



# ST. ROSE NEWS

## St. Rose of Lima Catholic Academy

**A Catholic Expeditionary Learning School**

*Forming Excellent Catholic Scholars and Faithful Disciples of Jesus*

**Denver, CO**

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### Key Dates and Announcements:

**April 26<sup>th</sup>**

St. Rose Celebration of Learning Night @ 6pm

**April 27<sup>th</sup>**

No School – Professional Development

**Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**

Fund raiser @ Next Door from 5 – 9pm

**Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 1<sup>st</sup> Friday Mass followed by Cinco-de--Mayo celebration with a 12:30 dismissal

**Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>**

8<sup>th</sup> grade Donor Breakfast 9:30-11am in the Gym

**Friday, May 11<sup>th</sup>**

No School – Professional Development Day

**Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup>**

Field Day followed by a 12:30 dismissal

**Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup>**

No School – Memorial Day

**Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup>**

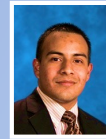
6pm – 8<sup>th</sup> grade Continuation Mass

**Thursday, June 7<sup>th</sup>**

Last Day of school Awards/Ceremonies followed by 12:00 dismissal

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*Our Goals:  
College and more importantly:  
Heaven*



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## A Message From: Proud Principal Mr. Moo

Dear St. Rose of Lima Families,

God continues to bless us in many ways. I'm very excited to share with you, that one of the great ways God has show his goodness to us recently was in receiving the news that St. Rose of Lima has been selected to receive a \$200,000 grant from the Shea Homes Foundation for needed improvements at St. Rose of Lima! We're so grateful to Shea Homes for their generous gift and the beginning of this partnership with them! This grant is going to bring a face-lift to our school building so that our campus continues to be a place that stands as a model of excellence for the community!

To take full advantage of this grant, St. Rose needs to be able to cover only 10% of the grant amount. Thus, St. Rose of Lima must be able to provide \$20,000 in order for us to receive the grant- a tremendous value! To kick start us, our amazing Development Board has already committed to match \$10,000 of the amount needed. At this point, we need to raise \$10,000 to meet our goal and receive the grant! Thanks to the Development Board, every \$1 we receive will be multiplied by 2, and will have double the impact!

**You can help spread the word and invite friends or family to make donations and let them know that every \$1 will be worth \$2.** We truly appreciate all the support you can give us, as this project cannot happen without the generous contributions of every member of our community!

We are also very excited for our **Next Door Restaurant Fundraiser on Monday, April 30, 2018** from 5-9pm at the Next Door Restaurant located at the corner of Cherry Creek Dr. and Colorado Blvd. Come and join us for some delicious food and community time. The event is sponsored by our St. Rose of Lima Development Board. 50% of all food sales during the night will go to St. Rose. Just come in and say you're with St. Rose of Lima. **All proceeds from the evening will go towards the St. Rose Shea Homes Project.**

**Also, all students that come that night can find me and receive an out of uniform pass!**

At St Rose of Lima, **when our entire community comes together united in one mission and for one cause, there is nothing we cannot accomplish.** We are an Easter people, a people of the Resurrection, and we are called to work together as faithful followers of Christ to transform the St. Rose of Lima community, that we might truly stand out as a beacon of Christ's light for the world.

May the peace of Christ be with you and yours now and always.

Elias Josue Moo  
Proud Principal

## Important Dates and Details!

### 2018-2019 School Registration

We are completing the Registration for next year for grades Kindergarten to 8<sup>th</sup> grades. In the next 2 weeks we will begin the process for PK so families can apply for 4 year old DPP if they live in Denver and registration for the spots already claimed by families who have 3 year olds.

If you do not already have an appointment with Mr. Moo, now is the time to call the office to schedule your appointment. We have several families on the wait list.

