



St. Aloysius Gonzaga Gator Gazette

May 22, 2026

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Families,

It is amazing to look back on all that our students have experienced and accomplished together. From classroom learning and faith formation to service projects, performances, athletic events, and everyday moments of growth, this year was filled with opportunities that helped shape our students academically, spiritually, and personally.

Thank you to our families for sharing your children with us and for the many ways you support our school community throughout the year. A strong partnership between home and school is one of the greatest gifts we can provide our students, and we are grateful for the trust and encouragement you continue to give.

As we celebrate the close of this school year, we also celebrate the memories, friendships, and traditions that make St. Al's such a special place. We congratulate our graduates as they begin a new chapter and wish the very best to any families moving on from our community.

Summer is a well-earned opportunity to slow down, spend time with loved ones, and enjoy a change of pace. We hope your family has a safe, relaxing, and joyful summer, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back in August for another great year ahead.

There are also many exciting upgrades and improvements happening around the school over the summer months. Please be on the lookout for updates and important information through Option C as we prepare for another wonderful school year at St. Al's.

Mrs. O-T



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saintals.org

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UPCOMING DATES



May

May 22- Last Day of School!

August

August 16- Back 2 School Jamboree 12pm-2pm PK-8

August 19-20- Preschool Meet & Greet

August 20- Staggered Start K-8 "A-L" (FULL DAY)

August 21- Staggered Start K-8 "M-Z" (FULL DAY)

August 24- ALL STUDENTS K-8 REPORT TO SCHOOL

August 24-28- Preschool Staggered Start

August 31- Preschool starts

IN OTHER NEWS...

We proudly celebrate our 8th Grade Class of 2026!

Through hard work, faith, friendship, and perseverance, these students have reached an important milestone, and we could not be prouder of all they have accomplished. Their kindness, leadership, and spirit have left a lasting impact on our school community.

As they begin this exciting new chapter in high school, we pray they continue to grow in wisdom, courage, and faith wherever God leads them. Congratulations, your school family is cheering you on and wishing you continued success and many blessings in the years ahead!

We are also proud to share that the Class of 2026 earned an impressive \$344,000 in scholarships. Congratulations again to the Class of 2026 on all of your incredible achievements!

Keiley Amend- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

Norah Asher- [Seton High School](#)

Walter Dobbins- [LaSalle High School](#)

Carlos Earls- [Lasalle High School](#)

Payton Elder- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

Caleeah Graham- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

William Lupp- [Lasalle High School](#)

Turner Mazzella- [Saint Xavier High School](#)

Stephen Moeckel- [Lasalle High School](#)

Maria Nagel- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

Mary O'Connell- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

Lanylah Reed- [Colerain High School](#)

Christopher Sears- [Elder High School](#)

Christian Shell- [LaSalle High School](#)

Victoria Spicer- [Mercy McAuley High School](#)

Lamiya Vadgamwala- [Harrison High School](#)



Dear Families,

As a reminder, 2026-2027 tuition balances will be loaded in FACTS June and July. In some cases, we may still be waiting on the EdChoice process for award amounts. Once we receive that information, we can proceed with inputting your tuition balance. First payments owed toward tuition will be due in August.

CEF awards were communicated on May 8th. Due to the change in process by the Archdiocese, the school has the dollar amount awarded to each student. There is no need to send a copy of your award email/letter into the school. These credits will be itemized in FACTS and deducted from tuition balances.

As a friendly reminder, if you choose an annual or semi-annual payment plan in FACTS, you will receive 40% off your tuition balance.

With that said, if you would like to change your current payment plan, please email fbuchert@fmhe.org.

Thank you

St. Aloysius Enrollment for the 2026-2027 school year is still open.

We currently have openings for incoming students in grades 1st through 6th. Tuition for the 26/27 school year is \$7,166 with a non-refundable registration fee of \$125.

Current families will need to submit their paperwork for the 2026-2027 school year to the office and update your FACTS to pay the registration fee.

New families will need to create a FACTS account (our online tuition management system) in order to pay registration fees and pay school tuition. Please visit <https://online.factsmtg.com/signin/3XD85/> to register for FACTS.

For more information, please reach out to Melissa Tenhundfeld at tenhundfeld_m@saintals.org

St. Aloysius Preschool currently has openings in our **3-year-old half-day program** and our **4-year-old Tuesday/Thursday program for the 2026/2027 school year.**

If you or someone you know may be interested, please reach out to **Stephanie Goettke** at goettke_s@saintals.org for more information!

We would love to welcome some new friends to our preschool family.

News from ATHLETICS

Summer will be heating up soon, but it's already time to start thinking about girls' volleyball season this fall!

Signups are NOW open and this summer we will be offering FREE introduction to volleyball sessions for rising third-and-fourth-graders on June 10 and 24, and FREE pre-tryout skills sessions for rising fifth-through-eighth-graders on July 9, 15, 23 and 29.

Season registration: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/522050>

Intro to Volleyball registration: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/522476>

Pre-tryout registration: <https://go.teamsnap.com/forms/522481>

(Parents, please remember to update your child's grade for NEXT year)

More information: <https://saintals.org/.../2026/05/2026GVolleyballFlyer.pdf>

As a reminder, tryouts will be only for proper team construction — ALL Gators who sign up will have a team to play for.

Questions? Contact Coach and Coordinator Andee Welsh at andeewelsh@gmail.com.
Go Gators!

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Registration is now open for the fall 2026 boys' and girls' soccer seasons!

