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educating young women who will lead and serve the world

Welcome: A Message from the President



Dear R-K Families and Friends,

The opening of the best school year for Rosati-Kain is right around the corner! Welcome back to all of our returning families and a big WELCOME to all our new families.

Pope John Paul II said, *"Community is at the heart of all Catholic education, not simply as a concept to be taught, but as a reality to be lived."* At Rosati-Kain this has always proven to be true. As we said good-bye to the Class of 2016, we also said good-bye to two staff members who are moving on to the next chapter of their lives. Jackie Jones '07, Advancement Services Manager, accepted a position with the Today and Tomorrow Foundation. John Zaegel, Facilities Director, left R-K for a position in the public sector. We wish Jackie and John well in their new adventures and we are ever grateful for the dedication they have shown to R-K.

Just as we welcome the Class of 2020 to our community, we also welcome several new Colleagues to our staff. Nika Cafazza '08 is a most worthy successor of Jackie and has accepted the role as Advancement Services Manager. When you meet her there will be no doubt that Rosati-Kain is in her heart and spirit. A familiar face, James (Andy) Anderson, will assume leadership of the facilities department and Gerald (Jerry) Cafazza will join the facilities team. Jerry also has a special place in his heart for Rosati-Kain ever since his daughter Nika was a Kougat. We are excited to have these great additions to our team in place for this new school year.

Our teaching staff welcomes Ms. Liz Hejlik as a full time member of the faculty. Her work at R-K in the second semester last year will facilitate a smooth transition for the new school year. Dr. Goodwin, Mr. McNamee, and I are very pleased to present a great team of Colleagues to serve, promote, and inspire your daughters.

New updates are not quite as obvious as they were in August 2015, but as the year unfolds, you will find enhancements in technology, student services, and programming to be great new opportunities for our students. More subtle changes to our facilities include new painting, carpeting, lighting and decorating additions.

The Rosati-Kain staff is preparing for a great year through in-service activities, curriculum planning, service and new technology experiences. Some well-deserved R&R will round out their preparation for the opening of school. Please keep the faculty and staff of R-K in your prayers as we remember you and your family each day. We look forward to seeing everyone again in August.

Blessings,
S. Joan Andert, SSND
President

FROM YOUR SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS:



Dear Parents,

We hope your summer is joy-filled and relaxing. We are certainly missing your daughters as we work each day preparing ourselves for their return in just a few weeks. The energy and excitement they bring by just being themselves is most life-giving. Know that journeying with our students through their high school years is a humbling experience for us and a responsibility that all of us take seriously. Thank you for sharing your daughters with us.

This will be our third year as Principal and Assistant Principal of Rosati-Kain High School. Time moves fast for us

as we so thoroughly enjoy being part of the Rosati-Kain community. This year we will have many new student-initiated clubs and activities (chess club, adventurers' club, dress exchange, Kougar Outreach and more) so be sure to encourage your daughter to get involved. Similarly, I encourage each of you to get involved by sharing your gifts. In doing so, together we enhance the experience of our students, nurture lifelong friendships, and build the kingdom of God on earth.

This year we will be focusing on the charism of Humilitas. We receive this core value from the Sisters of Saint Joseph of Carondelet. Humilitas means we strive to listen to God's call and submit ourselves to God's will and to others for God's purpose. We recognize that our very existence is a gift from God and we are grateful.

At our Kolleague day of prayer on August 15, the faculty and staff will gather for liturgy, deepen our understanding of Humilitas and pray for your daughters. This day of reflection also allows us

to visit with one another and recommit ourselves to the mission of our school.

On August 17, we look forward to welcoming our freshmen, and then we are off and running with the school year. May God bless each of us abundantly as we strive to live out the Gospel values in all that we do.

Know that we are here for you and your daughters and please do not hesitate to contact us at any time.

Dr. Elizabeth Ann Goodwin
Principal

Mr. Tery McNamee
Assistant Principal



Welcome to the Class of 2020! Believe. Achieve. Do.

Now that you are a new Kougar it is time to start your R-K legacy! Traditions and unique activities are waiting for you in the R-K Community.

Welcome to Rosati-Kain High School! You will join our current students on Lindell at a school rich with history and brimming with excitement for our future - and we are thrilled that the future will include you!

This fall we officially welcome you at Freshmen Orientation on August 17. Details regarding this event have been included in this newsletter. At the time of orientation, you and your family will receive a Student Planner, which will include the Student Handbook. Be sure

to read over it carefully for policies and procedures.

At R-K there is a club or sport for every Rosati girl! Whether you join as a member or choose to lead one, simply taking part in an extracurricular group will enhance your R-K experience. Find what interests you or what you have always wanted to try. We promise you will not regret it.

Enjoy the rest of your summer,
Your Rosati-Kain Family



Mother-Daughter Dance

The annual Mother-Daughter Dance is Friday, October 7, in the R-K gym. Don't miss all the fun!



Put on your dancing shoes and get ready to have a blast! This all-school event is hugely popular. Look for updates on this event coming soon. For more information, contact Laura Schulte, Enrollment Director, at lschulte@rosati-kain.org or 314-533-8513 ext. 2215.

OPEN HOUSE - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Our annual Open House is a wonderful opportunity for families to find out more about R-K! This is a great way for friends and neighbors to see the campus, meet the students and parents and hear about Rosati-Kain.

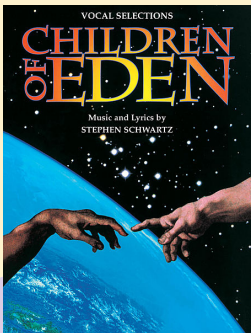
Open from noon to 4 p.m., everyone who attends receives a special gift and information pertaining to the specifics of our great school.



For more information about Open House at Rosati-Kain, please contact Laura Schulte at lschulte@rosati-kain.org or 314-533-8513 ext. 2215.

Fall Musical: November 10-12

Children of Eden



Music and Lyrics by Stephen Schwartz.
Book by John Caird.
Based on a concept by Charles Lisanby.

Auditions:
September 14 and 15



5 things every Rosati girl should know

1

Kougar with a K
Everything kan and should be spelled with a 'K.'

2

Who are you?
Always wear your IDs.

3

Senior Table/Courtyard
If you are not a senior, avoid the senior table and the senior courtyard.

4

Proper Dress Code
Always wear a polo, even if you have a sweatshirt on.

5

Hard Work Pays Off
Work hard your freshmen year.
You will be glad you did.

freshmen: parent coalition meeting



All parents of incoming freshmen are required to attend a Coalition of Catholic Secondary Schools meeting. Please make arrangements to attend one of the meetings listed below.

Please bring along the pink card that you received in an earlier packet to the meeting. This card is proof of your attendance and should be turned in the night of the meeting. If you have any questions about the coalition meetings, contact the school office at 314-533-8513. Available meeting dates and locations:

Monday, August 1 - FESTUS

Location: St. Pius X High School, 1030 St. Pius Drive
RSVP: St. Pius X High School, 636-931-7487

Tuesday, August 2 - SOUTH COUNTY

Location: St. Catherine Laboure, 9750 Sappington Rd
RSVP: St. John Vianney, 314-965-4853 x 700

Tuesday, August 2 - NORTH COUNTY

Location: St. Norbert Church, 16455 New Halls Ferry Rd.
RSVP: Trinity High School, 314-741-1333 x 211

Wednesday, August 3 - PERRYVILLE, MO

Location: St. Vincent High School, 210 South Waters St.
RSVP: St. Vincent High School, 573-547-2560

Thursday, August 4 - WEST COUNTY

Location: Holy Infant, 628 Dennison Drive
RSVP: Chaminade College Prep, 314-993-4400 x 1110

Thursday, August 4 - SOUTH ST. LOUIS CITY

Location: St. Raphael the Archangel, 6000 Jamieson
RSVP: Bishop DuBourg HS, 314-832-3030 x 0

Monday, August 8 - SOUTH COUNTY

Location: St. Simon the Apostle, 11019 Mueller Rd.
RSVP: Cor Jesu High School, 314-842-4429 x 254

Monday, August 8 - WEST COUNTY

Location: St. Joseph Church, 567 St. Joseph Lane
RSVP: John F. Kennedy Catholic HS, 636-227-5900

Tuesday, August 9 - SOUTH ST. LOUIS CITY

Location: St. Raphael the Archangel, 6000 Jamieson Ave
RSVP: Rosati-Kain High School, 314-533-8513 x 249

Tuesday, August 9 - WEST COUNTY

Location: St. Richard Parish, 11223 Schuetz Rd.
RSVP: CBC High School, 314-985-6118

Wednesday, August 10 - STE. GENEVIEVE, MO

Location: Valle High School, 40 N. 4th St.
RSVP: Valle High School, 573-883-7496

Thursday, August 11 - SPANISH ONLY

Location: St. Cecilia School, 906 Eichelberger St.
RSVP: St. Cecilia School, 314-353-2455 x 1108

Thursday, August 11 - WEST COUNTY

Location: Holy Infant, 628 Dennison Drive
RSVP: Villa Duchesne, 314-810-3469

Thursday, August 11 - SOUTH COUNTY

Location: St. Simon the Apostle, 11019 Mueller Rd.
RSVP: Nerinx Hall, 314-968-1505 x 111

Wednesday, September 14 - WASHINGTON, MO

Location: St. Francis Borgia Regional, 1000 Borgia Dr.
RSVP: St. Francis Borgia Regional, 636-239-7871 x 111

all students:

Each student will receive a student handbook. Please be sure to read over the handbook carefully for policies and procedures. Below you will find information for specific details on our most frequently asked questions.

Drop off Procedures:

Students arriving between 6:30 and 7:30 a.m. are to enter through the “G” (accessed through the alley near the courtyard) and “J” (accessed from Lindell and the senior courtyard) R-K doors. Students arriving after 7:30 a.m. should be dropped off at the Newstead Ave. Learning Commons entrance. Please do not use the Engineers’ Club parking lot for drop off.

Punctuality:

The school day begins with the 7:55 a.m. warning bell and students must report to their advisory by the 8:00 a.m. bell. A student who is not in her advisory period will be marked tardy.

Homework:

Rosati-Kain is a college-preparatory school and students are expected to do their work. We want our students to have a successful year, and we know that staying current with their homework contributes to their success. Many assignments are posted on Moodle for parents to view.

Cell Phones:

Because building relationships with fellow Kougars is such an integral part of the high school experience, student cell phone usage is not allowed at Rosati-Kain. Parents are asked to refrain from calling and texting their daughters during the school day. In an emergency, please call the office at 314-533-8513 to reach your daughter.

School Dress Code:

Polo shirts and the plaid skirt may be purchased at Just Me Apparel or the Kougar Kloset. Shorts and slacks must be solid khaki with no decorative pockets, trim, zippers or metal rivets. Knits are not acceptable. Skirts must be buttoned and zipped and must end no more than two inches above the knee. Hairstyles are to be simple and, when hair is treated, it must be a natural color. Visible tattoos are not permitted, and body piercing is limited to two piercings per ear. Eyebrow, lip or tongue piercings are not allowed. For a more detailed description of the dress code, please see the appropriate section of the student handbook.

Dressing for Dances:

Students and guests are to be properly attired. Dress for all in attendance must be modest and appropriate for the occasion. All school rules regarding appropriate self-portrayal apply; bare midribs and extreme cleavage are not permitted; body piercings and tattoos should not be visible.

all families:

asbestos management information:

Please visit the R-K website under Current Families to review current asbestos management information.

freshmen: graphing calculators



Incoming freshmen at R-K are required to purchase a graphing calculator, which will be used all four years. Before making a decision about the required model, the math and science departments research the newest technologies available from the leading calculator manufacturers. Your daughter will be required to purchase the model that will be used by the R-K math and science departments. That model for the class of 2020 is TI-84 Plus C Silver Edition (the C is for COLOR). It costs approximately \$140 but can often be found on sale in the late summer. The calculator must be purchased by the beginning of the 2016 -2017 school year.

seniors: mandatory meeting for seniors and parents



Members of the Class of 2017 and at least one parent should plan to attend a meeting at R-K. The faculty, administrators and guidance services will present on the unique responsibilities, opportunities, challenges and events that are part of being an R-K senior. Attendance is mandatory for all seniors planning to participate in senior celebrations such as prom and graduation.

Plan to attend: Tuesday, August 30, 2016.

all parents: Lenovo notebooks info



Please refer to the Student Notebook Agreement in your packet regarding the 2016-2017 Lenovo Notebook distribution. The signed agreement must be returned by Thursday, August 18th in order for students to receive their Lenovo notebooks. Freshmen will receive their notebooks during computer class with Mrs. Hargis. The 10th, 11th and 12th grade students will receive their notebooks during advisory on Thursday, August 18th. Any questions should be directed to Mr. Paul Antonacci at pantonacci@rosati-kain.org or (314)533-8513 ext 2248.

Back to School Schedule:

freshmen orientation:



Wednesday, August 17, 2016, 8:45 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

- Forms and Pictures: 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
- Big Sister/Little Sister lunch at R-K: 11:30 a.m. - 12:55 p.m.
- Final orientation activities: 12:55 p.m. - 3:55 p.m.
- Prayer service and R-K welcome: 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.
- Ice Cream Social: 4:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
- Kougar Kloset will be open from 4:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

For freshmen yearbook photos, freshmen do not have to wear uniforms, but appropriate attire is required. No spaghetti straps or low-cut shirts are allowed.

upperclassmen schedule pick-up:

Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors: **Wednesday, August 17, 2016, 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**

