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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

MORE THAN 900 STUDENTS CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK WITH ALL SCHOOLS MASS

January 27 through February 2 marked the NCEA's annual Catholic Schools Week with a theme of "Catholic Schools Raise the Standards."

"All Schools Mass," a traditional event during Catholic Schools Week, was hosted by St. Anthony High School on Wednesday, January 30, in the St. Anthony High School gym. Over 900 students from Sacred Heart Grade School, St. Michael Grade School in Sigel, St. Thomas Grade School in Newton, St. Anthony Grade School, and St. Anthony High School were in attendance. Rev. David Hoefler celebrated Mass while Rev. Brian Alford, Rev. Albert Allen, and Rev. Sunder Ery concelebrated.

Following "All Schools Mass," St. Anthony High School hosted "Experience Catholic High School Day." Fifth through eighth grade students from Sacred Heart and St. Anthony Grade Schools enjoyed the day by participat-



ing in a rotation of activities led by St. Anthony High School students and faculty. Activities included Minute to Win It games, gym activities, and building ice cream sundaes.

Students also experienced team building exercises, Catholic Scholar Bowl, and a science show from Mr. Science Teacher, SAHS's Mr. Matt Poston.

Students also had the opportunity to pray the "Prayer Chain" and Chaplet of Divine Mercy with Pastor Fr. David Hoefler in addition to learning more about their faith with Fr. Brian Alford, St. Anthony High School's Chaplain.

ONLINE NEWSLETTER

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Greg Fearday
SAHS Principal

A LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL

School years always seem to fly by and this year is no different. I'm sure all of you can relate as you think back to your high school years. Students think it's never going to end and then realize it's over as soon as it starts. High school years are so formative and important to the well-being and future for that individual student. I'd like to share with you one of the most powerful and moving events I've ever had the opportunity to witness and that will be helpful with the faith formation of our students.



On Friday, March 1, Fr. Alford and approximately 50 students celebrated a ceremony in which we enthroned an image of the Sacred Heart at St Anthony High School. The practice of enthronement stems from one of the promises given by Christ to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque which says that "I will bless every dwelling where an image of My Heart is both exposed and honored." By enthroning the image of the Sacred Heart, we are asking for Our Lord's continued blessings on our high school as we seek not just to form good students, but more importantly, good disciples for living their faith and carrying their faith with them throughout their lives. In addition to the enthronement, we will place an image of the Immaculate Heart of Mary next to the image of the Sacred Heart and make an Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, asking for Our Lady's intercession for the spiritual well-being of the school. You will see these images next to the entrance to Enlow Gym.

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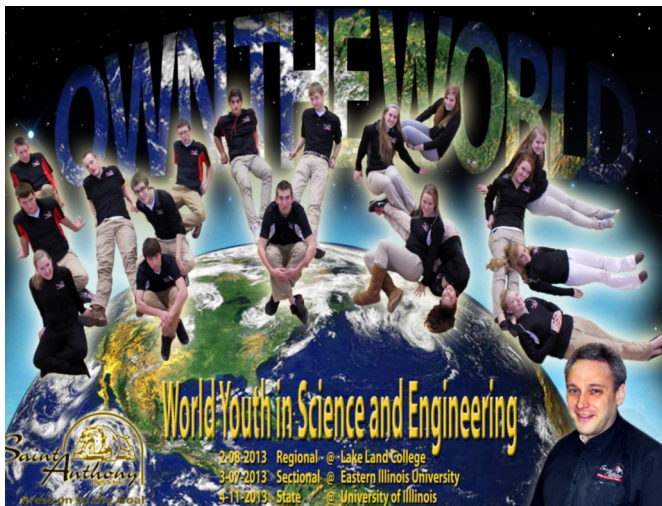
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“ THE STRENGTH OF THE ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL COMMUNITY IS FAITH - A FAITH NURTURED BY ONE ANOTHER THROUGH DAILY CHRISTIAN INTERACTION. ”



■ WYSE TEAM TAKES 1ST PLACE AT REGIONAL & SECTIONAL CHALLENGES

Congratulations go out to the St. Anthony High School WYSE team (Worldwide Youth in Science and Engineering) as they brought home 1st Place at the WYSE Regional Academic Challenge held February 8 at Lake Land College. St. Anthony advanced to sectional competition at Eastern Illinois University on March 7 and brought home a 1st Place finish there as well!



2013 St. Anthony WYSE Team Members include Liam Andrews, Allison Bushue, Michael Goldstein, Frank Jansen, Maggie Mumm, Scott Rentfrow, Lauren Schmidt, Jake Spraul, John Goeckner, Jesse Haarmann, Nick Nobsbisch, Kate Richards & Sarah Wortman.

JV WYSE team members include Francesco De Filippi, Laura Deters, Madeline McDevitt, Megan Nuxoll, & Emily Wortman.

WYSE is coached by Mr. Matt Poston and Mrs. Joy Jones.

■ CONGRATULATIONS SCHOLARS

Illinois State Scholars



The Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) recognized 18,863 students from 749

different high schools from across the state as 2013 Illinois State Scholars.

Illinois State Scholar winners rank in the top ten percent of high school seniors. Selection is based on SAT, ACT, and/or Prairie State Achievement Exam scores, and/or class rank at the end of the junior year.

Congratulations to SAHS's Illinois State Scholars:

Jake Spraul, Michael Goldstein, Allison Bushue, Jesse Haarmann, Jessica Runde, Alex Keller, Emmie Schultz, and Nick Nobsbisch.

Nate Schmidt selected for Inaugural Conference

Sophomore Nate Schmidt attended the High School Presidential Inaugural Conference in Washington, D.C. in January. The 5-day conference provided selected scholars with a deeper understanding of the history behind the electoral process and the traditions surrounding the presidential inauguration. *Congratulations, Nate!*



Playing Tonight for a Cure Tomorrow

St. Anthony High School students raised \$3,413 for St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital's Women's Wellness Center.

PINK OUT GAME

St. Anthony High School's Student Council partnered with St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital for a "Pink Out" game on Friday, January 18 at the St. Anthony High School boys' basketball game against Stewardson-Strasburg, painting the gym pink for breast cancer awareness.

The theme of the night was "Playing Tonight for a Cure Tomorrow." Fans from both schools dawned pink t-shirts, basketball players wore pink shoelaces and the coaches sported pink dress shirts. Pink hair extensions were handed out to the first 100 girls at the game.

St. Anthony High School students raised funds during the week leading up to the game by selling t-shirts, holding raffles, selling cookies, and receiving donations from a "Jeans Day" at St. Anthony High School and a Spirit Day at St. Anthony Grade School. In addition, the Friends of St. Anthony's sold pink wristbands at the game.

All proceeds from these activities as well as the Booster Club donating the gate receipts at the game were donated to St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital's Women's Wellness Center to support breast cancer awareness and education. The total proceeds raised from the "Pink Out" game and activities were \$3,413.

Emmie Schultz (second from right), and Paige Oltman (far right), members of St. Anthony High School's Student Council, presented a donation to (left to right) Kim Thies from St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital's Women's Wellness Center; Kelly Sager ('89), St. Anthony's Director of Patient Services; and Michael Wall, St. Anthony's Executive Director of Fund Development. During the presentation, St. Anthony Schools' recognized their own



survivors. Tammy Keller celebrated one year as a survivor, Sandy Gillespie recognized nine years as a survivor, and Brenda Milleville celebrated eight years as a survivor.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 29 - April 1	Easter Break
April 11	WYSE State Society of Academic Achievement Banquet
April 12 - 14	St. Anthony Jr. High Musical "The Little Mermaid"
May 1	Red Cross Blood Drive
May 2	Spring Athletic Banquet
May 3	12:10 p.m. Parent Mass
May 4	Prom
May 6	Final Exams Senior Awards Night
May 18	Graduation

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HOMECOMING AND WINTER SPORTS RECAP

HOMECOMING COURT 2012

Congratulations to Seniors Charlie Schultz, son of Jim and Laura Schultz, and Claire Willenborg, daughter of Craig and Theresa Willenborg, who were crowned Homecoming King and Queen.

Freshmen Attendants, Carson Fonner & Kyle Hartke; Sophomore Attendants, Madeline McDevitt & Michael Stephens; Junior Attendants, Kate Richards & Sarah Wortman, Alex Hoelscher & Eli Dasenbrock; Senior Queen Candidates, Katie Whightsel & Taylor Meford; Senior King Candidates, Alex Keller & Nick Nosbisch

CHEERLEADING

The SAHS cheerleaders placed 6th at the ICCA Championship in Springfield on February 9 competing against 41 squads. The squad also advanced to the IHSA state finals on Feb. 1 after placing in the top 5 at sectionals. They placed 15th in a tight finish for the top ten.

BELLETES NEWS

The Bellettes competed in the first ever IHSA Dance State Finals Jan. 25-26 in Bloomington, IL. Prelims were held on Friday and the top ten schools advanced to the finals on Saturday. The Bellettes landed 7th on Friday and 3rd on Saturday! The Bellettes continued their success with the Illinois Drill Team Assn. competitions. They earned 1st in the Jazz division and 4th in Lyrical at Clinton, IL.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Although the season may not have produced as many victories as the boys had hoped, they continued to work towards improving. Highlights of the season included a victory over a good Central A & M team in the Teutopolis Shootout. Senior Jacob Schuette reached the 1000 point scoring total in the last game of the season against Casey-Westfield. We thank our seniors Patrick Martelli, Logan Rogers, Jacob Schuette, Charlie Schultz, and Jason Vogel for their contributions!

GIRLS BASKETBALL

The varsity girls team finished the season with a 19-11 record and lost in the Regional Championship to Dieterich. This year's team had the second most wins in school history for a season. Makayla Walsh advanced to state in Bloomington in the Country Companies' 3-Point Shooting Competition. Named to the NTC All-Conference Team were Makayla Walsh (1st team); Megan Nuxoll (2nd team); and Kate Richards (Honorable Mention).

SWIMMING

Alex Keller swam the 200 IM and the 100 breast stroke at the IHSA Sectionals in Champaign on Feb. 16. He broke the meet record in breast stroke (1980). Peter Keller swam the 200 free and the 500 free and won both events. The two swimmers earned 64 points and won 7th place in the field of 17 schools. Alex and Peter advanced to state competition on Feb. 23/24 in New Trier. Alex qualified as "All American Athlete" for the second year. 597 swimmers represented 115

schools in the state meet.

BOWLING

The Men's Bowling Team completed its season placing 11th at the sectional tournament. Three seniors, Dalton Anderson, Cody Pike, and James Ritz will graduate. Three juniors, Liam Andrews, Zaine Reiss, and Neil Ritz, will return to build a solid core for next year!

The Girls' Bowling Team competed in its first ever sectional tournament on Feb. 2. Senior Kassy Dammernan was routinely in the top 25 at tournaments, and senior Erin Goeckner and the underclassmen turned in personal bests throughout the year.

WRESTLING

Although there were no team victories, Coach Lewis and the team felt like they had many moral victories with the individual improvements of each wrestler. This year's team included: Jesse Harmann, John Sandschafer, Joe Lidy, Brian Ritz, Ian Harris, and Michael Stephens.

Looking for a mailing list for your upcoming class reunion?

Email alumni@stanthony.com or call (217) 347-7129 with your request.

ALUMNI UPDATES

Announcements



Craig Brummer ('09) has returned to SAHS taking a part-time teaching role in the religion department. Mr. Brummer graduated from Franciscan University of Steubenville in May 2012 with a degree in Theology. He spent

last semester studying and discerning his vocation at St. Meinrad Seminary in southern Indiana, and, after a short time, felt God's call to return to his hometown to minister to the students at the high school. He is more than excited to be back and looks forward to being around the parish and school. SAHS is thrilled to have Mr. Brummer return to join our faculty too!

