

Nazareth School News

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WEEK AT A GLANCE – May 8-15

SAT	10:15am, JV Girls vs St. Charles @ Mater Dei HS	
SUN	5 th Sunday of Easter Happy Mother's Day!	
MON	5th grade field trip to Air and Space Museum 10:30am, Grades 2, 3 & 6 visit Nazareth House 2:45-3:45pm, Handbell Choir Practice 2:50pm, Instrumental Music Classes	
TUES	7:30am, Staff Prayer 2:55-3:55pm, Excelsior Chess 3:00-5:00pm, Drama, Final Run Through 3:15-4:00pm, Faculty Meeting	
WED	MCA Fundraiser at Morning Recess – Kindergarten 10:30am, Preschool visits Nazareth House 6:30pm, Drama Performance "Alice in Wonderland"	
THU	8:05am, Morning Assembly 3-3:30pm, Detention 6:30pm, Drama Performance "Alice in Wonderland"	
FRI	8:15am, Mass – Armed Forces Day Mass 6:30pm, Drama Performance "Alice in Wonderland"	

DRAMA DEPT. PRODUCTION – "Alice in Wonderland"

The Nazareth School Drama Dept. will present "Alice in Wonderland" on Wednesday, May 13, Thursday, May 14 and Friday, May 15 at 6:30pm. All seating is reserved. Limited ticket sales at the door before the performances.



NAZARETH SCHOOL SAYS "THANK YOU"

- ♥ Thank you to the Nazareth School PTG for the breakfast treats and lunches for Teacher Appreciation Week. It was amazing!
- ♥ Thank you to the Sisters of Nazareth, Barbara Anne, and Ms. Burgos for the Gift Cards, sweet treats and for all of your love and support for Nazareth School!
- ♥ Thank you to our Parents and Students for the cards, flowers, treats and gifts – we appreciate and love all of you, too!



GOLF BALL DROP

Thank you: Mr. Kirk, and the Golf Committee for the successful 2026 Golf Ball Drop! Atlas Crane Service for donating their time to provide us with the crane to drop the balls. Our wonderful parent volunteers who donated gift cards for prizes. And a special thank you to Dave and Busters of Mission Valley for providing prizes to each of the students! Congratulations to the Verdon Family who had the closest golf ball to the pin for \$500 off school tuition.



FAMILY ENVELOPES

We had 100% return of the family envelopes this week from grade 5. We were missing 18 envelopes. Congratulations to Grade 5 who had 100% return 4 weeks in a row! The class will receive treats from the office.

CATCH OF THE WEEK



Congratulations to: Andrew Laughter (Kg), Benicio Soares (1st), Alexander Halim (2nd), Ethan Haddad (3rd), Thomas Rezcallah (4th), Olivia Venne (5th), Aiden Koppi (6th), Owen Knipe (7th) & Eleanor Hall (8th) who were caught doing a good deed this week.

STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Student Council campaigning and elections schedule:

- Monday, May 19 Campaigning begins
Wednesday, May 21 Student Council candidates' speeches at Morning Assembly with voting to follow
Friday, May 23 2025-26 Student Council officers announced at the end of the day

PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMP

Nazareth Preschool Summer Camp enrollment is now open for children ages three through incoming Kindergarten. There will be 6 weeks of Summer Camp beginning June 15 and you can sign up for any or all of the camp weeks online on the Nazareth School website. Preschool Summer Camp hours are from 8am to 3:30pm. Space is limited, so register online today!

GOLF SCRAMBLE

Thank you: Mr. Colihan, Golf Scramble chairperson, for a very successful Golf Tournament - 120 participants! Thank you to the Golf Committee members, Vince Voss, Ponce Meza (leading the Loma Club Day), Kristen Grubba, Tom Wyckoff, Jesse Hall, Chris Polson. Thank you to the parent volunteers, Branda Cook, Anney Hall, Darcie Colihan, Danielle Halim, Patti Ryan, Jessica Rentto, Brandon Dinh, Kevin Spenla, office staff and Mrs. Martinez for marketing the tournament! Great job!

MAY – MONTH OF MARY, QUEEN OF HEAVEN

May is the month of Mary, Queen of Heaven. At morning assembly during the month of May, the school will pray a decade of the Rosary. Parents are welcome to join us.