Upperclassmen will pick up schedules and have their yearbook pictures taken. The following forms **MUST** be turned in before a student can receive her schedule:

- Completed emergency form
- Completed student information form
- Completed PARK volunteer form (one per family)
- Completed media form
- Completed medication form

orientation reminder to seniors:

Please remember to report to advisory at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 17. After a brief advisory period, you will have lunch (provided) with your little sisters as well as have your pictures taken together. Your attendance at the Big Sister/Little Sister lunch is required. You are free to leave after lunch at 1:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 18: first day of school

Students should be in Advisory at 8:00 a.m. in full dress code, prepared to follow a special schedule.

all families: back to school basics

Reminders about R-K's most important policies and procedures

Immunizations:

All health and immunization forms are due to the R-K front office on or before August 1, 2016. Students will not be allowed to begin classes without having submitted their record of immunization and a physical exam form if needed. This is a requirement by the State of Missouri Department of Health and Human Services. **New this year - members of the Class of 2017 (seniors) must have received a meningococcal vaccine after their 16th birthday.**

Tuition Payment Plans:

Thanks to all who have tuition plans on file and are keeping them current. Your prompt payment keeps R-K financially solvent. Only students with current tuition payment plans may pick up their schedules or participate in sports tryouts. Contact Stephanie Boyd at 314-533-8513 extension 2214 or sboyd@rosati-kain.org to verify tuition plans.

Insurance:

Student accident insurance is available to any family in our school. This coverage is offered through K & K Insurance Group, Inc., a company that has been managing student accident insurance for many years. The plans are underwritten by Nationwide Life Insurance Company, an A.M. Best A+ "Superior" rated carrier. To find out more information about the programs, access K & K's website at www.studentinsurance-kk.com. Online enrollment is also available at this site. You can also obtain printed information through the school office or by visiting the Current Families section on the school website.

Attendance:

The regular school day begins at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 2:45 p.m. All students are expected to be punctual. Work missed must be made up in a timely manner according to the policy set by each teacher. A written absence note signed by the parent must be provided or an email from a parent/guardian account registered with the front office to rkattendance@rosati-kain.org may be sent.

Waiting for Rides:

The school building officially closes at 3:15 p.m. on normal school days. Students who wait for a ride later than 3:15 p.m. must wait in designated areas. Under no circumstances may a student stay alone in the building. Parents must arrange for students to be gone from school no later than 5:30 p.m. unless the student is part of a supervised after school activity.

Student Health Forms:

It is essential that emergency forms are complete and kept current. Any changes to the emergency form, including change in insurance and contact information, must be reported to the office immediately.

all families:

Back-to-School Night - Tuesday, September 6



Make the most of back-to-school night. It's a valuable opportunity to learn important information about your daughter's high school experience. During this night you will follow a day of your daughter's schedule and hear more about her classes and teachers. Please arrive at 7:00 p.m. at the main entrance. This night typically lasts about an hour and a half.

all students:

Generation Life Trip to Washington, D.C.



Every year around the anniversary of Roe v. Wade, the Archdiocese of St. Louis Office of Youth Ministry organizes a pilgrimage to Washington, D.C., called Generation Life. The Generation Life Pilgrimage will participate in the annual March for Life to tell our government leaders and our nation that abortion must end. Generation Life will also give young people the opportunity to stand together in faith, to learn more about Pro-Life issues, to be fueled by dynamic programming including the Sacraments (Mass and Reconciliation), and to be empowered to live and proclaim the Gospel of life.

Generation Life 2017 Pilgrimage will depart St. Louis on **Wednesday, January 25th, and will return Sunday morning, January 29th.** This is a week later than normal because of the Presidential Inauguration on Friday, January 20th.

If you are interested in your daughter participating in this trip, please send in a \$50 deposit check made payable to Rosati-Kain High School, no later than September 30, 2016. Balance amount will vary depending on the number of students attending. Final payment (*based on 4-5 people to a room*) is due no later than December 12, 2016.

For more information on this trip, please contact:

Lisa Mitchell, lmitchell@rosati-kain.org

all families:

communication

To keep all families updated on the latest R-K news and information, watch your email for the Parent Newsletter that will be sent every Friday during the school year. Please check with the school office to make sure we have your correct email address on file.

FROM THE ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT



At Rosati-Kain High School we take great pride in our athletic programs. Our student-athletes not only compete at a high level but also personify the four charisms of our school: Virtus, Scientia, Caritas, and Humilitas. Character development is at the heart of the athletic program at R-K, and student athletes are expected to embody this philosophy by playing with veracity. Rosati-Kain High School offers students the opportunity to compete in 11 different sports, fielding teams at the varsity, junior varsity, and club level. Whether a student is working

toward playing a sport at the collegiate level or has never participated in sports of any kind, our athletic program has an offering that will meet her needs.

