

UPDATE CONTACT INFO HERE

SAINTS CONNECTION

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS



FROM SKETCHES TO CEO: ERIN MULCAHY ('00) ROSENTHAL'S RISE TO THE TOP OF PMA ENGINEERING

Read on to discover how this engineer's journey led to the top of PMA Engineering.

Erin Rosenthal's (Mulcahy, '00) passion for building began at an early age, nurtured by hands-on lessons in her grandfather's workshop. A skilled furniture maker, he often challenged Erin to draw something and build it—a simple exercise that sparked a lifelong fascination with design and construction.

That spark grew into something more during her time at Saint Thomas Aquinas High School, where a counselor recognized Erin's curiosity and encouraged her to explore engineering. Fueled by her love of understanding how things work and what they're made of, Erin set her sights on a future in the field.

She continued her journey at Kansas State University, where her talent and drive earned her an internship with PMA Engineering. It was a pivotal moment. Erin quickly stood out—not just for her technical ability, but for her leadership, vision, and work ethic.

In just under a decade, Erin's dedication and innovative thinking propelled her to the top. Named President and owner of PMA Engineering, she led the company through a period of growth and transformation, achieving certification as a Women's Business Enterprise and solidifying its reputation as a forward-thinking, client-focused firm.

What started with pencil sketches and sawdust has grown into a legacy of leadership and empowerment. Erin Rosenthal's story is a testament to where passion, mentorship, and persistence can lead—and a reminder that great things often start with a simple challenge: draw something and build it. [READ MORE HERE](#)

TIME TO PLAN YOUR REUNION!

Homecoming is set for October 3rd, 2025!

CLASS OF 1980

Saturday July 26, 2025
Knight's of Columbus Hall
Shawnee , Kansas

Please follow our fb page
St. Joe of Shawnee Class of 1980.
Contact: [Julie Soetaert King](#).

CLASS OF 2005

The Class of 2005
Family Tailgate - October 3rd
Adult outing - Craft Putt October 4th
[Laura Cindrich Foote](#)!

SAVE THE DATE: October 3rd weekend!

CLASS OF 2020

The Class of 2020 is in the early stages to planning their 5-year reunion. If you have any questions or interest in helping to make this reunion a reality please contact, [Amanda Hamm](#)!

SAVE THE DATE: October 3rd weekend!

CLASS OF 1975

The Class of 1975 is underway on planning their 50th reunion! Plan for October 3rd - 4th weekend. We will go to the football game October 3rd and join in on the tailgate fun!

Contact: [Deb Shackelford](#)

REUNION YEARS

15 year - 2010
20 year - 2005
25 year - 2000
30 year - 1995
35 year - 1990
40 year - 1985
45 year - 1980
50 year - 1975
55 year - 1970
60 year - 1965
65 year - 1960
70 year - 1955
75 year - 1950

ALUMNI HIGHLIGHTS



Terry Owens, '03

Terry Owens, Class of '03, has seen a common issue among law enforcement professionals transitioning out of the field—they often get advice from people who don't understand their unique skills. After a recent experience referring an officer to a therapist, Owens realized the importance of working with culturally competent professionals who truly understand the law enforcement community. [Click here to read more on Terry's thoughts!](#)

In April 2025, Zack Zillner was appointed Director of Sports Performance for the Miami men's basketball team. He joins the Hurricanes with over a decade of experience in athletic performance, most recently leading the University of Texas women's basketball strength and conditioning program. At Texas, Zillner oversaw comprehensive training programs—focusing on speed, strength, agility, conditioning, and flexibility. During his eight-year tenure, the Longhorns achieved a 214-64 record, earned seven NCAA Tournament berths, reached the Elite Eight four times, and won two Big 12 Tournament titles. Zillner also played a role in the development of nine All-Conference selections, including standout players Madison Booker and Rori Harmon.



Zach Zillner, '08



McClain Schieltz & Brett Doherty, '24

Brett Doherty and McClain Schieltz, '24, had the opportunity to present our new business, Munchies, to judges for the Gillespie Business Plan Competition. We are extremely grateful to receive the GenTeal Apparel Consumer-facing Award. We are excited to use this to help start our business!

LEGACY HALL: TELL YOUR STORY

Our goal is to create a place that tells the story of three schools becoming one incredible tradition. To break ground, we need 2,025 alumni to donate \$100 each. Every contribution, no matter how small, will help us tell the story of our shared heritage and honor the legacy that unites us all.

Your gift will help ensure that this vision comes to life. Together, we can make it happen.

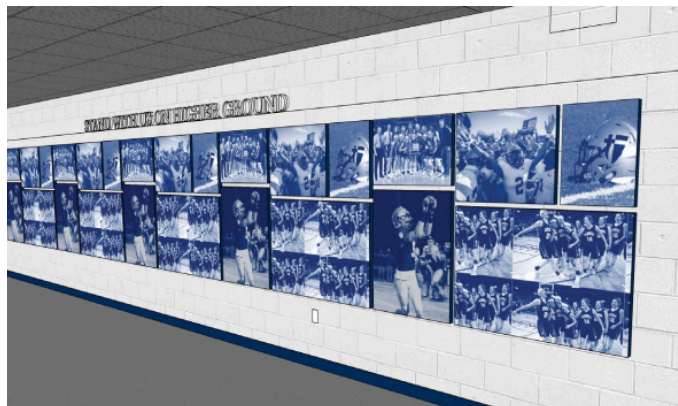
For every 100 Alumni donations we will be raffling off all kinds of incredible items!

DONATE HERE! - under special comment please write - Legacy Hall!

CURRENT SPACE



THE VISION:





GOLF TOURNAMENT

Have you ever wanted to play golf but didn't know where to start? If that is YOU, then I have a perfect place for you to swing away and have some fun. Join us for this year's Saints Golf Classic, June 9th at Lionsgate Golf Course. It is a friendly get together for a great cause!

Sign up today and your team receives a special gift!

SIGN UP HERE!

HALL OF FAME: 2026 THE NEXT INDUCTION CLASS!

Saint Thomas Aquinas High School established the Saints Hall of Fame Awards Program in the school's 25th year to formally recognize Alumni, parents, and friends that help define and advance the institution and its mission.

Nominate Here:

