



## ST. CHARLES WEST HIGH SCHOOL

*from the desk of Dr. Kim Fitterling*

*Highlights & Updates . . .*

**JUNE 5, 2018**

### **CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2018**

On Sunday, June 3, St. Charles West graduated 148 members of the Class of 2018. The class earned approximately 5.3 million dollars in scholarship money. Five students were Bright Flight recipients. Fourteen students had a perfect unweighted 4.0 GPA. One student, **Shawn Harvey**, had four years of perfect attendance. Forty-eight students earned Cum Laude (23), Magna Cum Laude (17), and Summa Cum Laude (8) designation. Fifty-five percent of the Class of 2018 earned A+ designation. Eighty-six percent of the class is continuing their education in a technical school, community college, or four year university. Four percent of the Class of 2018 is headed into military service. Three percent are joining the work force, and seven percent as of June 3 were undecided. Congratulations to our newest Alumni! *(This will be the last school-related email you receive from St. Charles West through School Messenger. There is no need to call to ask that your name be removed. Also we have some missing honor cords/stoles, grad cap, and tassels found after graduation. They will be here in the main office if you believe one might be yours. We wish the Class of 2018 much success! Keep in Touch.)*

### **SENIOR PICTURE INFORMATION FOR THE CLASS OF 2019**

Juniors will need to schedule an appointment over the summer with Wagner Portrait Group, our official photographer for the yearbook. Wagner Portrait Group sets aside June 21 and 22 for the St. Charles West Class of 2019 Senior Yearbook Pictures and other services. Information will be distributed through the mail from Wagner Portrait Group. Information will also be made available on our school website.

### **SENIOR ( CLASS OF 2019) REQUIRED IMMUNIZATION**

Seniors who received an immunization letter this past school year stating that your student needed specific immunization(s) prior to returning to school in August 2018, must be sure that the immunization is completed and documentation is provided prior to attending the first day of school on August 16, 2018.

### **SUMMER DEAD PERIOD FOR ATHLETES AND ACTIVITIES**

The SCWest Summer Dead Period for all athletes and activities is scheduled for June 30 through July 8. During the dead period there can be NO school sponsored activities. Fall sports practices will begin on August 6, 2018. The Fall Sports dead period is July 30 through August 3. If you have questions, please contact our Activities Director, Mr. Terry Oetting, or speak with your child's coach or sponsor.

### **2018-2019 ATHLETES AND MSHSSA SPONSORED ACTIVITIES**

Students planning on participating in the SCWest sports programs or band, cheerleading, Dance n Drill must have a physical dated after February 1, 2018 to be eligible to practice and/or tryout.

### **SCW PTO INFORMATIONAL UPDATES FOR 2018-2019**

The PTO has some changes coming for the 2018-2019 school year. The PTO will be teaming up with our athletic teams, clubs, and activities to manage the staffing of our concessions stands for sporting events. We are bringing back a "draft" system that will have similarities to what has been done in the past.

Teams and clubs will sign up to work events and a portion of the proceeds from the concession season will then be directed to specific teams and clubs who have worked. This change should allow us to work as a community to better support and benefit our school with direct fundraising to our clubs, activities, and sports. PTO would like to thank our parents and families for their support this past year: Teacher appreciation events (back to school treats, December breakfast casseroles, Spring Taco Bar, Custodial dinner, popcorn and “thank you notes” at parent/teacher conferences; Traditions (senior graduation lock in party attended by approximately 140 graduates); Support to our students (paid entrance fees for students in all post district games, photo booth at Homecoming, hot dogs and water for students at Powder Puff game, paying off lunch accounts, and Senior Scholarships); and much, much more. Thank you for supporting all of these events with your membership dues and volunteer time. PTO is excited for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year. We invite you to attend the OPEN-PTO meetings which will be held the first Tuesday of the month starting August 7, 2018 at 6:30P.M. in the Clark A. Cilek Library at St. Charles West. Membership dues are \$10 per family. Be on the lookout for the 2018-2019 PTO sign up form in your summer registration packet.

