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Congrats to Emma Hanks and Karson Broussard who were crowned Prom King and Queen!

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message from the  
ADMINISTRATORS

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

April 27, 2022

Dear Notre Dame Family,

As we near the end of the school year and prepare for numerous events, ceremonies, milestones and celebrations; we ask that you pray for all our students—that they may experience God's love, the support of family and friends, the satisfaction of a job well-done, the joy and excitement of future endeavors, and that they will be kept safe from injury and harm. We are thankful to God and to Our Lady for helping us to navigate the obstacles of our journey this year

Congratulations to our student athletes who have represented us in spring sports and activities! Good luck to our students and teams who are in post-season play! Your hard work and PIO spirit are evident and we are proud of you.

Ms. Mandy has sent out a notice via email to Seniors and their parents giving all guidelines for Senior Mass, Graduation Practice and Graduation. Please refer to these instructions for dates, times, mode of dress and instructions for who can attend. . We ask your cooperation so that these ceremonies can be as trouble-free and smooth as possible☺

Please be reminded that NO STUDENT will be allowed to take final exams if there is an outstanding debt to the school. This is local and diocesan policy. The obligations include tuition, class dues, cafeteria, text books, library, athletic dues, uniforms and subsidy (if not paid). Prompt attention to these matters will facilitate final exam administration. There can be no exceptions made to this policy.

As we approach the end of the year, please help us reinforce the idea that it is important to finish the year with great work ethic and pride. This means adequate preparation for exams, adherence to school policies and attendance at closing ceremonies. We thank you, once again, for your prayers and support. May Our Lady continue to richly bless every member of the NDHS family.

Blessings,

5/1 ... Athletic Crawfish Boil

5/9-12 ... Senior Exams

5/10 ... Senior Farewell  
Mass & Awards,  
ND Gym, 9:30am

5/18 ... Graduation Practice  
Church Point  
10:15am

5/18 ... Athletic Banquet  
Rayne Civic Center  
6:00pm

5/20 ... Graduation, 9am  
Our Lady of the  
Sacred Heart Church  
(No School)

5/24... Junior Ring Mass,  
ND Gym, 10:15am

5/23-26 ... Final Exams



## COUNSELOR'S CORNER

### Counselor's Corner- May

#### ASVAB TESTING for JUNIORS!!!

When: May 2nd & 3rd- 8am

Where: NDHS Library

#### *What is the ASVAB?*

*The ASVAB is a complete career planning program. Students are given the opportunity to take the ASVAB at no cost and no commitment to military service. The ASVAB also provides an interest assessment and planning tools to help young adults explore career field entry requirements and various career paths, both military and civilian.*

## LOSFA Student Hub

LOSFA has launched the Student Hub to give you more options for tracking your TOPS award eligibility and status, and to provide you with easier account maintenance features. You will need to register for a Student Hub account to take advantage of:

- login recovery options,
- "TOPS Tracker" reports to monitor your award eligibility and status,
- easier access to "Opt Out",
- and more.

Go to: <https://www.osfa.la.gov/studenthub.html> for the Student Hub Registration/Login screen. To register, click the "Register" link then click the "Student" button on the next page, where you can start the registration process with either your **LOSFA ID (LOSFAID)** or your **Louisiana Secure ID (LASECID)**.

#### ***LASECID is your SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER."***

When registering under LASECID, you will also need your first and last name, your birthdate, and the high school you attended. Your Louisiana Secure ID is your Social Security Number.

When registering under LOSFAID, you will also need your first name, your last name, and your birthdate. Your LOSFA ID can be found on emails or letters we have previously sent you or that you may have downloaded from the Award System or from your previous Award System login. LOSFA will also be emailing you your LOSFA ID to the email address we have on record.

Please note that the "I forgot my login name" and "I forgot my password" links will only work with a Student Hub account, **not with a prior Award System account**. If you receive a message that an active account cannot be found under the credentials you've entered, either you registered under different credentials or you need to register for a Student Hub account.