Signup now: <https://tinyurl.com/GatorsSoccer2026>

This year we will again be offering competitive soccer for boys and girls born 2012-2020. Registration is \$75 and sign ups will be open through May 31.

Our league requires us to enter our registrants early, so make sure you do not miss this closing date! Instructional-age registration will begin later in the year.

Questions? Contact coordinator Erin Gasset at eegasset126@gmail.com.

Go Gators!



FMHE First Communicants:

Join us as we honor
our Holy Mother, in the

Marian Procession at CincItalia 2026

SUNDAY MAY 31 AT 2:00 PM



Scan the QR code to
register your child



Summer Camps for All Ages

St. Xavier High School is excited to offer many athletic and creative summer camps this summer, including Camp A' Capella, Jazz / Rock Music Camp, Guitar Camp, Chess Camp and Makerspace Camp. All the creative camps are co-ed with the exception being the Summer Enrichment Camp, which is for rising 8th grade boys only. We look forward to hosting all your students who are looking for an intellectually stimulating and fun summer experience. Interested families can find out more at the link below. Financial aid is available.

<https://www.stxavier.org/academics/summer-camps>

The Summer Enrichment Program for Rising 8th Grade Boys



Through a mix of academic, cultural, social, and athletic activities, the Summer Enrichment Program (SEP) provides an excellent opportunity for students to become acquainted with life at St. X. Students will make a film, solve a puzzle, learn game strategies, and build and race a soap box derby car. Register your son for a fun-filled summer of meeting future classmates and having fun! Breakfast and lunch are included with the program. SEP is offered to rising 8th-grade boys only.

- Time: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Dates: June 8-26, Monday through Friday – If you have a vacation planned, you can still sign up for two of the three weeks.
- Register here: <https://www.stxavier.org/academics/summer-camp>
- Please contact John Ravenna at jravenna@stxavier.org if you have questions.

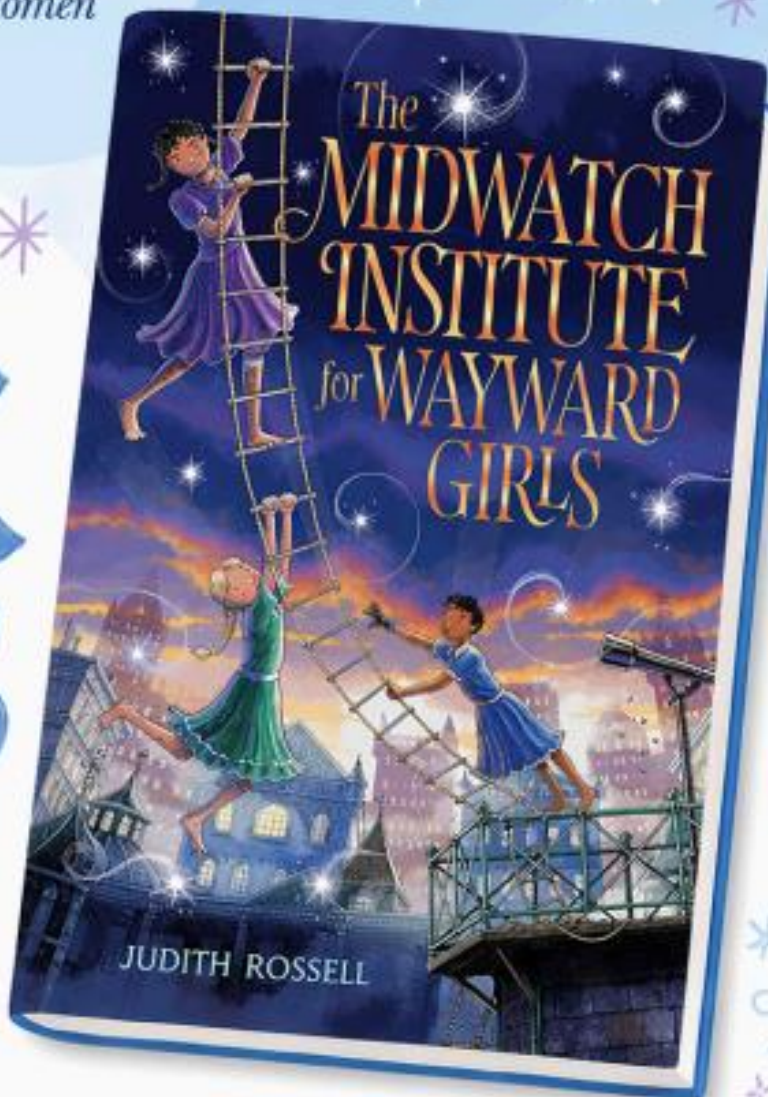


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OUR BOOK PICK:



JULY 10

9:00AM - 11:00AM



**RIISING 5TH-8TH
GRADE GIRLS**

REGISTRATION OPENS JUNE 8!

Oak Hills Alumni & Educational
Foundation Presents

Summer Book Bus

For
ALL
ages

Children must be accompanied
by an adult

A FREE book
with every visit



Beginning June 2nd - July 10th

Tuesdays at Dulles
Wednesdays at CO Harrison
9:30 - 11:30

June 12, 16, July 10 at
New Day Church (Ruwes Oak)
9:30 - 11:30

Follow our Face Book Page for additional
events this summer.
Oak Hills Book Bus

Activities:

- Storytelling
- Lego Play
- Mentor reading
- Popsicles

Questions



For more information:
ohbookbus@gmail.com

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