

WEEKLY WARRIOR NEWS

Upcoming Events

- 10/19 All School Testing Day
- 10/19 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 10/20 No School
- 10/27 No School
- 10/31 Senior Retreat
- 11/1 All Saint's Day



Important Change to SPX Calendar:

Due to a scheduled staff training, we will not have school on Friday 10/27/23. Please mark your calendars accordingly. Students enjoy your day off!

Today we welcomed Father Tony Ricard to SPX! He shared mass with our chaplain, students, staff & 8th graders from Northland Catholic Schools. He shared so many memorable stories! "Remember who you are and don't do anything stupid".

ST. PIUS X

OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, November 16th 2023
3:30 - 6:00 pm

1500 NE 42ND TERRACE
KANSAS CITY MO 64116

5th-8th grade families are welcome to join us for our annual Open House.

Tour our facilities, meet students, faculty and staff and come see for yourself what makes St. Pius X so special.



St. Pius X Presents *Estate Planning Fundamentals*

From wills and taxes to living wills, planning for the later years in life can be overwhelming. Join us to discuss strategies for planning ahead.

Susan Baker Teson will help you understand:

- Estate Planning Myths and Misconceptions
- The importance of having a will or trust
- Problems that could exist if there is no Estate Plan
- How to get started or update your current Estate Plan

Presenter

Susan Baker Teson

Susan, a SPX alumnus, is Of Counsel with the law firm of Kirkland, Woods & Martinsen, LLP, in Liberty, MO. She retired from UMB Bank as Chief Fiduciary Officer after 27 years there. She has extensive experience in estate and tax planning and estate and trust administration over her 40 year legal career. She is also an adjunct professor at UMKC Law School.

November 8, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

St. Pius X Lecture Hall

There will be a light dinner before the presentation, which should last approximately an hour and a half.
RSVP required to Missy Little 453-3450 x 116 or spxkc.org/estate by November 5th.



#LFFC CLASS OF 2024	6 x 6 PAVER 3 Lines / 8 Characters per line	\$500
ONE BIG WARRIOR FAMILY THE GARCIAS	6 X 9 PAVER 3 Lines / 14 Characters per line	\$700
JANE DOE LOVING MOTHER WARRIOR NANA	6 X 12 PAVER 3 Lines / 17 Characters per line	\$850
HONORING DEDICATION AND SERVICE TO SPX BOB BAX PETE WILKINSON #FOREVERWARRIOR	12 x 12 PAVER 9 Lines / 17 Characters per line	\$1000

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You are cordially invited to attend the *St. Pius X High School Alumni Commemoration Mass*

Thursday November 2, 2023

Video - 5:30 p.m. Mass - 6:00 p.m.

St. Pius X High School
Logan Banquet Room

The SPX Community (Alumni & Friends) are welcome to join us as we remember and commemorate our beloved Alumni.

Please RSVP at spxkc.org/rsvp by October 25, 2023





<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A084CABAB2CA57-44755364-2023>



SPX Gym

Tuesday 10/17/23

2023



VOLLEYBALL DISTRICTS

SPX will be hosting the 1st round of volleyball districts. Tickets will need to be purchased online. Click on Volleyball. Click on class 4. Click get tickets for the game at St. Pius X. Click the link below to get your tickets now!

<https://www.mshsaa.org/Tickets.aspx>


Warriors Of the Week



We would like to recognize the exemplary efforts of SPX Senior Julian Abella and SPX Freshmen Austin Frisbee.

Austin immediately stepped in to help when he saw help was needed, staying late after a game to help clean up. Julian saw a player on the opposing soccer team get hurt and did not hesitate before stopping to help him up and get him to the sideline, despite the game continuing on. Thank you Julian and Austin for your dedication to service and your outstanding representation of SPX.

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied Grace" 1 Peter 4:10

The background of the lower section is a basketball court. At the top center is a basketball hoop with a white backboard and an orange rim. Two large basketballs are positioned on the left and right sides of the text. A single basketball sits on the court floor in the foreground, near the center. The court floor has white lines on a dark surface.

There will be a meeting for anyone interested in playing basketball (girls or boys) on Wednesday, October 18th, at 6:30pm at SPX. If your son or daughter is planning on playing basketball this season, please plan to attend. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Coach Phelps at cphelps@spxkc.org.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION



FROM

SPORTS MEDICINE



Sports Physicals

St. Pius X High School requires each student-athlete to have MSHSAA sports physicals on file prior to being allowed to participate in a sport. We have a partnership with Healthy Roster as our online health forms platform where everything will be submitted electronically. The physical examination forms are valid for two years from the date the evaluator signs it, unless otherwise noted. All other MSHSAA forms must be updated and signed annually. St. Pius X High School does NOT accept paper copies of these forms.

