very special sacrament they just received and painted ceramic chalices to commemorate the occasion.

Many thanks to HSA, Brushfire Pottery, and Jude Fay for making this opportunity possible.





## News from the Community

- **St. Luke Community House**—St. Luke's is looking for a Development Officer to fill a new position at the organization. Please see the [job listing](#) on Center for Nonprofit Management website for additional details.
- **Father Ryan Summer Camps**—Registration is open for an array of summer camps at Father Ryan. There are art, academic, athletic and special camps, including rock climbing and art skateboard, to choose from. Plus special combo pricing for multiple half day camps in the same session. Register today at [fatherryan.org/summercamp](http://fatherryan.org/summercamp)
- **Camp JP2H 2018** - Spend your summer at Camp JP2H! Our summer camp program offers a unique blend of summer fun and educational opportunities for children of all ages! Our goal is to create an atmosphere in which campers feel confident and excited to develop their current interests and to explore new ones. To learn more about our camp offerings and to register, please visit us at [www.jp2hs.org/camp](http://www.jp2hs.org/camp).
- **Camp St. Cecilia: Calling all animal lovers!** - Take a walk on the wild side this summer and explore the animal kingdom at Camp St. Cecilia this summer. Summer Safari is for grades K-2 and will be June 4-8. Girls will have a fun-filled week including furry quests from the Nashville Zoo, a hike at the park, and animal-themed crafts. Animal Planet is for girls in grades 5-8 and will be July 16-20. Girls will visit different animal attractions around Nashville and take photos to create a presentation of their favorite animals. Register for these camps and view a full listing of camps at [www.stcecilia.edu/camp](http://www.stcecilia.edu/camp). Contact Camp Director Amie Pike at [scacamp@stcecilia.edu](mailto:scacamp@stcecilia.edu) with any questions.
- **FRHS Uniform** - The Father Ryan Used Uniform and Outerwear Sale will be held on Tuesday, June 5, 8:00 a.m. – Noon in the Neuhooff Library. Girls uniform skirts, boys pants, ties, PLUS lots of used outerwear items will be available for great prices at our annual sale! For more information, contact Mary Beth Brocato at [brocatom@fatherryan.org](mailto:brocatom@fatherryan.org).
- **Father Ryan Reunion Weekend 2018**—Father Ryan will welcome Alumni back to campus for the annual Alumni Reception on June 1 at 6:00 p.m. in the Dining Hall. All alumni are welcome at this free event. To register, and for a full list of Reunion Weekend events, visit [fatherryan.org/reunion](http://fatherryan.org/reunion)
- **Centennial Sportsplex with Metro Parks and Recreation**—The Sportsplex will host summer camp this summer for ages 7-12 that will involve STEAM activities, structured games, ice skating, swimming, and field trips. Please see the [attached flyer](#) for additional details.
- **SCA Summer Music Lessons**—Registration for summer music lessons at SCA is open! The following programs are being offered in the 2018 summer program: Piano, guitar or ukulele, double bass (jazz, orchestral, bluegrass/country, blues & rock), electric guitar (jazz, blues, rock & country), guitar, cello, flute, trumpet (all styles), drums, trombone, French Horn, saxophone, and clarinet. Visit [www.stcecilia.edu/musiclessons](http://www.stcecilia.edu/musiclessons) or contact Director of SCA Music Lessons, Ellen Fernández, at 615.292.5134 for more information or [fernandez@overbrook.edu](mailto:fernandez@overbrook.edu).
- **Catholic Business League**—The Catholic Business League's May meeting will feature a panel on the organization's Leadership Catholic initiative, including Jason Moore of Statastan, one of the mentors of Leadership Catholic, and Ryan McClostlin of Bernard Health, one of the members of the inaugural class of Leadership Catholic. The meeting begins at 7:30 on Thursday, May 10, in the Fleming Center of the Cathedral, with Mass beginning at 7:00 a.m. More information is available at [www.catholicbusinessleague.org](http://www.catholicbusinessleague.org)
- **SBA Summer Camp**—Please see the [attached flyer](#) for additional information about SBA Summer Camp option for volleyball.