



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:

December 19th
6:00pm - Posada

December 23rd to 31st
Christmas Break – No School

January 1st – 3rd
Christmas Break – No School

Monday, January 6th
No School – PD Day

Tuesday, January 7th
School Resumes

Tuesday, January 14th
Midterms go home to parents
McDonald's Fundraiser

Wednesday, January 15th
Midterm envelopes signed by
parents and returned to teachers
6pm HASA meeting

Monday, January 20th
No School – MLK Holiday

Saturday, January 25th
Family Bowling day @ Crown
Lanes - 2-4pm

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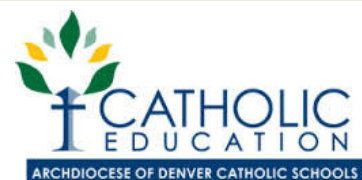
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Our Goals:
College and more importantly:
Heaven



Principally Speaking: A Message from Mr. Gallegos

Dear St. Rose of Lima Families,

As we near the arrival of Christmas, we are actively preparing our minds and hearts to be with Christ. It is a time of penance and prayer, but also a time to recognize our many blessings. At St. Rose of Lima we have unpacked the Gospel message with Fr. Nick, and have been eagerly preparing with our crew families. This morning we gathered to light the rose-colored "Guadete" candle, representing the time to rejoice. Between celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, to Las Posadas, to the coming of our Messiah, there is truly much to be grateful for.

In that spirit of gratitude, I wanted to personally thank you for your partnership this school year. We are blessed to have you as part of our school community and consider ourselves extremely fortunate to have the opportunity to educate your sons and daughters. I would be remiss to not to thank our exceptional staff for the many ways that they bring the Gospel to life at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Academy.

We wish you a very Merry Christmas, and hope the gift of Christ's arrival will be a reminder to us of God's limitless love. We hope that a manifestation of that love is present within your families, and wish you safe travels. We look forward to seeing you on January 7th.

Humbly in Christ,
Tomas Gallegos
Principal

Honor Roll

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Gold Honor Roll (4.0 – ALL A's)

8th grade:

Andrea Hernández	Rubí Sierra
Isabella Trujillo	Diana Vélez

7th grade:

Diego Casas-García	Yaneria Rodríguez
Yaharia Rodríguez	Jenny Ruvalcaba

6th grade:

Brayan Santana

5th grade:

Alonso Casas-García	Lucia Perales
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Silver Honor Roll (A's & B's)

8th grade:

3.9 – Rocco González	3.8 – Karyme Avitia
3.8 – Ximena Molina D.	3.7 – Jovann García
3.7 – Grisela Madrid	3.7 – Valeria Naranjo-D.
3.5 – Yael Ochoa	

7th grade:

3.7 – Jazlin Rodríguez	3.6 – Camila Castillo
3.7 – Carolina Rios	3.6 – Claudia Hensley
3.4 – Atany Peter	

6th grade:

3.8 – Ayelen Avitia	3.5 – Tomas Duran
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3.9 – Abelardo Avitia	3.9 – Joselyn Ramirez
3.85 – Johan García	3.85 – Liliana Hernández
3.7 – Yamilet Valdes	3.6 – Martin Miranda M
3.5 – Yeshaya Miramontes	

Important Dates and Details!

Posada

Our wonderful Romo, Rascon, Aguilar, Hernandez, Ramirez, families are going to provide the food for Posada again this school year. How can you help? We can use plates, drinks, napkins, and utensils, and especially cleanup at the end of Posada. Your presence is the most important part that you can contribute. The children and teachers have been working hard to prepare to perform for all of you.

Student of the Month for November

Koalas – Matias Saenz is a super kind Koala. He is always eager to help a friend and gives great hugs. Matias has shown amazing perseverance in Math. He has met four goals and is now making his own number combinations! Matias is an outstanding collaborator. He always lends a helping hand with a smile on his face. Matias, thank you for spreading kindness you are one Kool Koala!

Pandas – Aryan Carrera comes to school every day with a smile on his face and a desire to learn. He puts a great amount of effort into everything he does. Aryan's classwork is always of the highest quality and he is collaborative with his peers, which makes him a great role model in our class. Aryan is a positive influence on others and is always willing to lend a helping hand to a classmate. Aryan, you are a wonderful student and we love you so much!

Kindergarten –Lailani Lopez has been working really hard to reach her goals. She shows up every day with a smile and a positive attitude. Her kindness is infectious and brings joy to our crew. She says "hi" to every adult in the building, even if she doesn't know them and gives the best hugs. Thanks for shining your light, Lailani!

1st grade – Kimberly DeLuna is a wonderful addition to our crew this year. She comes to school each day eager to learn and show classroom norms. Kimberly is always persevering and trying her best throughout the day! Thank you for being kind, helpful, and sweet! Keep up the great work, Kimberly!

2nd grade – Betzabe Avitia does an excellent job of showing all her values, especially collaboration and craftsmanship. Betzabe works well with everyone in our class and does a great job of helping out. If anyone ever needs help, Betzabe is the always the first one to volunteer. Betzabe also always puts 100% into the task that she is working on. Keep up the great work Betzabe and keep being a leader in second grade.

3rd grade – Alejandra Ontiveros is an example of how a third grade scholar and disciple should act. She is kind and considerate toward others, is accountable for following norms and completing her work, perseveres by revising her work until it is her best, and holds others accountable to doing the same. Her work is a beautiful model of

craftsmanship, and she has shown that she has mastered print handwriting and is ready for cursive. Keep up the great work, Alejandra!

4th grade – Ulises Hernandez works very hard on using all 5 habits. He always shows solidarity through his words and actions. Ulises is always kind to others. He goes out of his way to help others and makes them feel valued and appreciated. He celebrates others and truly is a role model for acting respectfully towards ALL members of our community. Keep up the great work, Ulises!

5th grade – Johan Garcia has been showing all his St. Rose habits. Johan especially shows the habit of perseverance. He always has a positive attitude and always wants to challenge himself to not only be a better student but to have a great relationship with God. Johan you are great to have in class. Keep up the great work!

6th grade – Brayan Santana has been a complete joy to have in class. His willingness to help out others, carry items between classrooms, share out answers show how strong Brayan is in his collaboration and solidarity. Keep up the awesome work, Brayan!

7th grade – Jazlin Rodriguez has been showing improvement in challenging herself in collaboration, going out of her way to be helpful, and turning in high quality work. She has been consistent in her behavior and academics. Keep up the great work, Jazlin!

8th grade – Karyme Avitia is simply an amazing student. She can work well with anyone in class, respects everyone, communicates with teachers, and always does well on homework, tests, and projects. Karyme is a role model and great example for everyone of how to live as a scholar and disciple.

Congratulations to all of you!

Lap-A-Thon

Lap-A-Thon \$100 fee has been entered into FACTS account for the families who did not pay this fee in October or November. These families will see an increase in their monthly payments to reflect the \$100 fee.

1st Trimester Awards



Math

(Demonstrates significant command of concepts)

Koalas - Matías Sáenz
Pandas - Brian Martínez
Kindergarten - Sebastián Avitia
1st grade - Juan Pablo Moo
2nd grade - Louis López-Ruiz
3rd grade - Azael Rosales
4th grade - Alejandra Hernández
5th grade - Alonso Casas-García
Middle School
Math Level 1 - Lillianna Torres
Math Level 2 - Dohnovan Valdez
Math Level 3 - Yaneria Rodríguez
Math Level 4 - Rocco González

Literacy

(Great work in reading writing, grammar, vocabulary)

Hannah Joseph
Aryan Carrera
Alizee Duque
Paulina Miranda
Víctor Madrea
Mia Hernández
Ivana Jaquez
Lucia Perales-R
6th grade - Brayan Santana
7th grade - Yaharia Rodríguez
8th grade - Isabella Trujillo

Discipleship

(Is an example of solidarity by their acts)

Koalas - Alice Dennis
Pandas - April Correa-Aguilar
Kindergarten - Yuridia Castro
1st grade - Emelyn Kelly
2nd grade - Betzabe Avitia
3rd grade - Susana Vélez
4th grade - Naraly Santos-T
5th grade - Joselyn Ramírez
6th grade - Mario Álvarez
7th grade - Atany Peter
8th grade - Karyme Avitia

Diamond

(Most Improved)

Oscar Ontiveros
Mateo Romo-Rascón
Yeshua Valdés
Kimberly De Luna
Alondra González
Kimberly Sánchez-R
Jaylen Mariscal
Anielle Jones
Jimena Castillo
Asher Stansel
Ximena Molina-Dela Rosa

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU!