Dear Academy Families,

A few years ago I spoke before our graduating class and shared an excerpt from Dr. Maya Angelou whom so many of us admire. I thought I would share one of her powerful messages: “Success is liking yourself, liking what you do, and liking how you do it.” This year, we focused on the core values during every morning meeting and throughout lessons. We had student council-led conversations, teacher-led conversations, alumni-led conversations and administrative-led conversations on the core values. Each value is critical, but I think Dr. Angelou reminds us how first we must love ourselves and how we do ‘life’ and then we will stay on the right track during the journey. As a parent, isn’t this what we want more than anything? We want our children to love themselves as a human being and love what they are doing. In the end, this love and respect for self will project to how we care for others and how they will care for us.

Hopefully, you were able to join us on Wednesday evening for the Middle & Upper Form Evening of the Arts. It was an amazing night. Thank you to Deborah DeHart, Angela Cascione and Donna Downs for their dedication to our singers, musicians and artists. We are incredibly proud of the boys in our arts programs. Everything was great from start to finish!

Our last day of school, Thursday, June 9th, will be a true celebration including an End of Year Mass, Academic Awards Assembly, a Bud Keegan tribute video of this past school year, a tribute to Brother Tom, and a surprise from the Faculty Band. What else can you ask for? It will be a nice way to wrap up the year. Remember, we are serving
lunch, offering aftercare and there are no half days this year except for our 8th graders next week as they take their exams.

Fondly, Tricia

JOIN US TONIGHT for LACROSSE & FUN

SEA be hosting an evening lacrosse festival tonight. There will be raffles with some amazing prizes and a radar gun booth. The Bifferato Family arranged for Mojo Loco, a wonderful vending truck, so there will be great food as well. There will be lacrosse games for 3/4th, 5/6th and 7/8th. The festivities will begin at 5pm. Click here for the schedule.

SEND YOUR OUTGROWN BLAZERS IN

Has your son outgrown his red blazer? We’d love to have it if it’s in relatively good shape. We will provide a tax receipt. Please note: Saint Edmond’s Academy cannot assign a dollar value for your ‘gift’. Federal tax laws impose certain reporting obligations for charitable contributions of property other than cash. Monetary value must be determined by the donor. See Mrs. Rubio to drop it off.

MF & UF EVENING OF THE ARTS

The Academy is blessed with an abundance of talented and musically-gifted students, and they were out in full-force at the Evening of the Arts! The audience was entertained by a variety of music provided by the Academy Singers, Academy Chorus, Men’s Ensemble, Concert Band, Lancer Band and Jazz Band. Josh Habbersett was Master of Ceremonies for the evening and guided the performance with skilled style and commentary. The

LETTER DAYS

Monday, 5/23
‘f’ Day

Tuesday, 5/24
‘a’ Day

Wednesday, 5/25
‘b’ Day

Thursday, 5/26
‘c’ Day

YEARBOOKS

Yearbooks orders were submitted. The cost is now $30 per copy from Barksdale if needed.

2016 S.E.A B-BALL CAMP

Registration for our 46th Annual S.E.A Basketball Camp is underway. Please click here to register your (rising) 1st - 8th Grade son. Spread the word outside our campus, too!
evening concluded with the presentation of awards given for visual, instrumental, and vocal arts... **Outstanding Visual Artist:** Frankie Frabizzio  
**Drama:** Riley McAvinue, Frankie Frabizzio, Will Jaskot, and Luke Anzilotti  
**Stage Crew:** Nick Horgan and Will Jaskot  
**Vocal Arts:** Liam BeVard, Jonathan Falix, Max Iacono, Charles Parson, Mason Salitsky, Sam Truluck, Frankie Frabizzio, Bradley Kilicoglu and Riley McAvinue  
**Special 8th Grade Recognition:** Josiah Tucker, Jairus Tucker  
**Beginner Band Award:** John Lovett  
**Lancer Band Awards:** Parker Lehmann, Jack Yoslov and Nick Hogan  
**Jazz Band Awards:** Thomas Oakes and Jack Krukiel  
Congrats and Well-Done, everyone!

**BARNES & NOBLE BOOK SALE 5/31**

Our final reading event of this school year will be on Tuesday, 5/31. We will be at the Concord Pike location of Barnes & Noble from 5:30-8:00pm. Although you can shop all day to benefit S.E.A. 2016 Summer Reading materials will be available for purchase. Can’t make it? Online sales will also add to our total. Simply go to BN.COM/bookfairs and type our identification code (11852910). All purchases count--not just books!

**CHECK OUT NEXT YEAR'S BUS STOPS**

If you are interested in either of our new transportation vehicles next year, you can now reserve a seat. Just fill out this form (and log-in). A non-refundable deposit is required to reserve your son's seat. Please click here to review the bus stops for the Red and Gray routes and to see associated transportation fees. Direct your questions to Pete at 475-5370 x317 or by email.

**REMINDER**

Bud Keegan will be here around 11am THIS Tuesday (5/24) to retake the 8th grade group photo.

**RIPPIN' ROPE LACROSSE**

--July 11-15 (Boys)  
--July 18-22 (Coed)  
More dates and times are available by clicking here!

**LUNCH MENU**

**MONDAY, 5/23**

Grilled Chicken Sandwich ($3.50)  
Rice ($1.25)

**TUESDAY, 5/24**

Italian Sub with Chips ($3.50)

**WEDNESDAY, 5/25**

Meatball Sandwich with
'END OF YEAR' QUESTIONS ANSWERED

The end of the 2015-2016 School Year is upon us. We hope we've answered all of your 'Year-End' questions through our communications but just in case we didn't, please click here to read a few very important notes about the end of the year. Contact us with questions.

Thanks to everyone for a great year!

DR. STORLAZZI, ADHD PIONEER/EXPERT

Please help us spread the word that Dr. Storlazzi, an ADHD expert, will be speaking at Huntington Learning Center this Tuesday, 5/24 (7-8pm). He has been a pioneer in ADHD diagnosis, treatment, and management for over 40 years. Dr. Storlazzi is able to share his unique perspective across a life span because he also has ADHD. He was drawn to this area of practice after experiencing how ADHD affects a person’s life and self-esteem. Dr. Storlazzi has practiced at DuPont Hospital for over 15 years in a multi-disciplinary practice for children suffering from ADHD. Please see the attached flyer for details.

SIGN UP for the 9th ANNUAL LANCER CUP

Join us on Friday, 6/10 for the 9th Annual Lancer Cup at The Springhaven Club in Wallingford, PA. Continental Breakfast before the 8am tee time. 120 Golfers will convene in the Clubhouse at noon for Lunch, Silent Auction, Raffle and Awards Presentation. Golfer registration is $200 per person. Sponsorship & advertising opportunities are still available. Click here for more info.

THURSDAY, 5/26
Hot Dog ($1.75)
French Fries ($1.50)

FRIDAY, 5/27
No Classes

MONDAY, 5/30
No Classes

CAFETERIA VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Monday, 5/23: 1
Tuesday, 5/24: 2
Wednesday, 5/25: 3
Thursday, 5/26: 2

Click here to join the volunteer fun!

DRAMA CAMP

Contact us or fill out this form and
TAKE CHARGE AND RAISE MONEY

We're excited! The Target Take Charge of Education program just sent us a check for $500! This is a really easy way for families and friends of S.E.A to contribute. We love this program because you don't have to use a credit card to sign up. You can get the Target Red Debit Card which gives back 1% of your purchases. Visit this page to sign up. Thanks!

BOX TOPS UPDATE FROM THE LIBRARY

We received $20 in Box Tops in our submissions last week. A special 'thank you' to the Trickey and Poplos/Gravino Families. We are currently at a 2015-2016 total of $900. We are so pleased! Thank you for all your continued efforts. All Box Tops should be turned in by Thursday, May 26th so that we can meet our June 1st deadline.

JOIN US IN PRAYER

Please send your special intentions to us. We'll list them here each week and then pray for you as a community each morning during daily prayer. Join us this week as we keep the following sick or suffering members of our community in our prayers...

--Pat Jefferson (alumni grandparent)
--Rae Emerich, Jax Trickey’s grandmother
--Norma Cofrancesco, Chas Egoville's grandmother
--Kelly Panella, aunt of Nicholas Poplos
--The McHugh Family
--J.L. | Arianne Missimer | Christopher White

BASEBALL CAMP

Click here for info about the Ryan Holsten Baseball Academy's Summer Offerings.

BAND PRACTICES

Monday, 5/23
Jazz Band

Tuesday, 5/24
No Practices

Wednesday, 5/25
Lancer Band
(Everyone!)

Thursday, 5/26
Jazz Band

Friday, 5/27
No Practices
and for the Repose of the Souls of...

--Susan Lukosius, mother of Stephen Lukosius '94
--Rosemary M. Kinsolving
--Madeline Beckett, great grandmother of Michael Grillo
--Nancy Madden, grandmother of Michael Migliore'16
--Gail Klein, grandmother of Leo Bergez '21
--Carolyn Marchione, mother of Mena D’Amato
--Jennifer Lynn Hearn, Colton Steele’s aunt
--great-grandmother of Nicholas Poplos
--Megan Ann O’Neill & Michael Curcio