There will be a required ALL sports meeting July 31 at 5 p.m. for ALL parents and ALL student-athletes to meet with coaches and the Athletic Director. The meeting will be in the gym and is mandatory if you would like to tryout for any R-K sport throughout the year.

Mel Wilson '04
Director of Athletics

fall sports:

Cross Country

FOREST PARK

Field Hockey

MIDWEST SOCCER

Softball

AFFTON ATHLETICS

Tennis

DWIGHT DAVIS

Volleyball

R-K GYM

TRYOUTS

Just a reminder that tryouts for cross country, field hockey, softball, tennis and volleyball begin **Monday, August 1, 2016**. All athletes must have a current MSHSAA athletic form on file at R-K. The physical must have been completed after February 1, 2016. Physicals taken before that date will not be accepted for the coming school year. Also each athlete must have a blue AAA permission form for the new season. The physicals should be turned in through Privit Profile, a paperless e-file system.

R-K will join Bishop DuBourg and participate in a Physical Night on Thursday, July 28 at 6:00 p.m. at the Bishop DuBourg Gym. This night is for all student athletes. The cost of the physical is \$20. The physicals are being offered as part of a program through SLU Hospital. For more information on this night, please email Mel Wilson at mwilson@rosati-kain.org.

Tennis

- Monday, August 1 - 8 a.m. Tryouts at Dwight Davis in Forest Park

Softball

- Monday, August 1 - 7-9 a.m. Tryouts at Central Fields in Forest Park
- Tuesday, August 2 - 9-11 a.m. Tryouts at Central Fields in Forest Park

Field Hockey

- Monday and Tuesday, August 1 and 2 - 6-8 p.m. Tryouts at SLUH Campus, 4970 Oakland Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63110

Cross Country

- Monday - Friday, August 1 and 5 - 7-9 a.m. Tryouts at the field located next to Dwight Davis Tennis Courts.

Volleyball

- Monday and Tuesday, August 1 and 2 - 9-11 a.m. (varsity/ juniors and seniors) and 11:30 a.m. - 1p.m. (JV/incoming freshmen).

a message from advancement

We know you have made a conscious decision to invest in R-K to educate your daughter, and we thank you for trusting us to nurture and develop her potential. You have chosen wisely. Rosati-Kain has been educating women to lead and serve the world since 1911, and we are actively seeking opportunities to provide your daughter and the next century of scholars with a quality Catholic education.

We ask that each family prayerfully consider supporting the Annual Fund at a level they feel appropriate, whether it be a donation at the tuition gap amount for your daughter or at the standard family ask level of \$270. Many employers match donations, so please inquire if your employer participates. We acknowledge that some families can only provide other treasures, such as their time. We encourage those families to join us at our annual phone-a-thon in February where we call our alumnae to ask for their continued and generous support.

Liz Christman
Director of Advancement

UNIQUE BOUTIQUE IS A DON'T MISS!

You've been balancing a busy life and it's time to grab your girlfriends and enjoy a fun and relaxing evening at R-K. Discover some of St. Louis' best shops and boutiques as you bid on some amazing baskets.



We are always looking for vendors to feature at our 'Girls Night Out' so let us know if one of your favorites would be interested in participating.

Our talented and hard working committee members are always looking for the best auction baskets to add to our must have lists!

Never before have there been so many great reasons to attend this year's Unique Boutique. For more information on this event, please contact Liz

Christman at 314-533-8513 ext 2216 or echristman@rosati-kain.org.

*Want to stay connected to daily life at R-K?
Follow us on Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest and
Snapchat. You can also like us on Facebook!*



ways you can give back to Rosati-Kain

Volunteer

Listed in this newsletter are many opportunities to volunteer. There is something for everyone!

Unique Boutique

Consider donating a raffle or auction item to help make our event a success! We also ask each family to donate a gift card of any kind.

Annual Fund

This yearly campaign is essential to keeping Rosati-Kain a legacy for our families.

Build the Dream

The new addition is a hit! Are you able to donate to this last leg of our campaign?

Share your Story

Share your R-K story with us so we can continue spreading all the ways R-K can impact a life.

PARK (Parents Assisting Rosati-Kain)

The support of the PARK volunteers is invaluable to the R-K community. Our teachers, staff and students know that one of the great strengths of our school is our parent involvement. PARK provides a framework for parents to participate in our school community through many volunteer opportunities. The events and activities at which R-K anticipates needing parent volunteers are listed below. Please indicate the events at which you wish to participate on the PARK form that was included in your packet. The event chair will contact you to confirm your availability prior to the event. Please review the following opportunities:

August

Rec Night – August 5

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

These are nights to introduce R-K to 6th through 8th graders with lots of fun, music and activities. Parents are needed as chaperones and to answer questions parents may have.