**NEXT ACT Date: June 11, 2022**

**\*Register by May 6, 2022**



## RELIGION NEWS

With the current school year coming to a close, we want to take this opportunity to thank our Notre Dame community for continuing to support us in our greatest work here at school, forming true disciples of Jesus Christ. This monumental effort begins in the home, is continued in our many Catholic feeder schools, encouraged by the community, and is then entrusted to us here at Notre Dame to continue that work. We have been privileged to see our students grow and thrive in their faith.

After last school year, not being able to have the usual prayer services, Bible studies, Apologetics groups, retreats and Campus Ministry activities that a 'normal' year would have allowed for, this year was such a joy to have those ministries returning!

Our feeder school retreat teams saw nearly 50 students sign up to facilitate retreats for the 8th graders in those school communities. Our twice a month Apologetics group was faithfully attended by 20-30 students who gathered during their lunch hour to dive deeper into the faith and have questions answered. Our Friday morning Bible study was a small, but faithful group as they sought to unfold the Scriptures and see how God was speaking to them in their lives. These were just a few of our incredibly successful campus ministry endeavors that make Notre Dame the amazing faith community that it is!

When so much seems to have been taken away over these past couple of years, Jesus remains. His love, His mercy, His Grace given to us through the Sacraments is always there for us. This is the purpose of our school, to bring our students closer and closer to Jesus Christ. And 2021-2022 brought this mission and purpose to the forefront of our minds.

Once again, thank you for your constant support and prayers for our school, our students, and our mission of Catholic education and formation. If you would like to support our Catholic formation or Campus Ministry program in a special way, please do not hesitate to contact Religion Administrator and Campus Minister, James Franke at [jfranke@ndpios.com](mailto:jfranke@ndpios.com).

God bless and have a happy, holy, and healthy summer!  
--James Franke



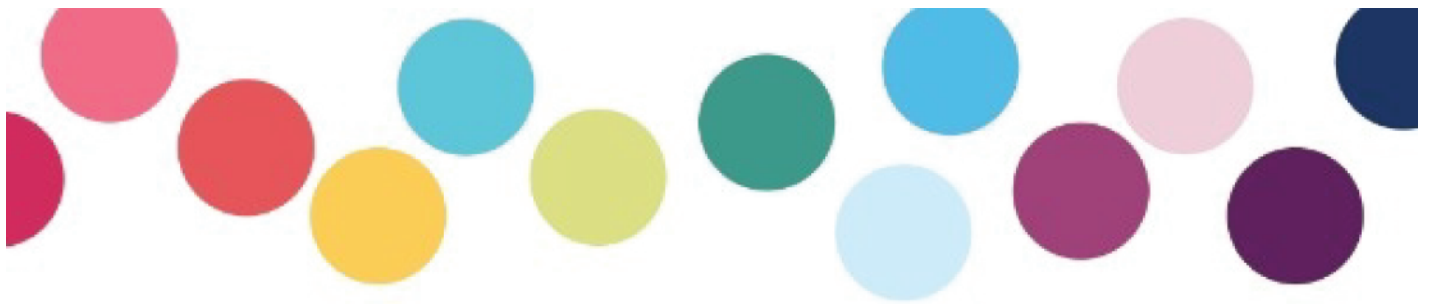


Congratulations to these 20 seniors who received over \$400,000 in scholarships at UL-Lafayette and participated in their annual academic signing!

Front row: Mrs. Istre, Graycie Hollier, Kelsey Broussard, Emma Hernandez, Maddie Oliver, Lindsey Trahan, Lillian Miller, Samantha Gallion, Jill Moody, Seth Leonards, Ethan Gary. Back row: Nik Vice, Jack Doucet, Matt Bernard, Caleb Comeaux, Landon Miller, Hayden Miller, Drake Guidry, Joseph Landry, Isaiah McCrory, Isaac Credeur & Dr. Dewayne Bowie-VP of Enrollment Management at UL.



