

STA At A Glance

Week 13: November 22nd - November 29th, 2022

For details about upcoming events, please visit our school [calendar](#)



STA Students Shine at World Scholar's Cup Tournament of Champions at Yale University

Congratulations to Grade 11 student, Nick and Grade 12 student Gabe on their results from the World Scholar's Cup Tournament of Champions at Yale University. The tournament saw 48 nations and more than 1600 students participating. The STA duo gained seven medals:

- Individual Debate - Gold medal - Nick
- Individual Writing – Silver medal placement - Gabe & Nick
- Team Bowl - Gold medal placement
- Team Debate - Silver medal placement



Gr. 8 Retreat Tuesday, November 29th

Students are to go to their first block for attendance and will return at 3pm.

They do not need to wear their uniform.



Gr. 9 Volleyball Girls Provincial Champs

Congratulations to the Gr 9 volleyball team who captured STA's first Provincial Championship banner for this age group defeating Heritage Woods in the final 2-0. Special mention to Lia, who was named a tournament All Star and to Jada who was named tournament MVP! Congratulations Saints - we are proud of you!



Congratulations STA Swimmers!

STA Swimmers competed at Provincials in Richmond. Grade 12 student Adam finished in 3rd place for the boys 100m breaststroke. Adam is 1 of 16 swimmers in Canada who have been chosen to train with Swimming Canada.

Mikaila, Kinsey, Nicole and Ally participated in the girls 200m medley team.

Please bring a water bottle. Pizza lunch is provided.



12 days of Aquinas Christmas Giving

This Christmas season, we are collecting food, clothing, and hygiene

items so that we can help our neighbours in need. Items can be brought to the Campus Ministry office each day, starting **November 24th and ending December 13th**. Students can earn 1 service hour per item donated. Please click [here](#) for more information and the 12 days of Aquinas Christmas giving.



Donate Items for Grad 2023 Silent Auction

The STA Grad Committee will be hosting their 3rd

Silent Auction on Saturday, December 10th to help raise funds for various Grad 2023 events. The committee needs your help collecting interesting items for the auction – new clothing, wine or liquor, gift certificates, art work...they are not picky, they'll take it all. Please drop off items by November 30th at the school office or for larger items or outside of school hours, please contact [Jennifer Albon](#).

St. Anthony's Parish Mass Times

Every Tuesday evening, [St. Anthony's Parish](#) has an evening [mass](#) at 6:30pm followed by the litany of St. Anthony.



Krispy Kremes for Basketball

Support the STA basketball team

and [order](#) your Krispy Kreme Doughnuts. Pick up is Sunday, November 27th from 12-2pm. Thank you for your support.



Baked Goods for STA Art Exhibition & Christmas Concert Monday, December 5th

Students can earn volunteer hours by providing homemade baked goods for the STA Art Exhibition & Christmas Concert. One dozen baked goods = 1 hour. Drop off the baked goods to the office during the day or to the cafeteria on the evening of December 5th between 5:00 to 7:00PM. Your support of the STA performing art students is appreciated.



STA Art Exhibition and Christmas Concert

Everyone is welcome to attend and the event will take place in the foyer and gym on Monday, December 5th. The Art Exhibition will start at 6pm and the concert will commence at 7pm. Refreshments will be provided.

Judges Needed for the Science Fair



Wanted: Parent Judges for Gr. 8 Science Fair Monday, January 30th 8:00am to 4:00pm

Earn Eight Volunteer Hours for Parent Participation
A background in science, while not required,

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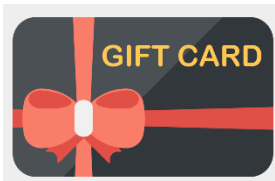
COME AND ENJOY WITH US THIS BEAUTIFUL FEAST OF OUR MOTHER OF AMERICA. SUNDAY DECEMBER 11TH AFTER 10:30AM MASS AND WE WILL HAVE:

- LIVE MARIACHI.
- MEXICAN TAMALES AND HOT CHOCOLATE.
- \$10/PERSON OR \$25/FAMILY (2 ADULTS + 2 KIDS)
- YOU CAN PAY THROUGH OUR LINK, JUST TAKE A PICTURE OF THE QR CODE BELOW, GO TO K of C WEBSITE AND IN FEW STEPS WILL BE DONE.
- WE WILL BE GLAD TO SEE YOU THERE.



Join the Knights of Columbus after the 10:30 mass on **Sunday, December 11th** at Holy Trinity Church. To purchase tickets, click [here](#)

would be an asset. Training for judges will be provided on the day of the event. Sign up on the [Parent Participation Portal](#). **Once you sign up, parents should email Ms. Treacy at treacy@aquinas.org, so that she can email you a preview of the judging booklet.** In the email, please indicate the name of your son or daughter. If you have a child in Gr. 8, we will ensure you don't evaluate your own child's project. *Your child doesn't need to be in Gr. 8 in order for you to volunteer!*



STA School Bucks

Please consider using

the [Schoolbucks](#) program to take advantage of this convenient one-stop shopping program when buying gift cards for family, friends, or co-workers for the holidays. **The last order date to get orders submitted before Christmas is Thursday, Dec 1st for pickup Thursday, Dec 8th.**



STA School Cafeteria Weekly Specials November 29th - December 2nd

Tuesday ~ soft beef tacos
Wednesday ~ chicken & rice
Thursday ~ Sir Thom burger
Friday ~ pasta & garlic bread, perogies & grilled cheese

Payment: cash, debit, credit card and STA gift card. *Menu items subject to availability.*



STA Talks Tomorrow @ 7:00 pm

Please join Father Giovanni as he speaks about the importance of moral and family values. You can attend in-person or watch live-stream on our [YouTube channel](#).