



# Saint Katharine Drexel Preparatory School

*"Continuing the Drexel Dream since 1915"*

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October 1, 2019

Dear Parents,



It's hard to believe that Fall is upon us. We Thank God for His many Bountiful Blessings!

Thanks to all who assisted, shared and participated in the Senior Ring Ceremony. It was a beautiful occasion. The class of 2020 received their senior rings and senior sweaters during the ring ceremony. The seniors were absolutely spectacular.

The Fall offers many unique opportunities for our students, especially our seniors and juniors. Many local organizations will sponsor College Fairs throughout the month, and we encourage our students to attend as many fairs as possible. Colleges and Universities will share information on college admissions, financial aid, and scholarship opportunities. The senior class will attend the NCAC College Fair on Tuesday, October 1, 2019. Students will participate in a Pink Day Activity on Friday, October 4 in observance of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

PSAT and Aspire Testing are scheduled for October 16, 2019. Students will be dismissed early on October 16 at 12:00 noon. **Report Card Conference is October 17, 2019, from 4-6 pm.** The student will be dismissed early on October 17th at 1:50 pm. Parents are expected to attend the conference to review grades, speak with teachers about student assignments, projects, testing, and behavior. We look forward to your attendance.

**Oct 18: Fun Day Fest | Oct 21-25: Red Ribbon Week**

Tutoring will begin in October; Mr. Smith will send information to parents regarding the schedule. We're excited for our students who have improved their ACT scores. The summer ACT Prep program has proven to aid in improving ACT test scores.

**Congratulations: Leah Boucree, Kyndal Samuel, and Genise Wells**

- On Thursday, October 4, 2019, at 6 pm, the first of three Chromebook seminars will be conducted in the Drexel Center. The first seminar will be for parents of Juniors and Seniors. Parents must pay the mandatory \$41.00 computer insurance fee. The insurance will provide coverage for water damage, loss, or theft.
- The integration of the technology using the Chromebooks with our lesson design will improve the academic efficiency of our curriculum. We are counting on parents to support this vital initiative to improve 21st Century Learning.

### **SKDP Fundraisers:**

In an effort to improve our school, we need to raise additional funds, please support the upcoming fundraising activities:

October 25 & 27, 2019 | 5pm - Spooktacular on Magazine Street  
October Candy Drive Kick-off (Mandatory Participation)

### **Upcoming Mandatory Activities:**

Testing, Chromebook Seminars, College Fairs, and College Visits  
Every student must sell two cases of candy to support the SKDP Candy Drive.

Continue to pray for the families of Brooke Dapremont, Lanisha Dorsey and Mrs. Jane Bell.

***Please review the attached calendar and check the SKDP website for more information.***

Jacob J. Owens, Jr.  
Principal

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