



DUCHESNE HIGH SCHOOL

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Hello all,

I'd like to take the next couple of weeks to recognize our final humility honorees of the year.

The Jogues Communios recognized **Ethan Kissell**. Mr. Morris said that "Ethan is quick to help anyone who asks. He would rather have the attention be on the success of others, even if he was a major cause of that success."

DeVeuster recognized many students, starting with **Mark Tate**. Mrs. Moore noted that "Mark is always willing to help when help is needed. Mark is welcoming to others and makes everyone feel a part of our Communio." Mr. Bouslog added that, Mark is a "super humble kid who gets along with everyone and does what he is asked to do. He is always willing to help whenever he can."

Mrs. Long nominated **SaVaughn Pickett**, noting "Humility can be seen as a way of sharing one's gifts in a way that does not seek praise and attention. This year, SaVaughn shared her gift of art with us when we decorated our door for Christmas. You may not know about her extraordinary artistic ability unless you are lucky enough to catch a glimpse of her sketching away on her iPad. She also shared her gift of compassion with her fellow students. During her free time last semester, SaVaughn would stop in during my Algebra A class and sit down with students to help them. SaVaughn explained to me that she knows what it feels like to be a freshman struggling to learn Algebra. Now that she has a better understanding of the material, she wanted to help others."

Landon Kristensen was nominated from Mrs. Owen's Communio. She said that, "Landon has done a great job as Communio leader without bringing attention to himself. He uses his energy to convince others in our Communio to shine and become more involved in our activities. He is a positive influence on our Communio."

Finally, DeVeuster House nominated **Emma Schroyer**. Mr. Taylor said of Emma, "She has been a humble leader this year for our Communio. She always gives praise for success to the Communio rather than taking credit for herself. She has a quiet leadership presence and leads through example."

The nominees from the other houses and the winter co-curriculars will be mentioned in future letters.

Pax,

Dominic D'Urso



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Upcoming Events

April 29	Home Baseball (BMAC)
May 1	Home Volleyball and Soccer
May 2	Home Baseball (BMAC)
May 4	Home Soccer and Golf (Bogey)
May 5	Prom: Prom is a half day with a 12:05 dismissal for our 9th, 10th, and 11th graders. Our seniors have the day off.
May 8	Home Volleyball, Soccer, and Baseball (BMAC)

Jr/Sr Finals

These will be regular days for our freshmen and sophomores, with the exception of Wednesday May 10th. That will be a regular start time for everyone.

May 9	Reading Day: Juniors and Seniors are not required to be on campus. They can, however, come to campus to meet with teachers in preparation for their finals.
May 10	Period 7 Final: 7:45-8:35 Period 1 Final: 9:55-10:45 Period 4 Final: 1:05-1:55
May 11	Period 8 Final: 7:45-8:35 Period 2 Final: 9:55-10:45 Period 5 Final: 1:05-1:55
May 12	Period 3 Final: 9:55-10:45 Period 6 Final: 1:05-1:55



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Senior Graduation Information

May 16

Baccalaureate Mass: The Baccalaureate Mass is the last mass the seniors will celebrate as a class. It is also the kick-off to graduation week. The mass will be held at St. Peter's Church in St. Charles. It will start at 6:00. We will have an awards ceremony immediately following mass. Doors will open at 5:30

May 17

Graduation Practice: All graduates need to be in the PAC by 9:45 a.m. for graduation practice. We will not start practice until everyone gets to school.

May 18

Graduation: The ceremony begins at 6:00. Graduates should arrive to school and be in the PAC by 5:30. The doors to the Ted Yeater Athletic Center will also open at 5:30 for the friends and families of our graduates. Each graduate will get 8 tickets (4 preferred seating, 4 general admission) to the ceremony at graduation practice on the 17th. If families would like more tickets, please let us know. For more details on graduation, please see the email from Mrs. Turner