Mark Bovard ('90) was appointed associate judge in Coles County. Mark graduated from Eastern Illinois University in 1994 and received his law degree from Indiana University in 1997. Mark and his wife Catherine reside in Mattoon, IL.

IN MEMORANDUM

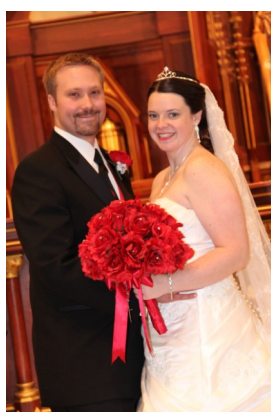
Norma (Althoff) Cain ('33)
passed away October 17, 2012

Barbara (McCoy) Mudra ('61)
passed away October 31, 2012

Joyce Dasenbock ('74)
passed away November 10, 2012

Mary Margret (Feldhake) Bushue ('58)
passed away January 8, 2013

Marriage



Bridgette Murray ('05) married to Zac Skees of Bone Gap, IL, on October 20th, 2012 at St. Anthony's Church. They reside in Effingham.

New Arrivals

Steve Bailey and **Natalie (Kortte) Bailey (97)** are the parents of Nathan Henry Bailey born Sept 15, 2012. Nathan joins sister Adeline (3)

Kevin Hoene ('99) and wife Rachel are the parents of Nash Hoene born August 3, 2012. Nash joins big sisters Liv (5) and Reese (3).

2013 HALL OF FAME

St. Anthony High School is accepting nominations for the 2013 Academic & Athletic Hall of Fame!

Deadline for nominations is Wednesday, May 29, 2013.

Visit www.stanthony.com for more information and to download a nomination form.

Hall of Fame inductees will be recognized during St. Anthony Church Picnic on Saturday, August 10, 2013!

Send us your updates to:

Alumni@StAnthony.com or
St. Anthony Development Office
304 E Roadway Ave.
Effingham, IL 62401



REUNION NEWS

CLASS OF 1957

The class of 1957 held their 55th class reunion recently. Those attending were:

First row: Marcella (Willenborg) Schutzbach, Joyce (Nacke) Kabbes

Second row: Carolyn (Osthoff) Bowlin, Ann (Spour) Hotze, Bev (Braun) Hemmen, Marilyn (Habing) Noonan, and Betty (Bushue) Brown

Third row: Jerry Schutzbach, Judy (Kinkelaar) Goeckner, Kathy (Spence) Bliss, Phyllis (Sur) Utz, Jane (Koester) Kabbes, Connie (Goeckner) Broom, Mary (Donnelly) Hasanstab, Marlene (Koester) Romans, and Ken Will

Fourth row: Richard Stephan, Bob Mihlbachler, Michael Sehy, Jerry Tegenkamp, John Althoff, Paul Kinkelaar, Frank Hoelscher, Dot (Sur) Kochan, Bill Martens, and Bernard Nieman



CLASS OF 1958

The Class of 1958 is planning their 55th class reunion for the 2nd weekend in August 2013 which is August 10 & 11. This is the same weekend as the St. Anthony Church Picnic. Cost is \$30 per person and includes dinner on Saturday evening, August 10. Please contact classmates Dick Bence, Marlene Nieman, Ron Seiler, or Mary Anne Rawlings if you have any questions or to RSVP!

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Make A Difference *Today!*

Thanks for the incredible response to our inaugural St. Anthony Schools Annual Fund Drive!

Our goal of \$40,000 has been greatly surpassed with a response of more than \$88,000!

Dollars raised through the Annual Fund help maintain the operational budget of the current school year. The Annual Fund helps our schools provide up-to-date books and educational materials, equipment, and technology, giving our students the resources necessary to prepare themselves for college and beyond.

If you would like to make a gift to St. Anthony Schools Annual Fund, it's not too late! Gifts may be made online at stanthony.com/annualfund or mailed to:

St. Anthony Schools Annual Fund
Attn: Development Department
304 E Roadway Ave.
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