NEW STUDENTS: Parents should have received an email invitation from Healthy Roster to set-up an account to complete your student-athlete's paperwork. Once you create an account, you will find all of the MSHSAA paperwork under the documents tab.

RETURNING STUDENTS: You need to log into your Healthy Roster account and under the documents tab you will find documents that have expired that need updated. Just click upload new document, select one of the annual requirements (student athlete medical questionnaire, student agreement, parent agreement, insurance verification, and concussion awareness form) to complete the form.

For winter sport student-athletes, this needs to be completed by Wednesday, October 25th.

campus MINISTRY

10/16 - 10/20

WEEKLY *sacramental life*

MASSES

TUES- All School
Mass at 10:30

CONFESSION

TUES - during Mass,
A B & D lunch and after
school from 2:45-3:15pm

ADORATION

No adoration this
week!

Or by appt. contact Fr.
Mark at
mfamuliner@spxkc.org to
set up another time



the #1 Catholic prayer
and meditation app
Hallow

is available to all SPX
parents for a
90 day free trial

Simply click the link and redeem your 3 free
months!



<https://hallow.com/stpiusxhsmoparents23-24>



COUNSELORS CORNER

Upcoming College Visits

University of Missouri - Monday Oct 23rd - lunch

Local rep's college fair - Wed Oct 25th - lunchtime

K-State rep visit - Friday November 3rd - lunch

All School Testing

9th - 11th graders will be participating in ALL SCHOOL TESTING DAY on 10/19/23.

Students should be at school by 7:50am and testing will run until around 11:30 am when students will be dismissed for the day. Students will need to bring a calculator and #2 pencils. Seniors - this would be a great day to complete service hours or enjoy a college visit.



Open House

Visit with current students about business partner projects, field trips, guest speakers, and internships.

Three Nights
6:00-8:00 PM
Gladstone Community Center

Engineering & Technology
Wednesday, Nov. 1

Business & Digital Media
Wednesday, Nov. 8

Medicine & Healthcare
Wednesday, Nov. 15



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ACT INFO

TEST DATE

Reg. Deadline

12/09/23

11/03/23

02/10/24

01/05/24

04/13/24

03/08/24

06/08/24

05/03/24



St. Pius X feels strongly about the importance of regular and punctual attendance.

If a student will be late or absent from school:

Parents are asked to call the school office at 816-453-3450 if their child is going to be absent from or tardy to school. If the student is attending an appointment, please bring a doctor's note to the front office upon their return. If the school does not hear from a parent as to why a student is not in school, the student will be marked Truant for the time missed. If a student is tardy more than 5 times per school year, they will be issued a detention. If a student is absent more than 10 times per school year, they will receive zeros for all work missed going forward.

If a student is leaving school early:

Please notify the school office at least 24 hours in advance. The student will be given a pass to leave class at the time requested.

Help make Catholic Schools an option
for all by supporting the Fire
Foundation!



Here are ways you can help:

- Participate in Friends of Fire meetings
- Volunteer within the Organization
- Attend Fire Events
- Purchase Raffle Tickets

Look for information about upcoming opportunities and events throughout the school year. Find additional information at www.firefoundation.org



Celebration of Saint Charles Borromeo 2022

Benefiting Borromeo Academy



**St. Charles is looking for helpers for an event on
Saturday, November 4, 2023.**

Who: High School Students Needing Service Hours

**What: Dinner event celebrating the Feast of St.
Charles Borromeo**

When: Saturday November 5th

Where: 900 NE Shady Lane

**Why: To Raise money for Catholic Education and
Celebrate the patron St. Charles.**

Volunteers needed from 5:20-9:30pm

Sign up Below if you are able to help!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040C4FA9AD2CA7FF2-44498214-student#/>

WARRIOR PRIDE BOOSTER CLUB

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Save the Date!
**SATURDAY
DECEMBER
9TH**

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CAFETERIA NEWS

NOTICE: Any student that reaches a lunch account balance > \$-25.00 will have a financial hold within the FACTS system. Students who are >-\$40.00 will no longer be able to charge to their accounts. Please monitor lunch balances via LunchLink. Students may also view balances in the lunch line. Feel free to email me if you have any questions or concerns at bchirpich@spxkc.org

If you do not have a LunchLink account you can request one [HERE](#)

- Quick Links:
 - [Cafeteria Menu](#)
 - [Cafeteria Account Balance](#)
 - [Cafeteria Deposits](#)



SPX is in need of action shots and candids for almost all sports and activities. We invite you to upload your pictures to the following links. We love celebrating our Warriors and rely on YOU to help us with great pictures!

<https://files.ecatholic.com/2655/documents/2023/8/23-24%20SmugMug%20Links%20-%20Sheet1-1.pdf?t=1692030638000>