



Announcements

Tuesday, October 27, 2020

General Announcements

**The following students should see Ms. Cindy in the front office:
Cameron Brown, Caleb Ougel, and Raegan Stroud.**

**If anyone still has spirit shirt orders, please bring them to the
front office during lunch TODAY.**

Tomorrow is Pep Rally Day! Students may wear blue & gold shirts, blue & gold VCHS t-shirts, jeans, blue and/or gold pants (no leggings), blue & gold tutus (worn over jeans or pants), tennis shoes, blue & gold bandanas, blue & gold accessories (bandanas, headbands, bows, ribbons, socks, jewelry), blue & gold make-up, blue & gold hair glitter or hair color (no permanent hair color), and blue & gold face masks.



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Congratulations to the following seniors who have been chosen to represent Vanderbilt in the Teenager of the Year competition: Annelle Fletcher, Lia Martin, Tia Miller, and Brooke Sanford! Nominees should check their email for important information from Mrs. Bliss.



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For the past several years, each Homecoming Court has participated in a service project. This year, we wanted to involve you, the students of Vandebilt Catholic. Starting tomorrow, Homecoming Court members will visit your classrooms at recess. We will be collecting donations for the Missionaries of the Poor in Jamaica. They are in desperate need of money to buy food. As an incentive for you to give, your donations will determine who participates in a Dizzy Bat Challenge at the pep rally next week. If we collect \$250, two Maids and two Dukes will compete. If we collect \$500, Court members will challenge two teachers. And if we collect \$750, the Homecoming Court will challenge the administration. Thank you for your donations to this worthy cause.



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The deadline is quickly approaching for 10th grade students interested in participating in the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar in the summer of 2021.

Selected students will spend 3–4 exciting days exploring leadership from an individual, group, and societal perspective while collaborating with students from throughout the state. Students return from HOBY with a new sense of self-awareness and an elevated confidence in their individual potential. They will be inspired to make a positive impact in their schools and communities and will be equipped with the leadership skills to enable action.

Any 10th grade student interested in attending the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar (HOBY) this summer should submit a resume and essay describing the most rewarding and challenging aspects of being a leader in our school and community to Mrs. Katie Champagne in the Counseling Center by Friday, October 30th at 3:00pm. No late entries will be accepted. Please see Mrs. Katie in the Counseling Center with any questions.



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It is time for the Vanderbilt Catholic Choir annual HoneyBaked Ham gift card sale! They make great gifts for family, friends, and employees. Here is why a HBH gift card is a great idea - they never expire, they can be used at any HBH store or online, they can be used on anything the HBH store sells, and they are a lot easier to deliver than a sticky ham! They can be purchased in increments of \$10, \$20, \$25, \$35, \$50, and \$100. You may purchase your gift cards through a choir student or by contacting Sarah Todd at stodd@htdiocese.org. Orders placed by November 13 will be delivered before the Thanksgiving holidays. Orders placed by December 4 will be delivered before the Christmas holidays.



Activities

The Vanderbilt Catholic Varsity Quiz Bowl team competed Saturday in a statewide match and beat Lusher 260 to 95 and pulled ahead at the very end of their match with Caddo Magnet, beating them 220 to 180.

There will be a Google Meet Key Club meeting today at 6:00pm. Please visit the Key Club classroom for the meeting link. If you have not joined the Key Club Google classroom, please join before the meeting: 6mgfcl2

Art Club will have our monthly Google Meet tomorrow at 6:30pm. All members should check their email and our Google Classroom for important Soup Bowl Benefit information.

VC STEM Club members are reminded to submit their paperwork and dues to Mrs. Robichaux in room 202 before Friday.



Sports

Swim team can check the door to room 224 for their events on Saturday. You may pick up the release form for the meet from Mrs. Watkins and return it to her any day this week.

Boys soccer tryouts will continue today and tomorrow from 3:30 to 5:00 at The Lakes for those who aren't currently in any Fall sports and Saturday for Football, Cross Country, or any others from 1 PM to 4 PM.



Sports

Marksman will have Shotgun practice today and tomorrow from 4 to 6pm at the Bayou Blue Range; see Google Classroom page for practice details and instructions

Any student interested in joining the Terrier Powerlifting Team should sign up outside the Athletic Directors' office.





What's for lunch?



Hot Plate

Monday-Jamaican Jerk grilled chicken, mac and cheese, carrots

Tuesday-meat sauce and spaghetti, creamed spinach, garlic roll, fruit

Wednesday-Red beans, rice, chicken smackers, cauliflower, strawberries

Thursday- Crispy or soft beef tacos, corn, cinnamon roll, fruit

Friday- Chicken fajitas, green beans, fruit, cake

Sandwich

Monday-Chicken nuggets

Tuesday-Mozzarella sticks and marinara sauce

Wednesday-Chicken sandwich

Thursday-Grilled cheese sandwich

Friday-Bacon cheeseburger



Terrific Terriers



Happy Birthday

Monica Morales

Mrs. Ashley Naquin

Mrs. Debbie Theriot

Student of the Day

Rafe Matherne

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Mrs. Elise LeBouef will be hosting an ACT Prep Class to help students prepare for the December ACT. These classes will take place on **November 28th, November 29th, and December 5th. Email Mrs. LeBoeuf at eleboeuf@htdiocese.org to reserve your spot. The registration form can be found in students' Counseling Center Google Classroom under the ACT folder.**



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Seniors, the Knights of Columbus LA State Council has opened applications for the Catholic Youth Leadership Award. Use the interactive form to apply at www.louisianakc.org. Be sure to follow all instructions carefully. The deadline to submit all documentation is **January 25th, 2021. Contact Delmas Forbes, Jr. at dcforbes1@cox.net with any questions.**



Scholarships

The Horatio Alger Scholarship is now open for seniors to apply. The criteria are as follows: -Critical financial need (\$55,000 or less adjusted gross income per family) -Integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity -Minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 -Participation in community service -United States citizenship The deadline to apply is **October 25, 2020**. For more information and to apply, visit <https://app.smarterselect.com/programs/66358-Horatio-Alger-Association>.

The Cooke College Scholarship Program is accepting applications until **October 30th**. Click on the link for more information.
<https://www.goingmerry.com/scholarships/the-cooke-college-scholarship-program/5729>



Scholarships

Seniors, each year, the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation awards 150 college scholarships worth \$20,000 to high school students across the United States through the Coca-Cola Scholars Program. Students need a 3.0 GPA and to fill out an online application that requires no essays, no recommendations, and no transcripts by **October 31, 2020**, at 5 p.m. Eastern. Visit <https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/> for more information and to apply.

The Lela Choose Louisiana Scholarship is now available at <https://lela.org/register/>. This is a \$1000 scholarship available for seniors. The deadline to apply is **December 31st, 2020**.



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Juniors and Seniors who hold elected or appointed offices in school or community groups listed at

[https://ussenateyouth.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/2021-US SYP-Official-Brochure.pdf](https://ussenateyouth.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/2021-US-SYP-Official-Brochure.pdf) are eligible to apply for the 2021 Virtual United States Senate Youth Program. Two outstanding students from Louisiana will be selected to virtually participate in a series of online meetings during the week of March 15th, 2021. Upon participation of all these meetings, each delegate will receive a \$10,000.00 college scholarship from the Hearst Foundation. To apply, you must complete the application packet at https://www.louisianabelieves.com/docs/default-source/awards/u-s-senate-youth-application.pdf?sfvrsn=c612991f_2. The deadline to submit your application portfolio is **November 16th. Please see Mrs. Bliss with any questions.**

