



ACADEMIC *Accolades*

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Local and National Student Recognitions

Caitlin S. '23 has been selected to represent District Seven on the [Youth St. Louis County Council Advisory Board](#). She is one of two in her district and one out of the 14 youth council members selected in St. Louis County. The selection process included writing and essay and completing a detailed application.



The Youth Council will advise the County Executive, the County Council and relevant County departments such as the departments of Human Services, Public Health and Police on matters of which impact and are of concern to youth in St. Louis County. The Youth Council will make recommendations regarding programs and services needed for youth in the community. They will also make recommendations to the County Council on the development of a youth-based program to increase civic participation among young people, including promoting voter registration and leadership.

In addition to serving on the Youth County Council Advisory Board, Caitlin also receives a \$600 scholarship for serving.

NATIONAL RECONGITION PROGRAM SCHOLARS



Amy K. '23 has earned the National Indigenous Award in the [National Recognition Program of the College Board](#). The College Board, through this year's program, awarded 62, 000 students across the United States for excelling in their schoolwork and on College Board assessments.

Students must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher, excelled on the PSAT/NMSQT or PSAT 10, or earned a score of 3 or higher on two or more AP Exams. Students must also identify as African American or Black, Hispanic American or Latinx, Indigenous, and/or attend school in a rural area or small town. Eligible students are invited to apply during their sophomore or junior year and are awarded at the beginning of the next school year.



Melanie B. '24, Abbie D. '24 and Lauren S. '24 successfully completed the [Hugh O'Brian Youth Missouri State Leadership Summit](#) this past summer. Melanie, Abbie and Lauren were nominated by their teachers in the fall of their sophomore year for this program.

For over 60 years, HOBY has inspired young people to become catalysts for positive change in their communities, focusing on personal leadership, group leadership and

leadership for society.

According to HOBY, *"the Missouri State Leadership Seminar is designed to help high school rising juniors recognize their leadership talents and apply them to become effective, ethical leaders in their home, school, workplace and community."* During the three day seminar the students participate in hands-on activities, meet leaders state leaders, and explore their own leadership skills.



Club Week

The past week, September 6-9, was Club Week at St. Joe.

Currently 66 clubs and organization are offered at the Academy with meetings happening before school, after school, or during lunch periods. See the extensive list below (Honor Societies are highlighted).

Students signed up at tables in the Shanahan Commons where Club Officers described the activities of the club during the lunch periods. The Freshmen were treated to presentations by the officers during an Event Time on August 23rd.

ANGEL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS 2022-2023

American Chemical Society High School Chem Club	Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)	Scholar Bowl
Angel Ambassadors	Feminist Literature Club	Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica (Spanish Honor Society)
Angel Food Club	Friends with Wings	Societe Honoraire Française (French Honor Society)
Angels in Prayer	Global Education Club	Spanish Club
Angels Serving Heroes	HERstory	Speech Team
Art Club	Hiking Club	Spikeball Club
National Art Honor Society (NAHS)	Holocaust and Genocide Awareness Club	Spirit Committee & Club
Best Buddies	JoeBotics	St. Joe Codes
Beta Chi Pi (Science Honor Society)	Model UN	St. Joe Serves
Billiken Beams Bridge Club	Latin Honor Society	St. Joe Signs
Bocce Ball	Latin Club	St. Joe TV
Campus Ministry Team	The Literati of St. Joe (English Honor Society)	St. Louis Teens Aid Refugees Today (START)
Club Happy	Mandarin Chinese Honor Society	STUCO (Student Council)
Club Sandwich	Mu Alpha Theta (Math Honor Society)	Student Affairs Board
Constantly Risking Absurdity (Literary Magazine)	National Honor Society	Student Alumnae Association
College Advising Council	Pax Christi	Society of Women Engineers Next Generation (SWENext)
Cooking Club	Philanthropy Club	Tapestry
Diversity, Culture, and Climate Team (DCC)	Pop Culture Club	The Voice (Newspaper)
Earth Angels	Prism	Youth and Government (YAG)
The Echo (Yearbook)	Racquetball Club	Yoga Club
Epsilon Beta (Book Club)	Red Cross Club	
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)	Respect Life Club	
	Rho Kappa (Social Studies Honor Society)	
	Rocket Club	



Boards on display for students in the SJA Commons promoting club activities during Club Week.

Classroom Connections

At Back to School Night, one of the tables in the Shanahan Commons was for Classroom Connections. Parents were asked to provide ways in which they would be willing to connect with the students and teachers of St. Joseph's Academy. Examples provided of these connections include being a guest speaker on their career, presenting a lesson related to their work, hosting a field trip to their company, providing a career shadowing, or offering a summer internship for a St. Joe student.

If you are interested and did not get the chance to complete this form at Back to School Night, click [here](#).

Student Opportunities

Notices about academic opportunities for students outside of school will be provided in the Academic Accolades as they become known. Two opportunities are listed below and can be found on the running list of student opportunities available [here](#).

Opportunities are listed as they become known. They are listed by their application deadline.

Regeneron Science Talent Search

[Regeneron STS](#) has identified future leaders in STEM since 1942. High school seniors living in the United States, and US citizens living abroad, who have completed independent research projects are encouraged to apply online for the chance to win up to \$250,000!

Learn more about Regeneron STS through our webinar series! [Sign up here](#) to receive links 30 minutes prior to each session:

- › Thursday, September 1 at 4:00 pm ET—Mythbusting & Rules Office Hours
- › Tuesday, October 4 at 8:00 pm ET—Winning Applications: Here's What It Takes!
- › Tuesday, November 1 at 8:00 pm ET—Advice from Regeneron STS Alumni

This competition showcases a student's research work, is open to current seniors only and is due in November 2022.



Applications are now open!

The Society of Women Engineers Next Generation

Students interested in all aspects of engineering can become part of the [Society of Women Engineers](#) as a student, which provides them with resources to help smooth their career path, including college scholarships.



Benefits for to belonging to SWENext

When a student [registers online](#) into the SWENext organization (free) she will gain access to:

- › A catalog of available **scholarships** for engineering school offered by SWE and partner organizations. (Most engineering students who apply receive a scholarship thru SWENext).
- › Best practices on applying for scholarships and **internships**.
- › Up-to-date information about **outreach** events (camps, competitions, etc.) hosted by SWE and its partners.
- › Eligible to participate in a quarterly **webinar**, where engineers from various disciplines discuss the work that they do.
- › Resources that can help you learn more about **careers** in engineering.
- › The **All Together Blog** about women and engineering careers.
- › A SWENext council where girls can take on **leadership** roles to influence the direction of this program
- › ...and much more.

