

Our Annual LSA Proud Golf Classic

Our Annual LSA Proud Golf Classic was a big success! Sr. Jeanne and 8th Grade Student Council President, Kaylee welcomed 150 golfers to play on a beautiful day. Whitmarsh Valley Country Club ensured that the golf outing was a great experience. It was a perfect night for an outside reception! John Fenningham, Esq., LSA Board Chairman, and Derek Rodriguez, Board Member and member of the first graduating class, both spoke to the group ushering in our 20th year celebrations. We are grateful for all who golfed, volunteered, and sponsored our outing to help support our Sponsor A Student efforts.



**Thank you for making this year's
Golf Outing a big success!**



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PA State Tax Credit Program

There is still time to apply for the Pennsylvania Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) and Opportunity Scholarship Tax Credit (OSTC) Programs for the 2022-2023 school year. We are grateful for those companies that support LSA students' tuition and scholarship programs through these critical state programs.

Please contact Megan G. Thomson at 215.739.5804 or mgthomson@lasalleacademy.net to learn more about how your business can participate.

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La Salle Academy **NEWSLETTER**

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In the News...

▶ We have officially kicked off our 20th year anniversary. We anticipate a year of learning, fun, and reflection on who we are and how far we have come.



▶ This year's golf outing was hosted on September 26th at Whitmarsh Valley Country club. It was a great day of celebration and sportsmanship.

▶ **November 5th at 8:30 A.M.**, the Sigma Phi Lambda Fraternity will host their annual Sig PhiveK run on the Hansen Quad at La Salle University.

▶ Welcome new LSA teachers and staff members Jennifer, Paul, Aimee, and Sam.

**Letter From Our Principal and President**

Dear Friends,

We open every school year with loving hearts, open minds and the energy to teach and serve 90 students. The 2022 – 2023 school year also brings celebration! This is our twentieth (20th!) school year teaching students from some of Philadelphia's toughest neighborhoods. This is our twentieth school year serving families and establishing the five LSA goals as guideposts by which to live.

Our school theme encompasses some of our celebration for this year, and it is **LSA 20: Learn, Serve, Achieve**. Our hope is that our students will see themselves in our graduates, donors, and Board Members. Our goal is for our students to truly learn each day and understand the importance of becoming lifelong learners; for each student to know that serving our dear neighbor is a calling and that they can achieve their goals and dreams.

Each of you are good role models for our students. We are grateful for the many ways that you support La Salle Academy, our mission and our students. We look forward to celebrating with you this year. **Stay tuned!**

With prayerful gratitude,

Sister Jeanne McGowan, SSJ

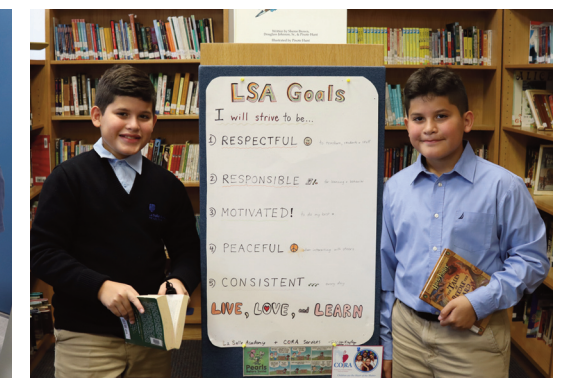
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Students learning about world geography.



Brothers review the five goals of the school.

Third Grade

The 20th third grade class of La Salle Academy is looking forward to joining a successful group of students and alumni at LSA. We are learning to follow the Five Goals each day, inside and outside of school, as we learn to become empathetic, accepting, and compassionate students of La Salle Academy. We are excited to become better readers and writers and to memorize our multiplication facts before fourth grade! We are looking forward to learning as much as we can about Jesus at our new Catholic school.



Fourth Grade

My goal as the fourth grade teacher is to find more creative ways to engage students in the classroom. I want students to feel connected, have confidence, and be invested in learning.

Fifth Grade

My teacher goals for the 2022-2023 school year. With a new and refreshed classroom library my goal is to inspire a love of reading among students. Students will be introduced to new authors and topics and have the opportunity to share their enthusiasm with classmates.



Sixth Grade

My goals for the sixth grade students of La Salle Academy are to provide a safe and nurturing environment so the students become the best versions of themselves. Also, to create a classroom where all students listen, learn, and succeed.



Seventh Grade

We, the seventh grade of La Salle Academy, strive to prosper through our maturity, creativity, and teamwork. We will support one another through our successes and challenges. We have the fortitude to become better readers and writers and enhance our math skills. Through the power of prayer, we will accomplish our seventh-grade goals.

Eighth Grade

The eighth graders are extremely excited to begin their final year at La Salle Academy. Each eighth grader has already worked on individual goals for the upcoming school year, but as a class, we want to continue to grow in aspects of being a complete student. In order to grow as a class, we plan on celebrating the 20th year of LSA by Learning something new each day, Serving our school and local communities, and Achieving many academic and personal goals.



Glanzmann Subaru Makes a Generous Donation!

On Thursday, September 15th, Glanzmann Subaru, alongside Subaru of America, and the Adopt a Classroom program came to La Salle Academy to surprise our students and staff during an assembly. The Subaru Loves Learning program was able to provide our teachers with a donation of \$10,000 to split among our six classrooms and our Art, Technology and Music teachers. The Glanzmann Subaru donation will go a long way in helping to create the best educational space possible.



Teachers loved the surprise Educational Kits!



Ms. Diamond and Sr. Jeanne thank Jeff Glanzmann

LSA Alumni Connect Again

This month we were able to hold our first LSA Connects since 2020. This event welcomed alumni of all classes back into our halls to reunite. Alumni caught up with one another, ate pizza, and listened to older graduates talk about the gift of LSA and how it has helped them through high school, college, and life.