## Important Dates and Details!

### Thank you

Thank you to all of our GREAT families who went on line and took the time to fill out the paper Seeds of Hope Variable Tuition in March and April. You have been a GREAT help to see how the program works. This year St. Rose is included as one of the pilot schools. You have helped us and Seeds of Hope work on glitches in the system. All families within the Archdiocese of Denver will have to use this system next year and you have helped us to see that the system is working and correct on almost all levels.



### Field Day

Mr. Martinez will need parent volunteers to run Field Day Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup>. He will need help from approximately 8:00 to 12:00 at the PAL fields 3 blocks North of Alameda @ Navajo Street. Volunteers will help all of the students cross Alameda @ Pecos and then be stationed at each event to help run stations that Crew Families will be participating in. Your children will be able to be out of uniform jeans or sweats.

Each family will have their color shirt to wear and we will send home a note to inform you of the color to wear for the little ones in PK to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.



### TOO SOON

It is too soon to get all of the information for the end of the year events.

We will send you more information the 29<sup>th</sup> of May in a final News Letter.

### Cinco-de-Mayo

We are still in need of donations of piñatas for Kinder, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> grades as candy (no GUM) for the piñatas, 6 dozen cupcakes and ADULT Volunteers from 8:30 to 12:30 to make the celebration pleasant and coverage for the children. PLEASE Call Esther to volunteer or donate the items needed. Thank all of you for your commitment to the school.

**Congratulations** to all of these children from the school who made their Sacraments of 1<sup>st</sup> Communion and/or Confirmation last Saturday:

Avelar-Viezca, Alonzo  
Bailón, Abraham  
Casas-Mata, Derick  
Cuevas-De león, Javier  
Flores, Aaden  
Henderson, Mariah  
Miranda-Morris, Martin  
Omedas, Brianna  
Ramírez, Joselyn  
Sánchez, Jared

Avitia, Abelardo  
Casas-García, Alonso  
Corona-Ramírez, Saury  
Dietz, Keaira  
García, Johan  
Herrera, Matthew  
Miramontes, Yeshaya  
Perales-Rodríguez, Lucia  
Rodríguez, Alek  
Valdés, Yamilet

Avitia, Ayelen  
Castillo, Jimena  
Del Real, Kenneth  
Duran, Tomas  
Fuentes, Aidan  
Guyton, Jayce  
Jaquez, Andrick  
Navarrete Ángel  
Romero, Tiara  
Roybal, NeVeah  
Iraci Felipe, Sotelo  
Torres, Lillianna  
Valdez, Nol

Castillo, Camila  
Duque, Valerie  
Esparza-Loya, Ariana  
García, Britney  
Hernández, Anahí  
Martínez, Daniel  
Pena, Josán  
Rosales, Ashley  
Santana, Brayán  
Tamayo, Camila  
Valdez, Dohnovan  
Vigil, Audrina

**Congratulations** to the 5<sup>th</sup> graders and their siblings who will make their Sacraments of 1<sup>st</sup> Communion/Confirmation this coming Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> @ 10am:

Contreras, Mariana  
Diaz, Isabel  
Hensley, Claudia  
Madrid, Aaron  
Merlos, Jannel  
Najera-Alvidrez, Jose  
Rios, Carolina  
Rodriguez, Emmy  
Ruvalcaba, Jenny  
Miranda, Valeria  
Núñez, Génesis  
Lagarda-Rodriguez, Lakshmi  
Torres-Girard, Angely

Cruz-Lopez, Emmanuel  
Gutierrez-Munoz, Keven  
Lagarda-Rodriguez, Jaziel  
Martinez, Amber  
Morales, Austin  
Reyes, Jennifer  
Rodarte, Emilio  
Rodriguez, Jazlin  
Stansel, Asher  
Saenz, Avniel  
Madrid, Grisela  
Ramírez, Adrián

**Student of the Month for March**

**Koalas – Abigail Conchas-Stansel** is persevering to recognize letters and numbers. At times it may be difficult but Abigail never gives up. She always has a smile on her face and continues to try and try again. Abigail is also a kind friend. She enjoys helping others and her teacher. Thank you Abi for bringing your kind heart and actions to our crew way to go Abi you are one cool Koala!