September

Grandparents' Day – September 7

Contact: Liz Christman, echristman@rosati-kain.org

Mass at the Cathedral celebrates our girls, their grandparents and families. We are looking for families to provide totes of coffee or trays of cookies. We are also looking for parents to volunteer to help greet grandparents at the Cathedral or to help distribute coffee and cookies to grandparents at the reception. Student dismissal is at 11:45 am that day.

High School Nights – September 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

High school nights are held at various Catholic high schools.

Meet at assigned school at 6:30 p.m. for 7:00 p.m. start. One parent for each event is needed to talk about their experience as a parent at R-K. Also open to anyone with a daughter now in college and if/how they were prepared after leaving high school. You are also welcome to join if your daughter is an ambassador and is speaking already at a high school night.

Homecoming Dance – September 17

Contact: Julie Anderson, janderson@rosati-kain.org

The annual Homecoming Dance is highly anticipated by the students each year. PARK volunteers help make this event run smoothly and safely by serving snacks, working the coat check, checking the bathrooms (dads are needed for the boys' bathroom), and assisting with photos and clean up.

October

High School Nights – October 4, 6, 11

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

High school nights are held at various Catholic high schools. Meet at assigned school at 6:30 p.m. for 7:00 p.m.

start. One parent for each event is needed to talk about their experience as a parent at R-K. Also open to anyone with a daughter now in college and if/how they were prepared after leaving high school. You are also welcome to join if your daughter is an ambassador and is already speaking at a high school night.

All-School Mother/Daughter Dance – October 7

Contact: Cheri Smith, Chair, cheri@6smiths.com

The chair and volunteers organize all aspects of this event. Moms are needed to coordinate food/drinks, check in, registration and organize elements for the evening. Those volunteering also have plenty of time to actually enjoy the evening as well.

Tennis & Softball Sports Banquet – October 10

Contact: Mel Wilson, mwilson@rosati-kain.org

Team parents needed to help set-up and clean-up on day of event.

Report Card Conferences Faculty Pot-Luck – October 27

Contact: Jill Duvall, jduvall@rosati-kain.org

Provide a delicious dish for our faculty dinner during report card conferences. Help is needed with set-up, serve food or clean-up.

November

Cross-Country, Field Hockey & Volleyball Sports Banquet – November 2

Contact: Mel Wilson, mwilson@rosati-kain.org

Team parents needed to help set-up and clean-up on day of event.

Open House at Rosati-Kain – November 6

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

This is an exciting day for R-K to showcase all that we are to prospective students and families. Volunteer opportunities for Open House are serving refreshments, providing outdoor parking direction, Tour Ambassador (going along on the student-led tours to answer questions and provide a parent perspective). Contact Jill DuVall at jduvall@rosati-kain.org to help with Kougat Kiosk sales.

Unique Boutique – November 17

Contact: Liz Christman, echristman@rosati-kain.org

A fun evening of food and shopping with friends. R-K invites unique vendors to sell their wares at R-K. There are also raffle baskets, auction items, and a faculty bake sale. Dinner and drinks are part of the ticket price. We ask that each family donate a gift card from any place they would like (\$5 and up). Families are also able to donate items (or complete baskets) for our silent auction. Gift cards and items should be directed to the Advancement Office. At the event, we are looking for individuals to assist with set up, refreshments, vendor assistance, and clean up. Finally, we also welcome volunteers to join any of our committees: the auction and raffle committee, the food committee, the drink committee, the vendor committee, and the marketing committee.

PARK (Parents Assisting Rosati-Kain)

December

Breakfast with Santa – December 10

Contact: Advancement Office, rkdevelopment@rosati-kain.org

This is a great morning of refreshments, activities and, of course, a chat with Santa. Parent volunteers are needed to help with registration, crafts, and refreshments for this alumnae and family event.

January

Rec Night – January 6

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

These nights introduce R-K to 5th through 7th graders with lots of fun, music and activities. Parents are needed as chaperones and to answer any questions students may have.

February

“Class of 2021” Yard Signs – February 3

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

The day of acceptance notification, volunteers will distribute and place signs in the yard of R-K’s newest students.

Phone Call Night to Incoming Freshman Parents – February 6 - 10

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

Make reminder phone calls to incoming freshman parents about registration. Welcome them to the R-K Kommunity. This can be done at your home on your own schedule.