Please contact us at [scwestwarriors@gmail.com](mailto:scwestwarriors@gmail.com)

Facebook: St. Charles West PTO

Twitter: SCW PTO

### **SUMMER REGISTRATION PACKETS AND SCHEDULE PICK UP**

The summer registration packets will be mailed to homes approximately the middle of July. Schedule pick up days are Tuesday, July 31 and Wednesday, August 1 from 8:30A.M. – 11:30A.M. for 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Ninth grade orientation is scheduled for Tuesday, July 31 in the evening. Details about schedule pick up and specific information will be in the registration packets and can be found on the SCWest website [www.scwwarriors.org](http://www.scwwarriors.org)

### **ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR 2018-2019**

Parents of returning students (this will include incoming ninth graders who attended Hardin) will be able to log into the Parent Portal to update and verify enrollment information for the 2018-2019 school year as well as complete the Chromebook usage and insurance forms. Parents will also be able to pay the \$25 insurance fee online. The Parent Portal is open from June 4 through July 27. It is recommended to complete and SUBMIT all forms through the Parent Portal in order to reduce wait time during schedule pick up and ninth grade orientation. Hard copies will also be available in the summer registration packet.

### **SUMMER SPORTS CAMP INFORMATION**

Summer sports camp information is available online at [www.scwwarriorcamps.com](http://www.scwwarriorcamps.com). Parents can register and pay online. If you have specific questions, please call our Activities office at 636-443-4255

### **TRYING TO REACH ST. CHARLES WEST OVER THE SUMMER**

When calling St. Charles West over the summer, please use the following number: 636-443-4222. Other extensions that parents may use during the school year, such as the attendance number, do not have an individual on duty to answer the phone. The St. Charles West office will be closed on July 4. Summer hours are 7:00A.M. until 3:00P.M. daily.

### **THANK YOU TO THE ST. CHARLES WEST COMMUNITY**

I want to thank the St. Charles West Community for the past nineteen years as your principal. I followed a great man, Dr. Clark Cilek, who served St. Charles West for twenty-six years. His vision upon opening St. Charles West has been influential in the continued years since his retirement. It has been an honor to serve the Warrior family. I leave at the end of June with many good memories, relationships, and a few laughs. I know St. Charles West is in good hands moving forward with Dr. Voelkl as he takes over as the

third principal of St. Charles West on July 1. Best wishes to all of our Warrior Families. #scwpride #rolltribe

**FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR 2018-2019 IS THURSDAY, AUGUST 16!**

Have a good summer!

**STUDENT AND STAFF HIGHLIGHTS**

Congratulations to our Spring Sport Athletes are their accomplishments:

**Girls Soccer**

1st Team All-GAC North - **Maggie Miller, Alyssa Pavlacic, Abbie Gilblair**

2nd Team All-GAC North - **Kayla Van Booven, Kaitlyn Weinrich, Madeline Hornbeck**

**Baseball**

1st Team All-GAC North - **Clark Henderson, Brendan Noack, Caleb Gibbs**

2nd Team All-GAC North - **Jack Rhodes, Matt Frazer**

GAC North Player of the Year - **Brendan Noack**

**Boys Track**

**Daniel Stahl** - State Qualifier in High Jump

**Golf**

**Kevin Higgins** - State Qualifier

**Boys Tennis**

**Matt Anderson** - 3rd place District Singles Tournament

The following spring sports teams earned MSHSAA Scholastic Achievement Awards:

Distinguished (Team GPA of 3.0 to 3.24): **Boys' Varsity Track, JV Girls' Soccer, JV Boys' Baseball**

Outstanding (Team GPA of 3.25 – 4.0): **Girls' Varsity Track, Girls' Varsity Soccer, Boys' Varsity Tennis, Varsity Combined Group Golf, Boys' Varsity Baseball**

Congratulations!

**GO WARRIORS!**