

April 2020

Visit the Hoban COVID-19 information page

Hoban has a special webpage designated to information on COVID-19. It includes sections for students, parents and teachers. The page also includes a recording of the April 14 webinar "Get the Facts with Dr. Kevin Markowski '87," which provides valuable information for everyone.







STRONGER TOGETHER

The Stronger Together Emergency Relief Fund gives tuition assistance to Hoban families in need following the COVID-19 pandemic.

More information.

School Updates

The last day of classes for seniors is Wednesday, May 13. The last day of classes for freshmen, sophomores and juniors is Friday, May 22.

As more events are rescheduled, everyone will be notified as soon as possible.

Class of 2020 valedictorian, salutatorian announced

Tanner Guld will be valedictorian of the Class of 2020, and Ayaka Coffman will be salutatorian. The valedictorian is the senior who has the highest cumulative grade point average after seven semesters, and the salutatorian has the second-highest. Both will have speaking roles at commencement



exercises.

Crowe and Kovalik earn perfect scores on ACT

Juniors Thomas Crowe and Owen Kovalik have joined less than 1% of all students to earn a perfect score on the ACT. The composite score of 36 is accomplished by only 4,879 out of nearly 1.8 million students who took the ACT this year.

"It was really exciting, opening it and seeing the score. I was just glad that I could see all my hard work had paid off and I was one step closer to attending a great college," Crowe said.



Crowe is also a starter on Hoban's varsity basketball team, plays on the varsity baseball team, is a member of the steel drum band and vice president of the junior class.



In addition to earning a perfect score of 36 on the ACT, Kovalik is an integral member of the award winning Academic Challenge team and a Gold Summa Cum Laude National Latin IV Poetry award recipient.

Honor roll announced for third grading period

The honor roll is published at the end of each of the four grading periods. Students on the honor roll for the first three quarters qualify for a Scholastic Honor Award presented at the Honors Assembly in May. To be listed on the honor roll, a student must have a 3.00 grade-point average, with no grade lower than C-minus. There are three honor roll classifications:

Highest Honors: 3.85 to 4.83High Honors: 3.50 to 3.84Honors: 3.00 to 3.49

Here are **the names** of the students on the third quarter honor roll.

National Latin Exam awards announced

The National Latin Exam is a set if tests given annually to Latin students across the



United States and around the world.
Seventeen Hoban students placed at various levels. **See results**.

Sophomore to attend Brown summer program

Sophomore Olivia Scott will be attending a special summer course at Brown University. She is enrolled in a three-week course called *Introduction to*

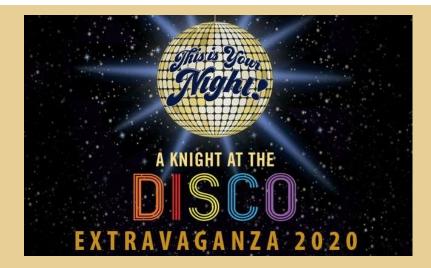
Medicine: Do You Want to Be a
Doctor? Scott was also awarded a full Dean's
Scholarship to attend. **Program**

information.



Coach Winkler talked with Channel 19 about at-home workouts

Strength and conditioning Coach Mike Winkler created an at-home workout plan for Hoban Knights during the stay-at-home order. He told Channel 19 that the workout is three days a week, and all items used for the workout are either household items or bought at Lowe's. Watch the Channel 19 video and workout videos **HERE**.



Rescheduled! Saturday, Aug. 22, 2020 | 5:30 p.m.

Contact Cathy Reeves with any questions regarding Extravaganza.

Sweda promoted to Senior Director of OCEF

Former Hoban president Dr. Todd Sweda has been promoted to Senior Director of the Office of Catholic Education and Formation in the Archdiocese of St. Louis in addition to his current role as Superintendent for Secondary Education.



IPERC Host Families needed for international students

Dear Hoban Families,

IPERC is currently seeking host families for the 2020-21 school year. We have placed several students with Hoban families and are currently accepting new host family applications for our incoming international students.

To qualify, we ask that host families are able to provide students with their own room, all meals excluding school lunches, and preferably transportation to and from school and extra-curricular activities. Through hosting, families have the opportunity to learn about the customs and languages of another culture, as well as build lifelong bonds between the family and the student.

Families will receive a monthly stipend of \$950 for hosting. If you are interested in opening your home and heart to an international student, here is the **host family application**.

Please see the **flier** for information. For additional questions, please contact local host family coordinator, Kileigh Su at **kileigh.iperc@gmail.com**

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