

KNIGHT NEWS

Kuemper Catholic School

Kuemper High School

May 2022

From the Principal's Desk...

Where did the school year go??? It seems like just yesterday that I moved into my high school principal



role. It is true what they say, time flies when you are having fun! What a blessing it has been to come to the high school and work with your children again. I am blessed to be able to lead such an amazing group of students and I thank you for your support at home too. I am excited about the future of Kuemper Catholic Schools and, specifically, Kuemper High School. Thank you for making the sacrifice to invest in your child's future by providing them with a Catholic education! We have such an amazing PK-12 student body here at Kuemper and I personally thank God for allowing me to be a part of the Kuemper family.

As we look to the end of the school year, we have lots of exciting celebrations coming up. We start with our Baccalaureate Mass and Awards Day for our Seniors on Wednesday, May 18th followed by our commencement ceremony at 3:30 pm on Sunday, May 22. We then have our underclassmen Awards Day on Monday, May 23 at 1:15 before our last day on Tuesday, May 24. Please note that the last day will be a 2 Hour Early Out for students!

Finally, I want to wish all of you and your families a safe, blessed summer. I hope that you get to spend lots of time with your loved ones and enjoy the beautiful summer weather that God provides to us. I look forward to seeing all of you in August!

God Bless you and your family!

Mr. Garringer



Calendar Notes

- ✓ May 2nd: Fine Arts Show 8am 4pm
- ✓ May 3rd: Fine Arts Show 8am - 7pm
- ✓ May 3rd: Fine Arts Concert 7pm
- ✓ May 4th : Golden Shields Awards 5pm
- ✓ May 5th: DMACC Spring term ends
- ✓ May 7th: Large Group Music Festival @ Woodward
- ✓ May 11th: All School Mass
- ✓ May 18th : Seniors Last Day
- ✓ May 18th: Baccalaureate @ 8:30 Holy Spirit Church
- ✓ May 22nd: KHS Graduation @ 3:30pm— Carroll Athletic Stadium
- ✓ May 23rd: Awards Day for underclassman @ 1:15 KHS gym
- ✓ May 24th: Last day of School



KHS Fine Arts Show

The Kuemper Fine Arts Show will be held on Friday, April 29th. Monday, May 2nd and Tuesday, May 3rd. It will include K-12 artwork, 9-12 woodworking projects, and performances from Kuemper's band and chorus. The concerts will begin at 7:00 PM on May 3rd.



Viewing dates:

Friday, April 29th 2:00 PM - 4 PM Monday, May 2nd: 8 AM - 4 PM Tuesday, May 3rd: 8 AM - 7:00 PM. Awards begin at 6:00 p.m. in the cafeteria. The band and chorus performances start at 7:00 p.m. in the gym.

Retiring/Leaving Staff

We would like to recognize and thank the faculty members who will be leaving at the end of the current school year:

Daniel Cordova 7 years
Mark Kloser 4 years
Jonathan McCarty 1 year
John Osler 1 year
Russ Steinkamp 19 years



Booster Club

We are looking for enthusiastic people to join the Kuemper Booster Club for the 2022-23 school year. The Booster Club is active in supporting various Kuemper activities. Meetings are held monthly during the school year. If you are interested in learning what we are about, please come to our next meeting on August 17th, 2022.

Summer Scrip



Scrip continues through the summer!

Maximize your tuition rebates by using Scrip all summer Not using Scrip? Contact Sarah Muhlbauer for enrollment code

sbmuhlbauer@kuemper.org

Graduation Policy

Only students who have met academic, financial, and discipline requirements are allowed to participate in Baccalaureate and Graduation ceremonies. If you have concerns, call Mr. Garringer at 792-3596.

Note From Business Office

Please keep in mind that your tuition account must be paid in full no later than Tuesday, May 25th. Seniors who are graduating must have their account paid in full by graduation per the student handbook. You are receiving email notifications from Blackbaud Tuition Management if payments are due. Please take time to log in to your Blackbaud Tuition Management account and take care of your balance -- there are several payment options available. *Thank you* to those families who are current with payments or have their balance paid in full.

Just a friendly



The 2022 Kuemper Ball was a success!

We wanted to thank everyone who helped with, prayed for and donated to the Kuemper Ball. What a wonderful evening of fun, food and fellowship!! Congratulations to the winners of the ag and vehicle raffles and the live auction items. We truly appreciate your help raising money for Catholic Education in Carroll County. All money raised for the Ball stays at Kuemper to help keep tuition more affordable for all. May God Bless You All! Your 2022 Kuemper Ball Chair Couples: Brian & Kellie Brenny, Nick & Abby Schultes, Shelley & Jessie Diehl and Jennifer Handlos & Curt Snyder.



Nurse's Note

Students entering 12 grade for the 2022-23 school year are required by Iowa Immunization law to have 2 doses of meningococcal vaccine (Meningitis) if they were born after September 15, 1999, or 1 dose



if it was received when the student was 16 years of age or older. Vaccines can be obtained at your medical provider's office or through public health. If you are unsure about your son/daughter's vaccine status, please call your medical provider or the school nurse. Please obtain this vaccine for your son/daughter if they have not met the requirement before school begins next fall. Students are not allowed to return to school without meeting this vaccine requirement.

Student Schedules

Final schedules for the 2022-2023 school year will be available in May. When establishing the course schedule for the year, every effort is made to



schedule students into the courses requested and parents signed off on at the Academic Counseling Workshop. If we were unable to schedule students into their desired courses, Ms. Hackathorn will be in contact



May Guidance Calendar

- May 2 AP Government Exam
- May 6 ACT Registration Deadline for June test date
- May 17 Senior Lunch @ Greteman Center
- May 18 Baccalaureate Mass & Senior Awards
 - beginning at 8:15 @ Holy Spirit Church
- May 22 Graduation @ 3:30
- May 23 Underclassmen Awards Ceremony at
 - 1:15pm @ KHS Gym





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New Teachers Begin Professional Development Early Dismissals Holidays/Vacation Days Parent-Teacher Conferences Pre-worked contract day End of Quarter/Semester

SUMMARY OF DAYS

First Semester 86 Second Semester 88 Total School Days 174 Prof Dev./work days 12 Pre-Wrkd contract days 188 **Total Contract Days**

Total Intructional Hours

NOTES

- 1 All make-up days for inclement weather will be added to the end of the school year.
- 2 There are four early dismissals for Parent Teacher Conferences. The dates are Oct. 10 & 13 and March 13 & 16.
- 3 Last day of school is May 30, 2023. School dismisses two hours early on the last day of school.

Board Approved 03/15/2022

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