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The Mission of Sacred Heart Catholic School is to teach Gospel values that will foster the spiritual, moral, academic, social, and physical growth of the students according to Catholic tradition and the spirit of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament.

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GOOD NEWS BULLETIN

April 2023

NOTICES!

EARLY DISMISSALS:

April 28th 12:00 noon
School Marathon

NO SCHOOL:

April 7th – Good Friday
April 10th – Easter Monday

CONFIRMATION

April 16th – 1:00 p.m. mass

FIRST COMMUNION

April 23rd at 10:30 mass.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Spring is finally here. April is a busy month with many activities. Be sure to mark your calendars for the Marathon on Friday, April 28th. All are encouraged to come out and enjoy the day, starting with 8:05 Mass and the Marathon starting shortly after. There will be many fun activities. Sacred Heart Catholic School is in the process of creating a pilot program called SHINE (Sacred Heart Individual Needs Education) for the 2023/24 school year. SHINE will include a Special Education program that would assist some of our current students struggling academically while including new students with special needs. This pilot program would allow for 3 - 5 new students to receive a Sacred Heart education while continuing to provide enrichment for our current students. More information will be in the May newsletter. Sacred Heart has many exciting things going on to finish this school year. Be sure to check your calendars and Facebook page for all the April activities. We wish all of our students participating in spring events the best of luck!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

3rd NINE WEEKS HONOR ROLL – Grade 5 – High Honor Roll: Konnor Chance, Max Collins, Amryn Etzler, Lily Janak, Willow Janak, Luke Meinkowsky, Bransen Pastucha, Emi Pohl; **Honor Roll:** Kenley Sevcik, Baye Shimek, Aiden Steffek, Adley Zappe; **Grade 6 - High Honor Roll:** Bryce Chovanetz, Colsen Dworsky, Paelyn Etzler, Chloe Grahmann, Edward Kubenka, Kayla Kurtz, Kenzie Kurtz, Kristina Rybak, Tyler Tumis; **Honor Roll:** Landyn Migl; **Grade 7 – High Honor Roll:** Ainsley Grahmann, Ben Meinkowsky; **Honor Roll:** Phillip Broussard, Macie Haas, Isabella Halbrook, Leo Henke, Ainsley Noska, Trent Sevcik, Taylor Sobotik; **Grade 8 – High Honor Roll:** Kenzie Chance, Allison Clark, Ethan Do, Maximillian Halbrook; **Honor Roll:** Ysabella Arellano, Lacie Olivarez, Layne Sevcik, Jillian Whited; **Grade 9 – High Honor Roll:** Avery Beach, Ella Demel, Rylan Dworsky, Lanie Haas, Emerson Harvey, Ryan Janak, Ty Lewis, Ty Noska; **Honor Roll –** Tucker Boswell, Kaeden Grahmann, Clare Harper, Timber Janak, Mabry Machac, Bransen Miranda, Hallie Taylor; **Grade 10 – High Honor Roll:** Lance Barton, Ainsley Bocker, Brianna Clark, Karley Kostelnik, Mary Krischke, Emma Schmidt, Marcus Seger; **Honor Roll:** Sam Bludau, Annika Brooks, Caleb Brooks, Abigail Hill, Thia Ashley Infante, Hudson Kutac, Kaycee Schindler, Heather Wilson; **Grade 11 – High Honor Roll:** Kaylynn Fikac, Kylie Fikac, Elena Grahmann, Aracely Guzman, Kayla Immekus, Kathryn Ivey, Amanda Janak, Alexandra Kraatz, Ava Lackey, Ava Matias, Haley Noska, Natalie Osina; **Honor Roll:** Chloe Alex-Hartensteiner, Lillieana Bludau, James Cesarz, Klayton Chance, Peyton Cull, Joseph Goodwyne, Allyshia Grahmann, Aubrey Luna, Maryn Machac, Anneliese Noska, Luke Riehl, Braxtyn Sitka, Alyssa Zbranek; **Grade 12 – High Honor Roll:** Arabella Arellano, Ann Estelle Brown, Bailey Haas, Aiden Harvey, Arianna Henke, Melea Henke, Jules Janak, Kathryn Kostelnik, Lilly Machicek, Katherine Pavliska, Brett Sestak; **Honor Roll:** Savannah Filip, Madelyn Hynes, Garrett Ridgeway, Sarah Slatter;

