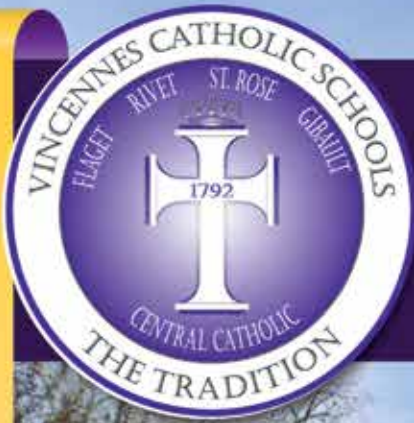


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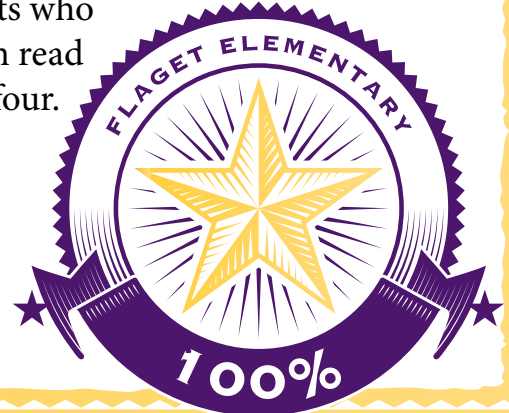


Rivet High School 2017 Graduating Class

## FLAGET ELEMENTARY STUDENTS SCORE 100% ON THE IREAD-3 ASSESSMENT.

The IREAD-3 [Indiana Reading Evaluation And Determination (IREAD-3)] is an assessment that measures foundational reading skills that students have acquired through grade three. Indiana requires the evaluation of reading skills for all students who are in grade three to ensure that they can read proficiently before moving on to grade four.

Since the assessment started in the spring of 2012, Flaget Elementary has had 100% passing of all students on this assessment.





## A NOTE FROM THE CEF PRESIDENT



*Welcome to the fall issue of the Legacy!*

I hope our newsletter helps you stay in touch with friends, CEF and our Catholic schools.

I need to share that CEF has found it necessary to change office hours. I apologize, but remember, we are an all-volunteer organization with the exception of one part time employee, so please be patient with us through this change. Effective immediately, the new CEF Office hours are: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday, 9:30a-3:45p; closed for lunch from 11:15a-12:15p. 8:00-9:30am is available by appointment only! We will remain closed on Tuesdays. Also, CEF will continue to follow the Vincennes Catholic Schools weather closings. Call 812-882-5889 if you have questions or need an appointment!

Thank you as always for your support, and let's make it a great school year!!

Julie Marchino  
President  
Christian Educational Foundation



**FAST FACT:** In 1979, the Crochet Club was organized when some girls did their speeches on crocheting. Speech teacher Mrs. Nancy Pointer began showing them different stitches. The club made an afghan and raffled it off. The money was donated to the CEF.



### UPCOMING CEF EVENTS:

- Fall Gathering—September 16, 2017
- Mega Bingo—Sunday, November 5, 2017
- Mega Bingo—Sunday, March 4, 2018
- Golf Scramble—Friday, May 11, 2018
- Rendezvous—Saturday/Sunday, May 26-27, 2018
- Knox County Fair Food Booth—July 2018



Like us on Facebook to keep up to date on our events & so much more!

## Congratulations!

Miss Beverly Adams wins the Vincennes Sun-Commercial 2017 Readers' Choice Award for Best Teacher!



If you would like to receive the Legacy newsletter through email, please contact us at [office@vincennescef.org](mailto:office@vincennescef.org)

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### CEF Meetings:

CEF holds monthly board meetings the first Monday of each month at 7:00pm. **All are welcome to attend.** The office is located inside the "Old Catholic School" across the parking lot from Rivet. Come and join us in our support of our Vincennes Catholic Schools!





# SECTIONAL CHAMPS

By: Coach Aaron Pea

The Rivet Girls tennis team won their first sectional title since 2014 defeating South Knox 3-2, Washington Catholic 5-0, and the Lincoln Alices 3-2. In the regular season Lincoln defeated the Patriots 3-2 but Rivet's 3 singles, Bella Atkinson, flipped the script defeating Anna Purdom (6-4)(6-2) in the Sectional title to claim the victory.

Our team was faced with a myriad of obstacles throughout the season. Many teams look at obstacles, like lack of courts, rain delays, a five and a half hour multi-match marathon and fences collapsing hours before your scheduled match, as hindrances, but this team used them as opportunities. The team saw the

obstacle as the way and it made all of the difference.

Our team consisted of (Seniors) Izzie Finch, Madeline Halter, Anna Donovan, (Juniors) Faith Herman, Lexi Worland, Nicole Sterling, Rachel Black, Gracie Smith, Katie Freeman, Christina Smith, Isabel Miller, (Freshmen) Bella Atkinson, and Macee Hamilton.



What I will remember most about our team is our ability to trust each other. We were a team where you could be yourself and that was more than enough. We knew our goal, we faced the challenges and embraced the process - win or lose.



*My favorite time this season was when we won sectionals because it was the first time I have ever won something this big and it was very exciting*  
-Bella Atkinson



*We played two matches in one day/night. That whole situation was weird. We ended up stopping half way through our match and finished at Lincoln. It was nice to have a big cheerblock then.*  
-Christina Smith



*I liked when we played Bloomfield and they drove up to us putting up a fence and using the leaf blowers to dry off the courts. Any other team would have rescheduled or canceled but we showed the desire to play.*  
-Lexi Worland



## *It's Play Time!*

Flaget PTO raised enough money to purchase new playground equipment for the school. It was installed in April of 2017.



## RIVET HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS

By: Beverly Adams

Rivet High School competed in the TEAMS (Tests of Engineering Aptitude, Mathematics, Science) competition on March 14, 2017 at Rose Hulman Institute of Technology. The competition consisted of 3 components: essay, multiple choice questions, and design and build. The Essay was written and submitted ahead of time. The essay was to identify a source of renewable energy to generate power for Indiana within the next five years, discuss technological issues to improve it, and estimate the cost of implementing. At the competition, students answered 80 multiple choice questions about topics such as Biomimetics, Engineering Closed Ecosystems, Geothermal Heat Pumps, Global Climate Change, Making Homes More Efficient, Modifying Metro, Smart Car Technology, and Water Treatment. The third component was a design and build. The students were given a supply of materials and a task to do.

Rivet's Junior Varsity team finished 1st in the Junior Varsity competition at Rose Hulman. They also finished 1st in the State in division 1. In the Nation in Division 1, they finished 13th out of 53 schools. They missed qualifying for National competition by 2.32 points

Rivet's Varsity A team finished 4th in Division 1 at the Rose Hulman Competition. They also finished 3rd in Division 1 in the State and in Division 1 in the Nation 32nd out of 83

Rivet's Varsity B team finished 3rd in Division 1 at the Rose Hulman Competition. They also finished 4th in Division 1 in the State and in Division 1 in the Nation 75th out of 83.



Varsity Team A: Rachel Black, Carl Turner, Katie Freeman, Meg Herman, Izzie Finch, Isabel Miller, Susan Evans, not pictured Thomas Vieke



Junior Varsity: Aaron Wyatt, Grant Freeman, Cedric Schleiss, Savannah Cook, Grace Waggoner, James Hancock, Rahul Bajaj, Noah Donovan



Varsity Team B: Jackson Smith, Taylor Buck, Faith Herman, Megan Niehaus, Nicole Sterling, Gracie Smith, not pictured Jacob Anderson, Vince Atkinson

## KNOX COUNTY TRIG STAR



Rivet High School Trigonometry students participated in the Trig Star Contest on April 20, 2017. The Trig Star Contest, given by Vincennes University, is an annual high school mathematics competition sponsored by the National Society of Professional Surveyors based on the practical application of Trigonometry. The program recognizes the best students from high schools throughout the nation. Each school that participates has a winner and there are also county, regional, state, and national winners. The one time test score is used to determine winners. Susan Evans, junior at Rivet High School was the school and Knox County Winner. Susan is the daughter of Rob and Kathy Evans.