**Pandas – Ruben Esparza-Loya** is full of Sunshine when he arrives to school and is the first to offer help to others with a kind heart. Ruben's performance has been amazing! He is a first example of a hard worker. He embraces challenges and strives for goodness. Thank you for your beautiful solidarity to God with perseverance and collaborating with your Panda friends. We are proud of you, Ryben. Way to go!

**Kindergarten – Betzabe Avitia** is an excellent collaborator in the Kinder crew. She is very helpful and a wonderful listener. Betzabe shows perseverance in all she does. She is amazing at tapping out words. Betzabe is a great friend to all, especially Jesus. Shout out to Betzabe!

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Susana Velez** is a hardworking scholar and disciple in first grade. She is always working to be kind and helpful. Susy is always looking to use strategies and work towards her goals. She is a model of perseverance and craftsmanship. Keep up the outstanding work, Susy!

**2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Ivana Jaquez** is such a great example of a scholar and disciple in our second grade classroom. She is always on task while doing her work and when she is finished she is willing to help anyone in need. She makes sure that everyone is included in activities outside and inside the classroom. Ivana shows accountability with her school work and homework and is always evaluating her goals to see how to be able to improve and achieve them. Keep up the great work.

**3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Joselyn Ramirez** is a model of solidarity and kindness towards others, staying away from gossip and aggression and working to include others. She consistently shows great perseverance and a positive attitude through challenging work, and often gives an encouraging word to others who are struggling. Keep up the hard work, Joselyn!

**4<sup>th</sup> grade – Brayan Santana** is a joy to have in our crew and is a brilliant example of someone who is always proud to be himself. He is kind to all and shows solidarity by helping others without being asked. He is accountable and perseveres to meet his goals, especially with reading. St. Rose is so lucky that Brayan is a part of the crew and family. Keep working hard Brayan!

**5<sup>th</sup> grade – Jazlin Rodriguez** is an exceptional example of being a great scholar and disciple. She is always willing to help all members of our crew, whether it be academically or in pushing them to improve the character they demonstrate. She uses all her habits each day, especially solidarity through her charitable actions and words. She can always be counted on to do the right thing and help those around her do the same. Though she still has room to grow, she continues to set goals to be a risk taker in class and strives to be the best person she can be. Keep up the great work, Jazlin!

**6<sup>th</sup> grade – Gracie Madrid** has been a consistent example of the habits of a Catholic Scholar and Disciple. She has produced high quality work throughout the year, she has taken on extra class room tasks on her own initiative, and she takes ownership of her mistakes with a positive attitude. Gracie shows maturity in how she approaches challenges. Way to be an example and keep up the good work, Gracie!

**7<sup>th</sup> grade – Tiana Fuentes** has been accountable for her work and homework the last month. She uses craftsmanship in her assignments and can be called upon to be a shining star of solidarity. Keep it up Tiana!

**8<sup>th</sup> grade – Roselyn Rubio** has done an outstanding job preparing for the Passion Play. Roselyn exceeds expectations in accountability and craftsmanship. Her work ethics is solid and her classmates consider a reliable team mate. Way to go Roselyn!

**Congratulations to all of you!**

**Our Mission:**

Responding to Christ's call to go and make disciples of all nations (Mt. 28,18), our mission is to educate and inspire young men and women to love God, seek Truth, pursue excellence, and give witness to the world as excellent Catholic scholars and faithful disciples of Jesus.

**Non-discrimination Statement**

*St. Rose of Lima Catholic Academy admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. We admit handicapped students unless the school cannot provide sufficient care, or make reasonable accommodations of the handicapped child in accord with Archdiocesan policy #2000 concerning student admission. We do not discriminate based on race, age, handicap, color, national or ethnic origin in the administration of policies, admissions practices, scholarship and loan programs or athletic or other school administered programs.*

