

**SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS ACADEMY  
NEWSLETTER**



*Mike Cattani, Principal  
Michelle Brief, Associate Principal  
April 12, 2024*

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*The mission of Saint Thomas Aquinas Academy is to provide an affordable education in the Catholic teaching tradition that inspires in students a life-long thirst for knowledge, wisdom, and truth; a desire to reach the full potential which God intended for them; and a recognition of the discipline of mind and heart required for effective service to others in the love of God.*

**Dates to Remember**

April 12	Freezin' 4 Reason
April 17	BOT Meeting–6:30 am–HS Library
April 20	Home & School Rummage Sale
April 25	Jeans Day – both campuses Blood Drive

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED THEIR TIME, TALENT, & TREASURE TO THE 42<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL AUCTION! A SPECIAL THANK YOU IS EXTENDED TO TAMMY BERGESON, KATHY & DAVE DENBY, AND NIKKI SOTKA FOR ALL OF THEIR HARD WORK WITH THE EVENT. THE AUCTION WAS A SUCCESS BECAUSE OF ALL OF YOU! SEE YOU AT NEXT YEAR'S AUCTION ON MARCH 30, 2025!**



**"FREEZIN' 4 REASONS"**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 12 - 3:00-8:00 P.M. - TONIGHT!**

**INVENTURE NORTH BUILDING  
1320 MAIN STREET, MARINETTE  
OPEN TO MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS  
INTERESTED IN RAISING MONEY FOR THE  
HOMELESS IN OUR AREA. CONTACT  
JEANNE HARPER @ [jmharper1964@gmail.com](mailto:jmharper1964@gmail.com)  
WITH QUESTIONS. REGISTRATION FORMS  
AVAILABLE IN THE STAA MARINETTE  
CAMPUS OFFICE.**

The STAA Home & School Organization

**RUMMAGE  
SALE**

Saturday, April 20 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.  
STAA Gym

Donations being accepted on  
Monday, April 15 through Friday, April 19 from  
8 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the STAA Marinette Campus.

**ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!**



**Current Families with current students:**

Login to [PowerSchool](#)

with your username & password information. You  
may also register in the PowerSchool App.

**New or Current Families with new students:**

Fill out the [Pre-Registration Link](#)

**REGISTRATION FEE (non-refundable)**

**\$50 PER STUDENT BEFORE APRIL 17, 2024**

**\$100 PER STUDENT AFTER APRIL 17, 2024**

Registration for the WI Parental Choice (Voucher)  
Program is also open! This program is open to all  
Wisconsin residents and eligibility is determined by  
income and residency. Please visit:  
[www.dpi.wi.gov/choice](http://www.dpi.wi.gov/choice) or call the Academy at  
715-735-7481 for more information.

**The deadline for all STAA Tuition  
Scholarships is Monday, April 15 at  
3 p.m. Please visit the link below  
for more information:**

**[https://www.saintthomasaquinasac  
ademy.org/admissions](https://www.saintthomasaquinasacademy.org/admissions)**

Holy Family Parish Recycling Drive  
May 8, 2024 from 1-4 p.m.  
Holy Family Parish Hall  
2715 Taylor Street, Marinette



**ATTENTION ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL FAMILIES!**

**The Yearbook is almost complete! Order yours today so your child will receive his/her Yearbook in May! Orders placed by April 15 will be delivered to school by the third week in May. Go to [www.treering.com](http://www.treering.com). Our passcode is: 101478126558987. If you have any questions, please call the elementary office at 715-582-4041.**



***Congratulations to all students who are on the Third Quarter Honor Roll for the 2023-24 School Year! Please see page 3 of this newsletter for the complete list.***

**ELEMENTARY NEWS**

Congratulations to Emily Klaver, a kindergartener from our St. Francis class! She was voted *Student of the Month for March*. The quality of the month was **RESPECT**. Emily consistently follows all class and school rules. She is respectful when talking with teachers and classmates. Emily is a role model at Mass. She takes pride in her work and is always willing to help others. Emily is pictured below with Mrs. Brief and Fr. Ed.



**ELEMENTARY NEWS (Continued)**

Our 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Graders traveled to Madison on Tuesday to visit the **Capitol**. They had fun learning about our government and our state's history. Thank you to parents who joined the group! Students are pictured below.



**MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

Maddie Drees (Grade 9) has been selected as the *High School Student of the Quarter* and Silas Peerenboom (Grade 6) has been selected as the *Middle School Student of the Quarter*! The 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter focused on **SERVE**. Congratulations to these students as they exemplify service to their peers, teachers, and school community through kindness, including others, and a willingness to help! Silas & Maddie are pictured below from left to right.



**REMINDER:** Middle and High School students need to bring their school Chromebook home every night and charge it. Students are responsible for having a fully charged Chromebook every morning. They are also responsible for taking care of their charger and Chromebook. Charging stations are not available at school.

**MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**  
**(Continued)**

*May is approaching soon!* Here are a few dates to keep in mind, especially for the Class of 2024!

- May 4** - Prom (more information to come)
- May 13 & 14** - Senior Exams
- May 14** - Seniors' Last Day
- May 16** - Baccalaureate Mass - 9:30 a.m. at St. Joseph's Church in Marinette
- May 16** - High School Awards - 1 p.m. in the STAA High School Gym
- May 17** - Graduation - 6 p.m. in the STAA High School Gym
- May 22** - Middle School Awards - 1:30 p.m. in the STAA High School Gym
- May 27** - No School - Memorial Day
- May 28 & 29** - Exam Days
- May 29** - Last Day of School

**ATHLETIC NEWS**

*Sports Schedule through April 19, 2024*

**High School Baseball**

- April 13 @ Kohler – 10 am (DH)
- April 15 – Crivitz – 4:30 pm (H)
- April 16 – Lena – 4:30 pm (H)
- April 18 – Heritage Christian @ WI Brewing County Park – 7 pm

**High School Softball**

- April 15 @ Coleman – 4 pm
- April 18 – Wausaukee @ Lena – 4:30 pm

**High School Golf**

- April 18 @ Gillett (Vernon Hills) – 3:30 pm

**High School Track**

- April 12 @ Lena – 4:30 pm
- April 16 @ Coleman – 4:30 pm
- April 19 @ Rosholt – 3:45 pm

**Middle School Track**

- April 18 @ Crivitz – 4:30 pm

[www.marinetteandontoconference.org](http://www.marinetteandontoconference.org)

**GO CAVVIES!**

**Saint Thomas Aquinas Academy**  
**Third Quarter Honor Roll**  
**2023-24**

**High School**

**Principal's List**

- Grade 12: Callum Rickaby, Dominic Tanguay
- Grade 11: Flora Eisenbeis, Zachery Harding, Calvin Peters, Henry Piasecki, Brooklyn Rennie
- Grade 10: Brady Koesling, Alexis Maloney, Kate Peters
- Grade 9: Aspynn Anderson, Ally Behnke, Madeline Drees, Grace Gromala, Dax Peanosky

**High Honors**

- Grade 12: Martha Anderson, Chloe Bulin, Lydiya Grinsteiner, Chase Gromala, Theron Thayer
- Grade 11: Teagan Anderson, Tessa Cacek, Heidi Freydank, Matthew Mushynski, Tug Paidl, Ryan Tuch
- Grade 10: Ethan King
- Grade 9: Carrigan Bulin, Augustine Cacek, Hannah DeLorme, Kloe Larson, Landen Staggs

**Honors**

- Grade 12: Kaiden Bailey
- Grade 11: Elizabeth Hooks, Danielle Kirgan
- Grade 10: Caleb Duvall, Hannah Martinez
- Grade 9: Hunter Brief, Lincoln DeKeyser, Jake Farley, Anica Suchan, Braden Wozniak

**Middle School**

**Principal's List**

- Grade 8: Philip Finger, Elizabeth Moore
- Grade 7: Alisa Finger, Rory Tuch
- Grade 6: Penny Bardowski

**High Honors**

- Grade 8: Lilah Jones, Annie Leitzke, Leah Maloney, Alayah Padgett, Lauren Paidl, Lauryn Peters
- Grade 7: Olivia Koesling
- Grade 6: Silas Moore

**Honors**

- Grade 8: Simon King, Ava Kirt, Ethan Laird, Noelle Peerenboom, Sarah Wood
- Grade 7: Lucas Farley, Christina George, Caleb Jenkins-Stujenske, Ariel Newbury, Aiden Schaut, Lucien Thayer
- Grade 6: Cecilia Dreifuerst, Rylenn Johnston, Silas Peerenboom

**Fifth Grade**

**High Honors:** Nevaeh Homann

**Honors:** Landen Anderson, Evelyn Mortinson, Jericho Ott