PSIA DISTRICT 7A RESULTS – 1st Grade: Blair Kudelka – Creative Writing 7th, Storytelling 1st - State Qualifier; **2nd Grade:** Kaylee Whited - Creative Writing 3rd, Spelling 7th; Julie Haas – Creative Writing 9th; Claire Janak –Mathematics 4th (tie); **3rd Grade:** Jack Lucas – Number Sense 10th; **4th Grade:** Grace Harvey – Listening Skills 2nd, State Qualifier, Maps, Graphs, & Charts 5th, Ready Writing 5th; Haley Hartensteiner – Dictionary Skills 6th; Number Sense 6th; Seth Seydler – Maps, Graphs, & Charts 6th; Ready Writing 6th; Spelling 5th; Zoe Machicek – Number Sense 7th; Lana Opela – Poetry Interpretation 5th; **5thGrade:** Konner Chance – Maps Graphs, & Charts 6th, Mathematics 1st – State Qualifier; Number Sense 2nd - State Qualifier; Lily Janak – Maps, Graphs, & Charts 1st, State Qualifier; Dictionary Skills 1st, State Qualifier; Number Sense 3rd, State Alternate; Poetry Interpretation 3rd, State Alternate; Spelling 2nd, State Qualifier; Bransen Pastucha – Spelling 3rd, Alternate; Emi Pohl – Listening Skills 1st, Reading Writing 1st, Spelling 1st – State Qualifier in all 3; Maps, Graphs, & Charts 5th, Mathematics 6th; Ethan Tumamao – Ready Writing 2nd, State Qualifier; Audrina Watson – Listening Skills 9th; Poetry Interpretation 7th; **6th Grade:** Edward Kubenka – Ready Writing 1st, Mathematics 2nd; State Qualifier in both; **7th Grade:** Ainsley Grahmann – Maps, Graphs, & Charts 2nd, State Qualifier; On-Site Drawing 5th; Ready Writing 1st, State Qualifier; Weston Trobl –Science 5th; Listening Skills 7th; Mathematics 5th; **8th Grade:** Ysabella Arellano – Listening Skills 1st, Ready Writing 1st, State Qualifier in both; Kenzie Chance – On-site Drawing 2nd, State Qualifier; Reading Writing 5th; Ethan Do – Spelling 6th; Allison Clark – Dictionary Skills 5th; Spelling 10th; Jillian Whited – On-Site Drawing 4th; Spelling 9th

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS EDUCATION CONTEST WINNERS

Division I: Art: 1st Ethan Tumamao; 2nd Branson Pastucha; 3rd Baye Shimek; Poetry: 1st Grayson Whited; 2nd Willow Janak; Essay: 1st Emi Pohl; 2nd Konnor Chance; Computer Art: 1st Lily Janak
Division 2: Art: 1st Ainsley Grahmann; 2nd Lacie Olivarez; Poetry: 1st Lacie Olivarez; Essay: 1st Ainsley Grahmann; 2nd Lacie Olivarez
Division 3: Art: 1st Arabella Arellano; 2nd Melea Henke; Poetry: 1st Arabella Arellano; 2nd Haley Noska; 3rd Brody Etzler; Essay: 1st Haley Noska; 2nd Addison Ferry; 3rd Natalie Osina; Computer Art: 1st Brett Sestak; Photography: 1st Ava Matias; 2nd Melea Henke

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

2022 - 2023 SAT TESTS: May 6th *; June 3rd

* Denotes offered at HHS

Deadline to register for May 6th test – April 7th

Deadline to register for June 3rd test – May 4th

To register, go to: www.sat.org/register

For practice tests, go to <https://www.khanacademy.org/>

2022 - 2023 ACT TESTS: April 15th *; June 10th;

July 15th * Denotes offered at HHS

Deadline to register for June 10th test – May 5th

Deadline to register for July 15th test – June 16th

To register, go to: www.actstudent.org

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION – Seniors have been given scholarship information from both Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Henke. Deadlines and requirements are included in the information. On our website, go to:

<http://www.shschool.org/academics/guidance.cfm>

For the local scholarships – they can copy the application and information on to a flash drive. See Mrs. Barton.