## Up AND BEYOND

This year the 2017 Mr. Ralph Holscher "Up & Beyond" Freshman Scholarship was awarded to Drake Dunn. The 2017 Mr. Ralph Holscher "Up & Beyond" Teacher Award was presented to Flaget teacher, Mrs. Christy Pea. Both awards were presented by Mike Bahr.



The 2017-2018 Noland & Elizabeth McClure Foundation Scholarship was awarded to the family of Christopher & Christina Creech.



## RIVET ACADEMIC SUPER BOWL COMPETITIONS

By: Beverly Adams

Rivet High School Academic Teams participated in the Academic Super Bowl Blue Chip competition at Northeast Dubois on Thursday, March 9, 2017. The Rivet Fine Arts team finished 2nd and the Rivet Math team tied for 2nd, but due to tie breakers Rivet finished 3rd.

RHS Academic Teams also participated in the Academic Super Bowl State Qualifying competition at North Knox on Tuesday, April 18, 2017. The Rivet Science Team finished in 2nd place and the Rivet Interdisciplinary team finished in 1st place.



Rivet Math team: Coach Beverly Adams, Faith Herman, Izzie Finch, Megan Niehaus, Rahul Bajaj



Rivet Interdisciplinary team members: Savannah Cook, Izzie Finch, Jackson Smith, Taylor Buck, Isabel Miller



Rivet Fine Arts team: Jackson Smith, Hannah Greenwood, Shelby Stocker, Taylor Buck, Izzie Finch, Coach Joe Keller



Rivet Science team members: Savannah Cook, Grant Freenman, Grace Waggoner, Meg Herman, Coach Matt Keller

## SENIORS TAKE FIRST IN STATE STOCK MARKET GAME

Written by Mr. Joe Keller

During the 2016-2017 School Year the Rivet Seniors took part in a yearlong Stock Market Simulation competition. During this competition, a group of seniors (Thomas Vieke, Jacob Anderson, Jackson Smith, and Ben Templin) made a series of wise investments with some guidance from their Economics teacher (Mr. Joe Keller). The group, known as the Wolves of Hart Street, ended up placing first among several hundred other high schools in the competition. They, along with their teacher, were invited to attend an awards ceremony at the Kelley School of Business on Indiana University's campus. There they spoke briefly about their strategy and took a group photo with a team from Holy Rosary, another Evansville Diocese School. The banner from the event is to be hung in the Halls at Rivet Middle High School.



**THE STOCK MARKET GAME™**

**Indiana Stock Market Game 2016 Awards Ceremony**

Indiana University  
KELLEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Wednesday, May 10, 2017  
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

**2016 SIFMA FOUNDATION**

**2016 SCHOOL DIVISION**  
Fall 2016 (10/9-10/19)  
First Place:  
School: Fishers High School, Fishers  
Equity: \$113,912.94  
Advisor: Mr. Adam Nelson

Second Place:  
School: Fishers High School, Fishers  
Equity: \$73,177.34  
Advisor: Mr. Adam Nelson

Spring 2016 (3/16-4/14)  
First Place:  
School: Columbus North High School, Columbus  
Equity: \$105,116.29  
Advisor: Mr. Nathan Perry  
Team Members: "Toby" Gayman

Second Place:  
School: Fishers High School, Fishers  
Equity: \$104,547.74  
Advisor: Mr. David Turner  
Team Members: Arnold Park, Jay Davison, and Gavin Taylor

Year-Long (9/16-4/14)  
First Place:  
School: Rivet Jr. Sr. High School, Vincennes  
Equity: \$123,008.85  
Advisor: Mr. Joseph Keller  
Team Members: Jacob Anderson, Jackson Smith, Thomas Vasek, and Ben Templin

Second Place:  
School: Lapel Sr. High School, Lapel  
Equity: \$117,268.85  
Advisor: Mr. Tim Miller



**FAST FACT:** The 2011 Prom Royalty were King Adam Delisle and Queen Leah Emmons.





## RIVET HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS HIGHLIGHT

### GIRLS SOCCER TEAM MAKES HISTORY IN INAUGURAL SEASON

By: John & Martha Anderson

The Rivet girls' soccer team had a very successful inaugural season finishing with a record of 13 wins 3 losses and 3 draws. The team was comprised of 16 ladies with a competitive attitude and the ability to play as one cohesive unit.

