KNIGHTLY NEWS

OCTOBER 1, 2026

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Principal's Message

We have reached the midpoint of the semester! I must admit that this year is moving quickly. Now is the time to speak to your Son's teachers. As such, we look forward to seeing you on Wednesday, Oct. 14th for Parent-Teacher Conferences. Even if he is doing well, we strongly encourage you to connect with his teachers to gather more detailed feedback on his performance.

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MIDTERM EXAMS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Oct 6th
1st & 2nd Period Exam
(Full Day of School)

Wednesday, Oct 7th
3rd & 4th Period Exam
(***10:45 a.m. Dismissal***)



Upcoming Events

- Oct 6 - 7: Mid-term Exams
- Oct 7: Early Dismissal @ 11 am
- Oct 8 - 9: Fall Break
- Oct 13: College Fair & Financial Aid Night
- Oct 14: Progress Report Conferences

A Message from Campus Ministry

LET PEOPLE SEE JESUS IN US!

We talk a lot about faith at St. Aug. We pray every day. We celebrate Mass together. We take theology classes. But none of that means very much if we leave Jesus behind when we walk out the door. Our faith has to go with us! It should be visible in our hallways and classrooms, in our neighborhoods, at church, while doing service, at football games, in the stands, and when the Marching 100 hits the street or takes the field. Wherever people see the Gold and Purple, they ought to see something in us that says, "Those young men are different!" Not because we think we are better than anybody else, but because we try to treat people with respect, look out for one another, serve others, and remember that everything we have is a gift from God. Jesus tells us, "Let your light shine before others" (Matthew 5:16). A Knight truly knows how to shine!

So, here's the challenge from the Campus Ministry Team Leaders: Wherever the Gold and Purple goes, take Jesus with you! Parents and families, we need you in this with us.
Our young men are watching us, too. They see how we act in the stands, how we treat people, what we say, and how we handle ourselves when things don't go our way. We don't have to walk around preaching sermons to everybody. Sometimes the best sermon we will ever preach is simply the life we live. So let's make sure people don't just hear us say that St. Augustine is a Catholic school. Let them SEE it. Let them FEEL it. Let them experience Jesus because they encountered a Purple Knight! That's the challenge. Wear the Purple. Live the Gold. Share the Gospel. And let them see Jesus in us!





ST. AUGUSTINE
HIGH SCHOOL

A TRULY BLACK CATHOLIC EXPERIENCE

SERVICE IS OUR MISSION



FAITH IN ACTION. LOVE IN SERVICE.
THAT'S THE PURPLE KNIGHT WAY.

EVERY PURPLE KNIGHT SERVES

Each student is required to complete

40 SERVICE HOURS
EACH SCHOOL YEAR.

Service is not just a requirement—it's a way of life. Through service, we grow in faith, build our communities, and reflect the love of Christ to others.

> *For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.*
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> **– MARK 10:45**







WHERE YOU CAN SERVE

- CHURCHES & PARISH MINISTRIES
- SCHOOLS & TUTORING PROGRAMS
- HOSPITALS & HEALTH CARE
- NURSING HOMES & SENIOR CENTERS
- COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS
- FOOD PANTRIES & SHELTERS



GRACE IS LIFE!

TOGETHER, WE BUILD A LEGACY OF FAITH, SERVICE, AND EXCELLENCE.
BE A LEADER. BE A SERVANT. BE A PURPLE KNIGHT.

HOMECOMING COURT 2026




Maverick Gray, SGA President
Kymani Singleton, Homecoming Queen




Charles Ruth, Senior Class President
Brooklyn Johnson, Senior Maid




Chantze Duckworth, Junior Class President
Nylah Turner, Junior Maid




Preston Fleury, Sophomore Class President
Amaya Nagin, Sophomore Maid




Jayce Baquet, Freshman Class President
Zoe Crier, Freshman Maid




Blaine Williams, 8th Grade Class President
Christine Freeman, 8th Grade Maid



COLLEGE FAIR

OCTOBER 13

4 - 5 P.M. FINANCIAL AID SESSION

ST. AUGUSTINE CAFETERIA

- Representatives from the LA Office of Student Financial Aid will discussion financial aid

5:30 - 7:00 P.M.

ST. AUGUSTINE HIGH SCHOOL
RIGAUD HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER (GYM)
2ND FLOOR

- Meet college admissions representatives
- Learn about their programs and scholarships
- Meet representatives from the University Alliance institutions

WHAT'S NEXT @



OCTOBER 8 - 9



PROGRESS REPORT CARD CONFERENCES

OCTOBER 14 | 5 - 7 P.M.





CollegeBoard PSAT/NMSQT

PreACT®

- *8th - 10th Grade will test PreACT.*
- *11th Grade will test PSAT/NMSQT.*
- *12th Grade will complete a community service project.*

Early Dismissal at 12 Noon.

PURPLE KNIGHTS TAKE FLIGHT

Earlier in September, Purple Knight aviators attended class in the *Flying Classroom*. Through his Flying Classroom and aviation training programs, students learned about STEM careers, hands-on innovation, aviation, and the importance of developing technical skills for future opportunities.













VARSITY FOOTBALL 2026
SCHEDULE & TICKETS

PURCHASE GAME DAY TICKETS ON GOFAN

PURPLE KNIGHT ATHLETIC EVENTS ARE CASHLESS EVENTS. PURCHASE TICKETS VIA GO FAN.

ALL SPORTS Season Pass are available.

CLEAR BAG POLICY ENFORCED AT ALL BOTH GAMES.

OCT 1	vs. Chalmette High (Away) Chalmette | 6:30 pm
OCT 9	vs. Holy Cross (Away) Tad Gormley | 7:30 pm
OCT 17	vs. Jesuit (Home) Tad Gormley | 7 pm
OCT 23	vs. Brother Martin (Away) Tad Gormley | 7:30 pm



PURPLE MUSIC NOTES

PRESENTS



SKATE PARTY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH
7 TO 10 PM

WESTBANK SKATE COUNTRY
1100 TERRY PKWY,
TERRYTOWN, LA.

TICKETS: $13 PER TICKET
EACH BAND MEMBER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR 2 TICKETS.

BOOSTER ACCEPTS

CASH, CASHAPP ($PURPLEMUSICBOOSTER)
AND ZELLE (@PURPLEMUSIC)