Class of 2021 Registration – February 16

Contact: Jill Duvall, jduvall@rosati-kain.org

Volunteers may help with this event in two ways: serving refreshments or helping in Kougat Klost.

Phone-a-thon – February 22 & 23

Contact: Advancement Office, rkdevelopment@rosati-kain.org

Volunteers call the R-K community to thank them for support and remind them about the Annual Fund.

Winter Dance – February 25

Contact: Julie Anderson, janderson@rosati-kain.org

The annual Winter Dance is highly anticipated by the students each year. PARK volunteers help make these events run smoothly and safely by serving snacks, working the coat check, checking the bathrooms (dads are needed for the boys’ bathroom), and assisting with photos and clean up.

March

Basketball, Cheer and Swimming Sports Banquet – March 15

Contact: Mel Wilson, mwilson@rosati-kain.org

Team parents needed to help set-up and clean-up on day of event.

Princess Tea Party - March 25

Contact: Liz Christman, echristman@rosati-kain.org

Watch our princesses come to life at this magical morning of snacks and fun. We are looking for volunteers to help with registration, crafts, and serving refreshments to the attendees.

April

7th Grade Math Contest Hospitality – April 1

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

Each spring, R-K hosts a math competition. Volunteers help serve refreshments to parents and teachers from participating grade schools.

Alumnae Mass & Brunch – April 30

Contact: Advancement Office, rkdevelopment@rosati-kain.org

This is an annual event for our alumnae to attend Mass together at the Cathedral and to gather at R-K for brunch. We are looking for volunteers to help greet and register our alumnae as they come over from Mass at the Cathedral. We are also in need of volunteers to help us set up the Friday before the brunch and to help us clean up after the brunch.

May

All-School Father/Daughter Picnic – May 7

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

A fun-filled day planned by dads to be shared with their R-K daughters. Help is needed to set-up, BBQ and clean up.

Senior Lock-In – May 11

Contact: Julie Anderson, janderson@rosati-kain.org

After Class Night. Senior parents needed to assist with activities and chaperone the all-night event.

ASK Reception – May 15

Contact: Advancement Office, rkdevelopment@rosati-kain.org

Short reception prior to graduation for ASK sponsors and their seniors; held in the R-K gym. Volunteers assist with hospitality (set up, serve refreshments, and clean up).

Graduation – May 15

Contact: Laura Schulte, lschulte@rosati-kain.org

Parents are needed to assist as ushers at the commencement ceremony at the Cathedral. Preference will be given to junior parents so they may get a preview of graduation.

AUGUST, 2016 - BEGIN SEMESTER ONE

- 1 Resume regular office hours; Fall sports tryouts begin
- 5 Back to School Rec Night, Grades 6, 7 & 8, 7:00-10:00pm
- 15 Faculty Prayer Day
- 16 Faculty Meeting & Professional Development
- 17 Freshmen Orientation 8:45am-5:30pm
Forms & Picture Day 9:30-11am
Big/Little Sister Lunch
Freshmen Parent Meeting 4:00-5:30pm
- 18 ALL STUDENTS REPORT 6:00am-12:25pm
- 19 DAY 1 of Founders Day Liturgy 8:15am
- 30 Senior Parent Meeting 6:30pm

SEPTEMBER

- 5 Labor Day of School Closed
- 6 Back to School Night 7:00pm
- 7 Grandparents Day 11:45 dismissal of no café service
Faculty Meeting of afternoon
- 14 Fall Musical Auditions
- 15 Mid-quarter 1
Fall Musical Auditions
- 16 Fall Sports Pep Rally
- 17 Homecoming Dance 7:30-10:30pm
- 19 Jesuit College Fair
- 27 St. Louis Archdiocesan Senior Day
Sophomore Prayer Day
Picture Retakes

OCTOBER

- 5 Faculty Meeting of 12:15pm dismissal
of Kougat for a Day of 8th Graders
- 7 Mother-Daughter All-School Dance
- 14 Quarter 1 Ends
- 19 Freshmen Prayer Day
Soph & Jr PSAT testing
Senior College Visit Day
NHS Induction 7:00pm
- 22 ACT testing @ R-K
- 27 Parent-Teacher Conferences 3-6:00pm
- 28 October Day; Senior Class Picture
- 31 Halloween; Winter Sports begin

NOVEMBER

- 1 All Saints Day of Liturgy 10:00am
- 2 Faculty Meeting of 12:15pm dismissal
- 4 Senior Father/Daughter Dinner Dance
- 6 Rosati-Kain High School Open House
- 7 NO CLASSES; Faculty Professional Development
- 10, 11, 12 Fall Musical
- 16, 17, 18 Kairos #33, begins at 8:00am 11/16/16
- 17 Unique Boutique 6:00pm
- 22 Thanksgiving Liturgy 1:45pm
- 23, 24, 25 Thanksgiving Break
- 28 Christmas Concert Rehearsal