8th GRADE EVENTS

- May 26 Disneyland Trip
May 27 Retreat – USD
May 28 Ribbon Ceremony after Mass
8th Grade Family Dinner, Awards, Video,
May 29 Graduation 2pm – St. Francis Chapel



SPORTS NEWS

Our Spring Sports season is coming to a close and we would like to thank our coaches for all of their time and effort,



JV Girls Basketball: Mr. Perkins & Mr. Hoang

SERVICE HOUR PROGRAM

Service Hour Program notices for unfulfilled 2025-26 Service Hours are being sent home in today's family envelope. Year End Billing will be sent out next week.

ENGLISH HANDBELL CHOIR PERFORMANCE

The Nazareth School English Handbell Choir will hold their performance for the school on **Wednesday, May 20** at Morning Assembly. All are welcome to attend.

ARMED FORCES DAY MASS

Nazareth School would like to invite all Military Family members, active or retired, to join us for a special Armed Forces Mass on Friday, May 15 at 8:15am in St. Francis Chapel. If possible, please wear your branch uniform, so we can recognize and thank you for your service.



IMPORTANT NOTICE – STUDENT PICK-UP

If a student is going home with someone other than a parent or guardian, please call or email the office to let us know. Each day we compile a list to make pick up run more smoothly.

REMINDER: Please call the school office to let us know if your child is absent.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/10 Happy Mother's Day
 - 5/11 5th grade Field Trip to Air & Space Museum
- Alice in Wonderland Drama Performances:**
- Wednesday, 5/13 6:30pm.
 - Thursday, 5/14 6:30pm.
 - Friday, 5/15 6:30pm.
- 5/15 8:15am, Armed Forces Day Mass
 - 5/16 9:00am, First Holy Communion – St. Francis Chapel. Reception to follow in California Room
 - 5/18 2026-27 Student Council Campaigning Begins
3:10pm, Instrumental Music Recital
 - 5/20 8:05am, Morning Assembly
English Handbell Choir Performance
Student Council speeches and voting
12:30-2:30pm, 7th & 8th Grade Dance
 - 5/21 7th Grade Field Trip – Floating Marine Lab
 - 5/22 2026-27 Student Council officers announced at the end of the day
 - 5/25 Memorial Day Holiday – No School

GOOD NEWS FROM SCIENCE FAIR PARTICIPANTS

The good news keeps coming from our Nazareth School 7th grade Science Fair Participants! Congratulations to:



Luke Huppert – Traveled to Thousand Oaks to participate in the California State Science and Engineering Fair and entered the Junior Applied Mechanics Division with his project of "How Much Drag a Fish Knot Can Carry? 900 middle and high school students throughout the state were selected to participate in the event.

James Lowry – received Outstanding Achievement at the San Diego Science and Engineering Fair from the US Air Force. His project, "What Amount of Propeller Blades on an Airplane Produces the Most Thrust?" was recognized by the professional community for its excellence in STEM. James also received a backpack with swag items from the Air Force.

Lucas Cutri – Lucas not only received a 1st place award from the GSDSEF but earned the Junior Division 1st place General Atomics Award on April 11th. He will also be receiving an additional award for 1st place from the American Society of Civil Engineers. His project involved testing the effectiveness of Wi-Fi download speed through different building materials.

A special Thank you to Mrs. Reed for her hard work and dedication!

RAISE RIGHT SCRIP

Shop for Mother's Day, Father's Day, Graduations and Wedding and earn for Nazareth School. Limited time \$5 & \$10 cards available now.



*Holy Family of Nazareth,
watch over us and protect us.*



Core Values for May
Compassion & Patience

Happy Mother's Day

We would like to wish a Happy Mother's Day to all of our "Moms". Many Blessings to you!



YOU ARE INVITED TO

Retirement
CELEBRATION

HONORING

★ *Mrs. Horning* ★

**PLEASE JOIN US AS WE WISH
MRS. HORNING, BLESSINGS IN HER
JOURNEY AHEAD!**

WHEN: TUESDAY, MAY 19TH

TIME: 2:45-4 PM

WHERE: COURTYARD / AUDITORIUM

WHO: STUDENTS, FACULTY, PARENTS,

GRANDPARENTS, AND ALL

OTHER LOVED ONES WISHING HER WELL.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS SERVED