

,Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope you had a great week.

All current St. Augustin families should have received a letter detailing this year's Royal Founders initiative. Please consider donating; your generous contributions continue to make our school the best! Reach out to Emily Kistner, Katie Massop, or Lizzie Dixon with any questions.

### **Summer Tutoring**

Please click [here](#) if you are interested in signing up for summer tutoring with one of our teachers.

### **STAR Royals**

Respectful, Responsible, Ready Set Safe; We Are The Royals Grounded In Faith!

The following students were recognized as our STAR Royals this week: Eloise P. (K), Estelle T. (2nd), Amelie O. (6th), Caitlin W. (6th), and Darcy T. (7th) this week.

Be sure to check out their photos on our front bulletin board!

### **Tuesday, April 15: CTO/DTA Application Deadline**

Families will be able to apply for tuition assistance from CTO and from the Diocesan Tuition Assistance Fund (DTA) established with the Ignite Capital Campaign on the same application.

Please click [here](#) for the flyer.

Online applications will open at [www.fairapp.com](http://www.fairapp.com) beginning on February 1 and the deadline for submissions is April 15. When applying, enter the *school code* 450 and the *password* 450ddm.

There is more than \$2 million to award for the coming school year, yet we highly recommend that you encourage families to apply early and submit all their required documents (federal tax returns and other documents) as soon as possible, but for sure before the April 15 deadline.

### **Friday, April 18: Good Friday (2:30pm Dismissal)**

Our 8th grade students will lead the Stations of the Cross at 1:45pm in the gymnasium.

School will dismiss at 2:30pm on Friday, April 18. There will be no PM extended care. Families are encouraged to attend the Good Friday Service at the Church at 3:00pm.

**Monday, April 21: Easter Monday**

There will be no school on Monday, April 21.

**Friday, April 25: Donuts with Dads**

We are excited to welcome all Dads on Friday, April 25 from 7:15am - 8:15am for donuts.

**Saturday, April 26: St. A Sock Hop**

You can still get tickets to the Father Daughter Dance! Join your friends for a night of dancing and father daughter fun at the St. A Sock Hop in the school gym Saturday 4/26/25 6-7:30pm. Poodle skirts and leather jackets highly encouraged!

Dads do not need tickets, \$20 ticket per daughter, max per family \$40 (two tickets). Drop off your check or cash to the office marked Attention: Stephanie Haas with your daughter's name or pay at the door.

If you are available to volunteer to help at the dance please contact Meg Norberg at [megblatt@gmail.com](mailto:megblatt@gmail.com) or 574-386-1819.

**Tuesday, April 29: Battle of the Books**

**Wednesday, April 30 - Wednesday, May 7: ISASP Administration**

Our 3rd - 8th grade students will complete the Iowa Statewide Assessment of Student Progress Wednesday, April 30 - Wednesday, May 7. Please avoid appointments if at all possible during these dates.

**Thursday, May 1: Transportation Reimbursement Form Due**

Transportation Reimbursement deadline for the second semester is May 1, 2025. Please click here to go to the "School Forms" page of our website. Then, click "Transportation Reimbursement".

Families living in the districts listed below will no longer file a paper request for transportation reimbursement. You are now required to submit your reimbursement request online by going to the websites linked below.

Des Moines - [Click Here](#)

West Des Moines - [Click Here](#)

Ankeny - [Click Here](#)

SE Polk - [Click Here](#)

### **Friday, May 2: Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament**

The Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament is Friday, May 2. Please click [here](#) to register your team.

### **Monday, May 5: Grandparent's Day**

Last names beginning in A - L will come from 9:30am - 11am.

Last names beginning in M - Z will come from 1pm - 2:30pm.

Please RSVP for Grandparent's Day by Friday, April 25 using the link [here](#).

### **Monday, May 12: Kindergarten Round Up**

Our current kindergarten class will not have school on Monday, May 12 to host our 2025 - 2026 kindergarten students.

### **Saturday, May 17: Mother Son Kickball Game at Waterworks Park**

You can still get tickets to the Mother Son Kickball Game at 3pm on Saturday, May 17!

Moms take this opportunity to bond and have fun with your son outdoors. Come join the fun and find out who will be victorious. Stay and hang out after at the Beer Garden. Moms do not need a ticket. \$20 ticket per son, max per family \$40 (two tickets). Drop off your check or cash to the office marked Attention: Stephanie Haas with your son's name or pay at the game. If you have any questions please contact Meg Norberg at [megblatt@gmail.com](mailto:megblatt@gmail.com) or 574-386-1819.

### **Tuesday, May 20: Clap Out**

The 8th grade clap-out is scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, at 3:00pm. If you plan to attend, please do not leave your car parked in the car line. Parents are welcome to stand between the front doors and the second set of double doors or outside the front doors.

### **Facility Request Form**

Please complete the form linked [here](#) to request our school facility use. This form helps us to determine what paperwork is necessary.

## **Yearbook Photo Submissions**

Submit your photos for the yearbook using this link: <https://photos.jostens.com/O9EQVG>

## **DCHS Camp/Club Information**

DCHS Winter Weight Training (7th & 8th Grade): [Info Linked Here](#)

DCHS Cheer & Dance: [Flyer Linked Here](#)

DCHS Baseball: [DCHS Spring Baseball Clinic](#)

DCHS Maroon Softball Club: [Flyer Linked Here](#)

IGHSAU Basketball Clinic: [Flyer Linked Here](#)

DCHS Summer Camps: [Flyer Linked Here](#)

DCHS Riptide Swim Lessons: [Flyer Linked Here](#) (registration open March 3)

DCHS New Swimmer Evaluations: [Flyer Linked Here](#) (March 8)

DCHS Track and Field Club: [Maroons Track & Field Club](#)

CFL Registration: [CFL Open Registration](#)

DCVC Tryout Information: [Flyer Linked Here](#)

Thank you!

Mrs. Spike