DECEMBER

- 2 Reconciliation 1:30pm
- 2 & 3 Christmas Concert 7:30pm
- 7 Faculty Meeting of 12:15pm dismissal
- 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Liturgy 10:00am
- 10 Breakfast with Santa 9:00am
- 19, 20, 21 Exams
- 22 Exam Make-Up Day
- 23-Jan. 3 Christmas Break

JANUARY, 2017 - BEGIN SEMESTER TWO

- 4 All Classes Meet
Young Alumnae Liturgy 1:45pm
- 6 Winter Rec Night, Grades 6, 7 & 8, 7:00-10:00pm
- 10 Sophomore Parent Night 6:30pm
- 11 Faculty Meeting of 12:15pm dismissal
- 13 Winter Sports Pep Rally
- 16 School Closed of Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 18 & 19 Spring Play Auditions
- 24 Junior Parent Night 6:30pm
- 25-29 Pro-Life Trip of leave @ 4pm on 1/25; Pro-Life March 1/27/17
- 27 Pro-Life Living Rosary 2:15pm

30 & 31 ROAR WEEK /Catholic Schools Week**FEBRUARY****1, 2 & 3 ROAR WEEK /Catholic Schools Week**

- 1 Faculty Meeting of 12:15pm dismissal
- 2 Talent Show
- 3 90 Min PM Activity of Faculty/Senior Volleyball Game
- 4 Trivia Night
- 8 Senior Prayer Day @ Maria Center
- 8 Mid-quarter 3
- 10 2 Hour PM Activity of Career Day
- 16 Class of 2021 Registration 6:00-7:30pm
- 17 No Classes of Faculty Professional Development
- 20 School Closed of Presidents Day
- 22 & 23 Phone-a-thon in the café 5:30-7:30pm
- 24 Shakespeare Festival 12:45pm
- 25 Winter Dance 7:30pm
- 27 Spring Sports begin

MARCH

- 1 Ash Wednesday Liturgy 10:00am
- 8 Faculty Meeting - 12:15pm dismissal
- 9, 10 & 11 Spring Play
- 10 Quarter 3 Ends
- 13 No Classes
- 17 Spring Sports Pep Rally
- 22, 23, 24 Kairos #34 begins at 8:00am 3/22/17
- 26 Mother/Senior Daughter Brunch
- 30 Junior Ring Mass 7:00pm
- 31 Passion Mime Tour 8:00am-3:00pm

APRIL

- 1 Junior Ring Dance 7:30-10:30pm
- 4 JR/SR Mid-quarter 4
- 5 Faculty Meeting - 12:15pm dismissal
of Kougat For a Day of 7th Graders
- 7 Lenten Reconciliation Service 1:30pm
- 8 ACT testing @ R-K
- 12 Liturgy/Passion Mime 1:15pm
FR/SO Mid-quarter 4
- 13 Holy Thursday of School Closed
- 14 Good Friday of School Closed
- 16 Easter Sunday
- 17-23 Easter Break
- 18, 19, 20 NCEA Convention in St. Louis
- 24 Classes resume
- 25 Kougapalooza at Forest Park
- 26 Theatre for Social Change
- 27 Rain Date for Kougapalooza
- 28 Prom - seniors dismissed @ 11:15am
- 30 Alumnae Mass & Brunch 9:30am

MAY

- 1 Spring Concert Rehearsal
AP Exams begin
- 3 Faculty Meeting - 12:15pm dismissal
- 5 Hot Dog Day
Fine Arts Festival; Ice Cream Social of Class of 2021 & Moms
Spring Concert 7:30pm
- 6 Fine Arts Festival; Spring Concert 7:30pm
- 7 Father/Daughter All-School BBQ of noon at Forest Park
- 8 Senior Exams
- 9 & 10 Junior & Senior Exams
- 11 Junior Exams
Graduation Practice & Senior Appreciation Lunch
Senior Class Night 7:00pm
Senior Lock-In 10:00pm-5:00am on 5/12/17
- 12 Junior Commissioning Liturgy 8:15am of Junior service begins
- 15 **GRADUATION** 7:00pm @ Cathedral
- 23, 24, 25 Exams of FR & SOPH of dismissal after last exam
- 24 Math Placement Test 8:30-10:00am
- 26 Make-Up Exams
Junior Service Reflection
Faculty Meeting; last Faculty day
- 29 Memorial Day of School Closed