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A Word from the Principal

2020-2021 was a year met with grace and grit. Our success was due to the fact that parents, teachers, students and staff united to live our mission with committed enthusiasm. As we consider our many blessings, we look to the future stronger and more faith-filled than ever. The year ahead holds much promise as we continue our efforts to provide the children in our care with the best that Catholic education can offer. Thank you for your support. Saint Rose is a special place with special people.

In Christ,
Sister Catherine Marie, O.P.



Class of 2021

Each year we welcome little ones into our preschool to begin our program and we say good-bye to those who have completed it. The transformation is a work of God in which we are privileged to participate. The Class of 2021 has made us truly proud, not only by their impressive academic achievements, but also by the strength of their character. They have responded to the benefit of a Saint Rose education with hard work, high interest and depth of soul. They leave us with a firm foundation and will, no doubt, impress us as they go on to high school and the world beyond.

Highest Academic Average: Carlos Aguiar
Christ-Like Award: Donovan Thonethongthip & Carlos De LaTorre
Marion Award: Emily Ramon & Alexis Huber

2021-2022 Scholarship Recipients

Michael Semich Memorial Scholarship

Clare Bonham, Kindergarten
Joesph Cortez, 8th Grade
Skylinn Mann, 2nd Grade
Gabriel Speyrer, 8th Grade
Anthony Zavala, 6th Grade

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Olivia DiMaggio, 6th Grade
Sofia DiMaggio, 6th Grade
Livia Marchetti, 7th Grade
Macie Sexton, 5th Grade

End of School Highlights

Day of Adoration



Our 1st whole school Mass of the year was held in the courtyard. Our 8th grade students led the school in a beautiful day of praise and worship.

Field Day 2021 More than a Star



Parents were welcomed back to campus for a fun-filled Field Day complete with water slides, a foam pit, and class tug of war! It meant the world that our students and staff were able to enjoy beautiful day outside with the entire school!

Christ-Like & Marian Awards



The Saint Rose Catholic School Christ-like and Marian Awards are given to students who consistently exhibit the kind of behavior we want to see displayed in our school, our church and our community. This is the highest award that can be given at Saint Rose Catholic School. These students have been selected by their classmates for this honor.

International Day



Students in 6th & 7th grades represented countries of their choice in an international expo, guiding students and parents through a global learning experience.

Soccer STARS



Our varsity soccer team finished 2nd in both the regular season and in the Diocesan Tournament.

Christ-Like

Marian

KM	John Roger Gartung	Margaret Ellison Smith
KP	Elijah Hayes	Lila Barrett
1L	Jake Morris	Amaryllis Jensen
1R	Ismael Mercado Guevara	Olivia Dunn
2B	Drew Smith	Natalia Tarola
2S	Jackson Strain	Lily Gartung
3M	Matt DeFonce	Hollyn Hutson
3S	Jack Terrell	Madelyn Brock
4B	Jacob Proctor	Lily Claytor
4S	Emanuel Silva	Sarah Speyrer
5B	Tony Ramon	Sofia DiMaggio
5V	Landon Scudder	Olivia DiMaggio
6S	Lazaro Duarte	Natali Nelson
6T	Adam Blum	Ann Whitacre Wylie
7M	Connor Ward	Sara Grace Terrell
7R	Somadi Efobi	Emma Medina & Amelia Ochoa

Starry, Starry Night Recap



We were fortunate to be able to host a mostly virtual, Starry Night Live in May of this year! Parents, Adrienne Tarola & Kyra Sloan adapted to the ever changing Covid guidelines and pulled off an amazing evening. Parents were invited to join us in the courtyard and watch the taping of our virtual show. The virtual aspect of Starry Night did not stop the generosity of our sponsors, our parents, and local businesses. We had a very successful event, raising over \$115,000 for Saint Rose School!

Auction Fall \$3,450.00
 Silent Auction \$26,054.00
 Live Auction \$21,850.00
 Ticket Sale \$7,300.00
 Donations \$15,770.00
 Buy to Give \$4,735.00
 Dress Down \$1,770.00
 Football Lamp \$100.00

Expenses -\$15,876.32

Profit \$119,152.68

Alumni Highlights

Caroline Bruzer, '17

Created the program cover for Father Ryan High School's 2021 Baccalaureate Mass.



Maureen Buckley, '13

A 2021 graduate of Clemson University, Maureen received the Samuel B. Earle Award, given to the most outstanding senior in the school of engineering and was also recognized as a Clemson National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program honoree. Maureen will be headed to MIT in the fall to pursue her Ph. D. in Biological Engineering.



College Signing Day

The following SRS alum, class of 2017, not only excelled in the classroom in high school but will be continuing their athletic career in college.

Frankie Carreras
Blackman Collegiate Academy
Baseball, Trevecca University

Issac Finch
Watertown High School
Football, Cumberland University

Eva Graham
Father Ryan High School
Golf, Christian Brothers University

Abbie Smith
Father Ryan High School
Soccer, University of Arkansas Little Rock

Ian Schlacter
Oakland High School
Football, Middle Tennessee State University

AJ Swader
Oakland High School
Baseball, Cleveland State

Gabby Coronel, '09

University of Arizona, Masters in Public Health Policy & Management

Individual Athletic Awards

Frankie Carreras, Blackman Collegiate Academy MVP, 7AAA All District Team

Isaac Finch, Watertown High School National Football Foundation Scholar Athlete Award

Emery Hart, St. Cecilia Academy Will to Win Award, Track & Field

Maysen Moore, St. Cecilia Academy Will to Win Award, JV Lacrosse

Abbie Smith, Father Ryan High School All Region, Soccer

AJ Swader, Oakland High School All District Player of the Year, Baseball



Elam Miller, 2011

Elam is a 2021 graduate of Vanderbilt University with a Masters in Public Policy and also served as Student Body President of the Peabody Professional and Graduate Students.

Oakland High School 2021 Football State Champions

Ian Schlacter
Noah Blockley
Carson Shaw
Zephia Wade
Michael Foglia



Oakland High School

National Honor Society Inductees

Andrea Sagman
Emma Jackson
Mary Hedge
Madeline Myers
Michael Foglia
Anthony Carretta
Carson Shaw
Conner Martin
Mya Hathaway

Oakland High School Soccer

Dominick Tarola & Anthony Carretta, both SRS class of 2017, advanced to the State Soccer Semi-Finals.

Will Robinson, '18

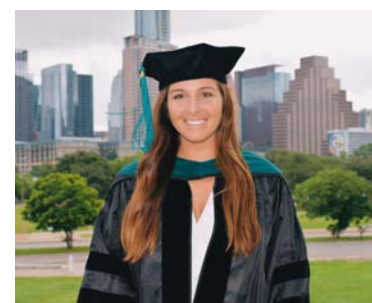
Central Magnet High School Citizenship Award in recognition for going above and beyond service to the community

Jessica Rose, '08

2021 Graduate from the Police Academy

Lindsey Rose, '09

Doctor of Physical Therapy from The University of St. Augustine



Brooke Spurgeon, '20

Central Magnet High School All Year Principal's List Honors Integrated Math II Award

Ben Weisel, '11

Belmont University, Track & Field Ben recently a school record in the 800m and 1500m.

We love highlighting our Saint Rose School alum! Please keep in touch! All alumni information can be emailed to kfrank@saintrose.org.

A Look Ahead

Welcome to Saint Rose School

We are thrilled to welcome over 65 new students from 40 new families to Saint Rose School! We are also excited to announce some new additions to our school faculty!



Miss White, 4th

Miss Gilstrap, 6th

Sr. Margaret Mary, 8th

2021-2022 Student Council Officers

President ~ Grace Laney
Vice President ~ Sara Grace Terrell
Treasurer ~ Livia Marchetti
Secretary ~ Natali Nelson



Save the Dates

August 20 ~ Blessing of the School
August 22 ~ Parish Celebration for the Feast of Saint Rose
September 26 ~ Stars & Pars Golf Scramble
October 29 ~ Boosterthon Run
November 5 ~ Grandparents Day
November 11 ~ Veteran's Day

Date & Time Change

School Masses will be held on Mondays at 2:10 p.m. this school year.

Our semi-annual news letter will be published in July and January. We hope to highlight the many wonderful people both past and present that have joined our Saint Rose School family.

For more information about Saint Rose School please contact:

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2021-2022 School Theme

Love

is patient,
love is kind.
it does not envy,
it does not boast,
it is not proud.
it does not dishonor others,
it is not self-seeking,
it is not easily angered,
it keeps no record of wrongs.
love does not delight in evil
but rejoices with the truth.
it always protects, always trusts,
always hopes, always perseveres.
LOVE NEVER FAILS.

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Fall Sports Registration

Cross Country K-8th
Fall Volleyball 7th-8th
Football 4th-8th

All school and PSR
students are eligible
to participate.

Visit our school website
to register:

<https://school.saintrose.org/fall-registration>



Partners In Education Sponsors

It is the time of year, to renew or register your business or family into our one stop shop sponsorship program. Partners in Education sponsors are a part of every event we have here at Saint Rose School and these generous partnerships enable us to continue our mission of Learning, Love and Service. For more information please contact, Kelly Frank, Director of Advancement at: 615-898-0555 x 1018 or kfrank@saintrose.org