



UPCOMING EVENTS

[Live Calendar](#)



Every Monday and Thursday
Pizza -\$1.50/slice

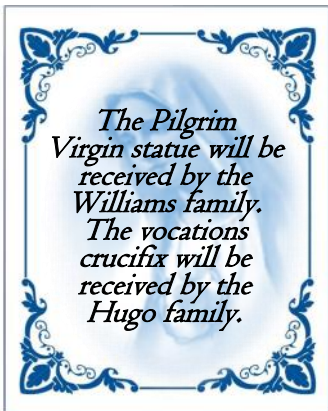


Every Tuesday Morning
Colossal Donuts—\$1.50/donut

- Sept 30 Sons of the Most High at Koehr Manor: Mass at 11:30 AM; Events begin at 1PM
- Oct 6 School Mass at 2PM not 11:20
- Oct 7 Daughters of the King 1-8:30PM
- Oct 9 Columbus Day—School IN SESSION
- Oct 10 Col P Golf Tournament
- Oct 11 PSAT (11th Graders ONLY) Senior Retreat 9-12PM No School 7th—10th Grade
- Oct 12 Picture Day
- Oct 14 Admissions Test 9-noon
- Oct 18 Oktoberfest (5th/6th)
- Oct 20 End of the 1st Quarter
- Oct 25 Band Lunch Fundraiser
- Oct 28 Halloween Dance
- Oct 31 JH All Hallows Eve Party 2PM
- Nov 1 All Saints Day—NO SCHOOL
- Nov 2 12:20 School Dismissal for Parent/Teacher Conf 1-5 PM



I have a question about...Who do I call?
Click [here](#).



FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MRS. CARROLL

GRATITUDE I: We are grateful for the many students who responded to the opportunity yesterday to enroll in the [Angelic Warfare Confraternity](#), an apostolate in which the members pray for each other, with the specific goals of resisting temptations against the virtue of purity and of living a life of respect for our bodies and the bodies of others as gifts from God, of always honoring the dignity of every person we meet. So many students responded that we did not have enough of the sacramentals for everyone. We will order more sacramentals immediately and hold another ceremony for students who did not have a sacramental yesterday. This second ceremony will also provide an opportunity for enrollment for students who did not enroll yesterday for whatever reason. Click [HERE](#) for the prayers. All are encouraged to pray them even if you are not part of the confraternity.



GRATITUDE II: FAMILY SPIRITUAL PREPARATION FOR THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY: Our gratitude focus for the first quarter is gratitude for everything, even if it is not what we hoped for.

This focus will help us to see God as our loving Father, who always gives us what is best for us. This week, try each day to say thank you for something that was not on your wish list. (It could be a blessing that you had never thought to ask for.)



INTELLECTUAL FORMATION: Here is the next take-away from The Battle for the American Mind.

Chapter 4, "The Story of the Progressive Heist"

Before the Progressive Movement, schools were local, governed by local school boards, mostly made up of parents. Think of the proverbial one-room schoolhouse (like the one my father attended) or two-room (like the one I attended). This situation had to change for the takeover to succeed. It started with Horace Mann and compulsory school attendance laws. By 1918, all states had compulsory school attendance laws. More children were in school for a longer time, schools were bigger, and the government was now in control of them.

Then the curriculum would be changed. John Dewey was the driving force. He said that the existing curriculum (classical, Christian) was "one-sided and narrow. It is an education dominated almost entirely by the medieval conception of learning. . . [and it] appeals for the most part simply to the intellectual aspect of our nature [instead of] tendencies to make, to do, to create, to produce." Education must be pragmatic and vocational rather than leading the children to know and appreciate truth, beauty, and goodness.

Instead, in the words of the author of our book, "We need to prepare children who, with an independence of mind, still revere divine order [and who] will apply reason to find Truth, sourced in God, not themselves."

SPEAKING OF SCHOOLS: You will enjoy this article by Dr. Jeff Mirus on catholicculture.org, if you haven't already seen it. (I'm recommending it over a month after it was written). Click [HERE](#).

RECOMMENDED READING:

- ✦ <https://catholicexchange.com/nine-benefits-of-going-to-confession-frequently>
- ✦ <https://catholicvote.org/catholic-radio-host- consoles-woman-calls-on-way-abortion>

MASSES AND ROSARIES

- Rosaries**
- Monday Mass*
- All Saints 8:30 AM
- Rosary*
- Tues-Fri 8:00 AM
- in the Chapel



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for Miriam Van Scott ('81) battling pancreatic cancer.

Thank You!

Mrs. Judge for providing the priest's lunch and dinner for Mrs. Carroll and Mr. Westhoff and Fr. Vander Woude for saying Friday's School Mass.