TSIA TEST – All students planning to take dual credit classes next year must take the Texas Success Initiative Assessment (TSIA) and meet the minimum score requirements, unless they are eligible through their PSAT scores.

Go to: <http://www.victoriacollege.edu/tsiassessment>

The cost is \$12.00. Students receive their results immediately and will know if they met the minimum required scores on each of the tests – reading, writing, and math. In order to be able to take dual credit classes next year, students must have passing test scores turned in by April 1st. Bring your test scores to Mrs. Henke.

COUNSELOR – Ana Henke ana.henke@shschool.org

MORE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

LAVACA SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION WINNERS:

District: Essays: 13 & Under: 1st – Ainsley Grahmann; 2nd – Taylor Sobotik; 3rd – Kayla Kurtz; **Essays 14 & Over:** 3rd – Adyson Trobl; **Essay School Wide Winners: 13 & Under:** 1st – Ainsley Grahmann; 2nd – Taylor Sobotik; 3rd – Kayla Kurtz; **14 & Over:** 1st – Adyson Trobl; 2nd – Mary Beth Kirschke; 3rd – Marcus Seger

CONGRATULATIONS ALL DISTRICT & ALL STATE BASKETBALL PLAYERS!

Girls: All District 1st Team: Bailey Haas, Jules Janak, Alexandra Kraatz, Ava Lackey, Lani Pilat; **All District 2nd Team:** Elena Grahmann, Kaycee Schindler, Heather Wilson; **All District Honorable Mention:** Ava Matias, Mallory Mueller; **All State 1st Team:** Bailey Haas, Jules Janak, Alexandra Kraatz; **All State 2nd Team:** Ava Lackey; **2A Girls All Tournament Team:** Bailey Haas, Jules Janak, Aleigh Kraatz; **All State MVP #1:** Bailey Haas; **Boys: All District 1st Team:** Nicholas Angerstein, Brady Haas; **All District 2nd Team:** Hudson Kutac, Kobi Valchar; **All District Honorable Mention:** Tyler Hawkins, Andrew Steffek

ACADEMIC ALL STATE BASKETBALL PLAYERS:

Girls: Elena Grahmann, Bailey Haas, Jules Janak, Alexandra Kraatz, Ava Lackey; **Boys:** Nicholas Angerstein, Kobi Valchar

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SACRED HEART ANNUAL FUND – Our 2nd appeal for this year's Annual Fund has been mailed out. This fund helps support our school and student programs. We appreciate everyone who has already donated. Please consider donating to this fund if you have not yet done so. Thank you!

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET - Monday, April 24th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Family Center. Representatives from scholarship organizations will be special guests.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

2 Eli Beach	14 Emery Haas
3 Heidi Stovall	15 Karter Haas
5 Dillon Etzler	Colson Dworsky
6 Levi Henke	Mrs. Jamie Grahmann
7 Mrs. Jill Etzler	20 Tara Rother
Tyler Tumis	21 Cole Bujnoch
9 Eva Hill	22 Weston Trobl
Ty Noska	25 Preslie Haas
10 Jack Lucas	28 Julia Meinkowsky
Kenzie Grahmann	29 Sawyer Pustejovsky
11 Slade Clark	
Kenley Sevcik	

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

26 – Monsignor John C. Peters (49 years)
29 - Brenda & Kevin Etzler (28 years)
29 - Shadra & David Pastucha (17 years)

Dear Sacred Heart Students & Staff,

Thank you so much for the generous gifts as support for my spring semester at Holy Trinity Seminary! Thank you also for the support y'all give through your prayers for us seminarians and for vocations in our Diocese. Know of my prayers for our school family, and Go Big Blue!!

William Pettus
Holy Trinity Seminary
Irving, Texas

AN EASTER PRAYER

Jesus has been raised to new life.
Alleluia! Thank you, God, for the gift
of your Son. Amen.

