



Sapientia et Scientia

Samuel Fuller School

“...Christ, in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.”
Colossians 2:2b-3

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Upcoming Events

**March 14 –
National Latin Exam**

**March 15 –
Noon Dismissal:
6PM: Classical
Education Seminar
and Banquet**

**March 22 –
Noon Dismissal:
4PM-8PM: Parent
Teacher
Conferences**

**March 28 –
9AM-2PM & 5PM-
8PM: Open House**

**March 29 –
Noon Dismissal:
Maundy Thursday**



Monday Missive

A recent article in *The Classical Difference* highlighted the importance of word-of-mouth marketing. Any chance conversation with an acquaintance can plant the seed of interest in classical Christian education.

Don't Keep It a Secret

Last year, Highland Rim Academy's survey revealed that an astonishing 97% of the families found the school by word-of-mouth. The following stories reveal what a chance meeting can mean in the life of a child.

MARS HILL ACADEMY, MASON, OH

Amy first heard of Mars Hill at the gym, when another mom, Emily, began working out beside her. The women began to chat, and Emily began telling Amy about her son's successful experience, and appreciation of classical Christian education. Amy enrolled her daughter the next year.

Another mother of Mars Hill Academy, Michaux, found herself disgruntled with the public education system. After confiding her discontent to a friend, her friend casually mentioned "Mars Hill something, where they sing." Intrigued, Michaux began researching the school. Six years later, Michaux is an employee of the school, and her eldest is a senior.

AGAPE CHRISTI, EDEN PRAIRIE, MN

Aleta Johnson struck up a conversation at the park with strangers while their kids played together on the playground. They began discussing classical Christian education. At the time, the Johnsons did not have strong convictions about education and never intended to see that family again. But, a seed was planted, and, seven years later, the Johnsons and that family founded Agape Christi, a classical Christian school in Eden Prairie. The school is in its fifth year.



Announcements and News

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

On **Thursday, March 22nd**, we will have Parent Teacher Conferences for Term 2. Attached to this newsletter is the form to sign up for Parent Teacher Conferences. Please fill it out and return it by **Monday, March 19th**. Report cards for Term 2 will be send home with the next newsletter.

NATIONAL LATIN EXAM

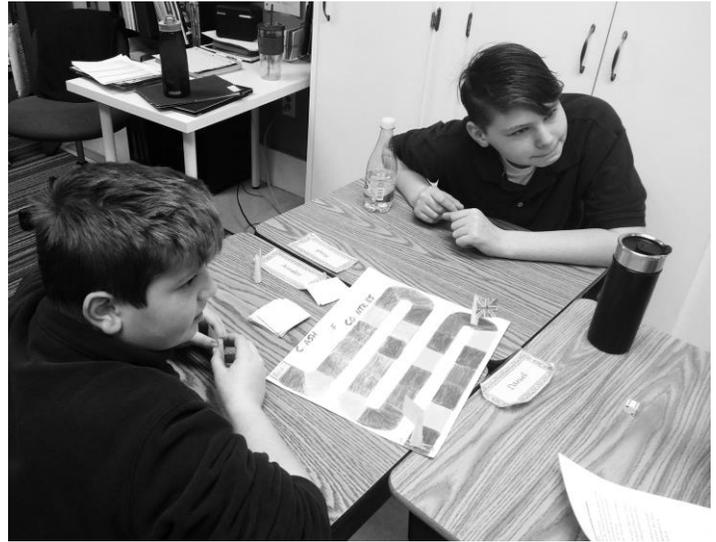
Please pray for our **6th** and **8th grade** students as they prepare to take the Introduction to Latin and Latin I exams on Wednesday, March 14th. Mrs. Murdy has been working hard to prepare them, and we are rooting for them all to do a wonderful job!

SPRING MUSICALS

We are eagerly anticipating the 3rd -5th grade students' performance of "Roald Dahl's Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf: a Howlingly Hilarious Musical" on **April 27th** and the 6th-8th grade students' performance of "A Pirate's Life for Me" on **May 17th and 18th**. But the students need costumes and props! Please contact Mrs. Rivers if you have any of the items below.

Props

- Red hooded cape
- Military officer's hat
- Large fake potted trees or plants
- Clip on hoop earrings
- Life preserver or anchor
- Empty bottles with or without corks (3 or 4)
- Coconut mug with paper umbrellas (for drinks)



GOLF TOURNAMENT

Do you have friends who like to golf? Do you know a business that would be willing to donate raffle items or be a sponsor? Please tell them about our annual golf tournament coming up in June 2018! Let Mrs. Rivers know if you would like more flyers or sponsor letters to hand out. This event is so key to the financial health of our school.

EARLY REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2018-19 school year is now open! Please visit our website and click on the "Registration Form" tab under "Admissions." Any registrations received after **April 1st** will be charged a \$50 fee.

FINANCIAL AID

If you wish to apply for financial aid for the 2018-19 school year, the application is now available on the website under the "Admissions" tab. This application must be submitted by **May 1st**.

ENROLLING A SIBLING

If you plan to enroll new siblings at SFS, fill out the Registration form and call Alia to schedule STS or ISEE testing for entrance evaluation.