SETON'S GUIDANCE CORNER

Seton Guidance Corner
September 2023

Orientation 101: Essential Information for New Students
Welcome to Seton! This guide provides essential information for new students, including enrollment procedures, school policies, and contact information. It covers topics such as registration, uniforms, and the school calendar.

100 Essential Activities, Events, and Programs
Discover the wide range of opportunities available at Seton, from sports and arts to academic enrichment and service projects. This list highlights key events and programs that contribute to a well-rounded education.

A New Catholic College: College of St. Joseph
Explore the offerings of the College of St. Joseph, a premier institution of higher learning. This section details the college's mission, academic programs, and the support services provided to its students.

Practical Skills for Success: Career and Life Skills
Learn about the various practical skills and career preparation programs offered by Seton. This includes information on internships, job shadowing, and the resources available to help students prepare for the workforce.

PSAT ATTENTION JUNIORS: DON'T FORGET TO COMPLETE THE PSAT EXAM SET-UP

Mrs. Reyes met with all the juniors on Wednesday to explain how to set-up for the PSAT exam. Please make sure this gets done and send Mrs. Reyes an email (smreyes595@gmail.com) once it has been completed so she can check off your name.. Instructions can be found [HERE](#). Also, the following are links will answer all your questions about the PSAT (please note that paper copies are no longer available):

- [3-Minute video about the Digital PSAT](#)
- [2023 PSAT Student Guide](#)
- [Parents Guide to the PSAT](#)

HS & JHS BACK TO SCHOOL FUN!



BLUE CRAB BOWL UPDATE! Seton School is seeking a new coach (or two!) to lead Seton students in preparing for this year's academic quiz-bowl competition on ocean-themed topics. Veteran coaches Hank Konstany and Tricia Kellogg will assist with materials and lessons and share knowledge gained from years of mentoring highly successful Seton teams. Typical mentor commitment is leading once weekly meetings after school until January when the training pace increases in the run up to the February 9-10, 2024, weekend competition at the Virginia Institute of Marine Science in Williamsburg, VA.

[This video](#) provides an overview of the competition. Seton 2019 and 2020 teams are featured in the video as well as a team from 2010! Interested in learning more, please contact Tricia Kellogg, rbskellogg@gmail.com, 571-288-6852, or Hank Konstany, hkonstany@gmail.com, 703-232-3696.

SETON TENNIS INTRAMURAL SATURDAY, 10/14

There will be a **Seton Tennis Intramural Tournament** on Saturday, 10/14 10:00AM-1:00PM at Osbourn High School courts. This event is open to all tennis playing students and teachers. Call you rally and serve? If so, all skill levels welcome! Sign up to join the mixed doubles fun and show some school spirit! Partners will be assigned so that all doubles teams are somewhat equal and we will use brackets to determine the overall winners. Questions? Contact Coach Erin Atkinson at e_m_atkinson@hotmail.com or Coach Ann Pennefather at apennefather@setonschool.net.

SIGN-UP HERE

PICTURE DAY IS OCT 12TH!

We will be using Jostens this year for our pictures. Click on [the flyer](#) for all the info.



Save the Date

SETON TRIVIA NIGHT
11/11/23
INVITES TO BE SENT VIA JUPITER ED IN OCTOBER

★ AP Scholar with Distinction ★

Congratulations to Rudy Gasser (Class of 2023) on being named AP Scholar with Distinction! Rudy took 8 AP exams and scored a 3 or higher on all of them!

"Believe and adore. Believe that Jesus Christ is in this sacrament as truly as He was nine months in the womb of Mary, as real as He was nailed to the Cross. Adore in humility and gratitude."
St. John Vianney

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SETON COMMUNITY

San Damiano Spiritual Life Center Retreats. Overwhelmed by the world? Feeling a bit lost...and even afraid? Why not retreat? Click [here](#) for upcoming retreats.

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS! Announcing: A new HS Legion of Mary group at the House of Mercy. COME AND SEE! We meet every Wednesday at 3:45 P.M. Click on [the flyer](#) for more information.



SETON PRESENTS

Daughters OF THE King

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH
1 - 8:30 PM

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING RETURNS!
A DAY OF FAITH, FRIENDS & FASHION
RESERVE YOUR SLOT BY OCTOBER 1ST

\$30 INCLUDES DINNER, ENTERTAINMENT & FASHION SHOW



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Catherine Hadro

**The day begins with Mass at 1:00pm,
followed by a great Keynote and
Three Wise Women Workshops and dinner...**

WITH AMAZING MUSIC THROUGHOUT
THE FASHION SHOW BY
Marie Miller



COST: \$30 PER PERSON

QUESTIONS? EMAIL DOTKATSETON@GMAIL.COM

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