FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Academy Families,

Today's Knightly News will be the last edition for the 2015-2016 school year. We have posted the summer work and will publish student supply lists by the end of June. I want to wish everyone a wonderful and safe summer.

I don't know if you ever heard this story before, but it is worth a read as we begin to find the time to make our summer memories. "A professor stood before his philosophy class and, wordlessly, picked up a very large and empty mayonnaise jar and proceeded to fill it with golf balls. He then asked the students if the jar was full. They agreed that it was. The professor then picked up a box of pebbles and..."

[Click here to read more.]

SUMMER WORK POSTED ON WEBSITE

Required reading and math summer work is now posted outside the login under 'Academics'. Choose 'Summer 2016' and then click on your son’s grade level. Send questions to us.

HALF-DAY OPTION FOR SUMMER CAMP

If you need a half-day option for summer camp, SEA can accommodate. This option is especially beneficial for those on summer swim teams, who have morning practices. The half-day options runs from 9am to 12pm or from 12pm to 3pm. For more information on the St. Ed’s Summer Camp, head to this page for all camp offerings and to access online registration or downloadable forms.
FALL 2016 ATHLETICS SIGNUP PAGES

Fall 2016 Sports Registration has begun.

The S.E.A fall sports program includes Cross Country (Grades 3-8), 3rd & 4th Grade Soccer, Junior Varsity Soccer (Grades 5 & 6), Varsity Soccer (Grades 7 & 8), Instructional Soccer (1st & 2nd Grades). Click here to get started.

CONGRATS TO THE NEWEST SINGERS

Congratulations to all those who auditioned and were selected for Academy Singers 2016-2017. If your son (rising 4th grade to rising 8th grade) missed the audition, there will be another opportunity when we return in the fall. Other students with 'unchanged voices' are encouraged to sing in Academy Chorus or in Men's Ensemble if they have changing and changed voices for next year. One of our exciting featured events will be to sing the National Anthem at a Villanova University basketball game. We are so excited!

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.

CONTACT YOUR LEGISLATORS, PLEASE

The Delaware General Assembly’s Joint Finance Committee is considering defunding school nurses and drivers’ education in Catholic and other non-public schools. This will affect families who already sacrifice to send their children to Catholic schools. To easily send an email to our legislators in Dover, please visit this page.

‘c’ Day
Wednesday, 6/8
No School
Thursday, 6/9
Special Schedule

YEARBOOKS

Please send yearbook questions to Bridgid.

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!

ART ROOM WISH LIST

Do you have any of these items lying around the house? Mrs. Downs would love your help.
SIGN UP for the 9th ANNUAL LANCER CUP

Join us NEXT 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.

OUR ALUMNI VISITS MAKE US HAPPY!

When a student moves on, it's so important to us that he checks back in! We are very lucky because so many of our grads come back to see us. The younger kids love it, too. Send in your older son this week. We’d love to see him. Thanks to Conor and Michael (pictured above) for fitting us in before they got too busy with Summer! Conor’s at Yale and Michael is at Villanova.

YOUNG ARTISTS, SAVE THE DATE

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We just received a few details about the 2017 D.A.I.S. Art Show. It will be held at The Pilot School on Wednesday, March 1st 2017. The time is not yet determined.

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...

-- Irma Schock (alumni parent)
-- 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

BARKSDALE DELIVERY

Many students will have received a composite print in homeroom last week. If you didn’t order a package earlier this year, you don’t receive one. Please send all questions to Barksdale. 1-800-220-7667

RIPPIN’ ROPE LACROSSE

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

LUNCH MENU

MONDAY, 6/6
Chicken Tenders ($3.50) Rice ($1.25)

TUESDAY, 6/7
Meatball Sandwich with Chips ($3.50)

WEDNESDAY, 6/8
No School
and for the Repose of the Souls of...
-- Francis Pileggi, alumni parent and grandparent
-- 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

Chef’s Choice

CAFETERIA VOLUNTEER NEEDS
Monday, 6/6: 1
Tuesday, 6/7: 2
Thursday, 6/9: 1
Click here to join the volunteer fun!

DRAMA CAMP
Contact us or fill out this form and Return to Ms.DeHart

BASEBALL CAMP
Click here for info about the Ryan Holsten Baseball Academy’s Summer Offerings.

BAND PRACTICES
Monday, 6/6
No other practices;
Have a nice summer!