Happy Birthday!



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## May Birthdays!

1- Jack Guidry  
2- Amaya Bellard  
3- Abigayle Daigle  
5- William Prevost  
6- Ben Francis  
12- Jackson Casanova  
14- Emma Daigle  
15- Kyla Abshire

15- Annelise Daigle  
16- Emma-Kate Hensgens  
16- Koen Hensgens  
16- Jayden Andrepont  
16- Walker Venable  
17- Logan LaPointe  
19- Nicholas Doucet  
19- Keeffer Kelbaugh

22- Julianna Miller  
22- Landon Mouton  
23- Luke Hoffpauir  
25- Halle Smith  
25- Katie Doucet  
25- Mary Gattle  
31- Luke Simon  
31- Lane Gautreaux

13- Mrs. Mandy Miller

28- Mrs. Sheila Rothermel





ND Tennis players participated in the State Tennis Tournament and had a good showing! First row: Coach John Trahan, Mary Claire Thomas, Maggie Chiasson, Mary Grace Burleigh, Lily Heidtman, Coach DeAnn Goss. Second row: Russ Nugier, Michael Goss, Hayden Miller, Ryan Goss, Landon Miller. Not shown, Morgan Belaire

## ATHLETIC NEWS

The Athletic Crawfish Boil is this Sunday, May 1. Crawfish pickup will be at the Frog Festival Pavilion in Rayne.

Unpaid athletic dues and uniforms still out will result in students not being able to take final exams.

The senior athletic banquet will be May 18, 6:00 PM at the Rayne Civic Center Ballroom. Senior athletes, cheerleaders, dancers, trainers and managers will be honored. We regret that only parents of these students may attend.



Good Luck to the Varsity Baseball Team on the road to state! Quarterfinal play begins next week!!



# Good Luck at STATE!!



Congratulations to the ND Varsity Golf Team for taking second place in the regional tournament in Bossier City. The boys will now compete for the state title next week in New Iberia. Pictured, left to right: Coach Clarence Berken, Joseph Landry, Owen Delhomme, Blake Francis, Thomas Gattle, Joshua Faulk, and Coach Gene Williams.

## Congrats & Good Luck to the Lady Pio Softball Team Headed to the Semi-Final Game on Friday at 7pm in Broussard!



## **2022-2023 Notre Dame High School Student Council and Class Officers:**

### **Student Council Board 2022-23**

**President- Angelle Bourgeois      Vice President-Nasyr Billy**  
**Secretary-Ellie Adams      Treasurer-Emma Hayes**  
**Parliamentarian-Ava Arceneaux**

### **Senior Class Officers**

**President-Ryan Goss      Vice President-Caroline Nelson**  
**Secretary- Meredith Smith      Treasurer-Blair Signorelli**

### **Junior Class Officers**

**President-Anna Zaunbrecher      Vice President-Madison Aucoin**  
**Treasurer-Mary Himel**  
**Class Representatives-Rose Landry & Emilie Fields**

### **Sophomore Class Officers**

**President-Mia Guillot      Vice President-Annalise Maloz**  
**Secretary-Kate Andrus      Treasurer-Tesie Burleigh**  
**Historian-Becca Frey**  
**Class Representatives-Madalyn Reiners & Anne Swacker**

## **Congratulations to the 22-23 Pio Pride Dance Team!**

**Angelle Bourgeois, Olivia Guidry, Julia Guinn, Mollie McBride,  
Haley Rivette, Klarisse Thibodeaux, Chloe Guidry, Mia Guillot,  
Riley Hoffpauir and Danni Meche**



## **Lady Pio Volleyball Camp---Thurs, Fri, Sat July 21-23**

registration form is on our website  
[ndpios.com](http://ndpios.com) - under download forms  
or email [tyoung@ndpios.com](mailto:tyoung@ndpios.com) for more information



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