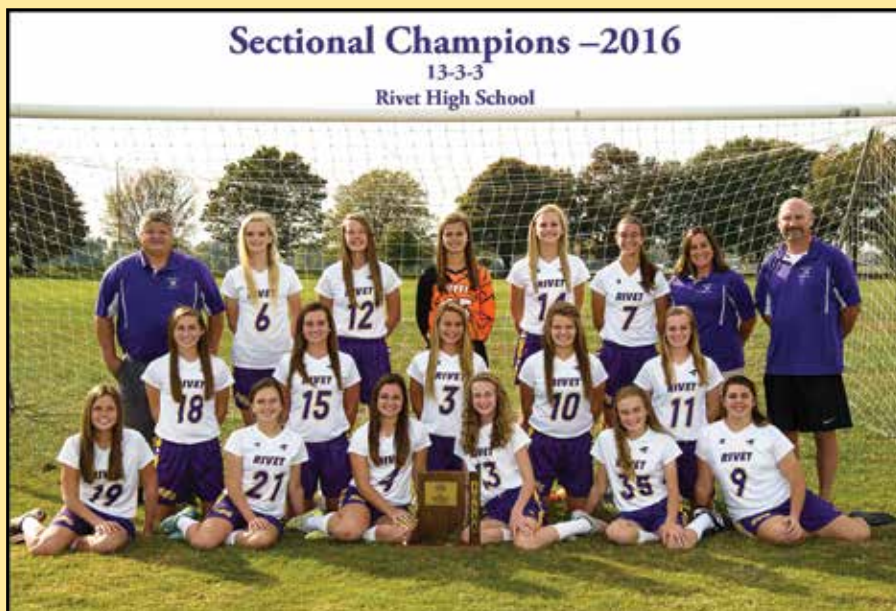
When practice started you could tell that the team was excited about being able to compete as a varsity soccer team. Our senior captains of Madeline Halter and Natalie Niehaus provided the mental toughness and leadership to this first-year team. Many of the juniors and sophomores played on the coed varsity team the previous year and that experience carried over to the Lady Patriots soccer team. The four freshmen provided scoring ability from a successful middle school teams.

The girls started out the season strong, scoring the first goal of their season 35 seconds into the first game and finished that night with 11 goals. Two nights later the team turned in another 10-goal performance starting the season with two wins. The Lady Patriots went 12 consecutive games without a loss and won their division at the Hoosier Cup soccer tournament in Bloomington Indiana, tied for the Blue Chip Conference championship, and defeated the county girls soccer teams.

The Lady Patriots received a tough draw in the Sullivan soccer sectional; the girls started out with a 3-1 win against Washington Catholic and followed with a 3-0 victory over sectional host Sullivan, a team that they had tied two weeks earlier. The sectional championship game brought the Lady Patriots up against 12 time sectional winner Washington High School. The ladies got down 2-0 early in the second half but with approximately 17 minutes left to go in regulation time they would score 2 goals within two minutes and 10 seconds for a 2-2 tie. The score remained the same at the end of regulation and through 2 seven minute overtime periods. The championship would be decided by a penalty kick shootout. Rivet goalkeeper Molly Niehaus made a dramatic stop to a Washington kick and the Lady Patriots claimed the sectional title. The Lady Patriots lost a hard fought regional game to the Mater Dei Wildcats, a two-time state runner-up team.

The Lady Patriots were recognized for an amazing year; four of the players were named to the Indiana Soccer Coaches Association All-Academic team, six players were named to the Blue Chip All Conference team, five players were named to the Sun Commercial All Area team and Katie Niehaus was named the Sun Commercial Girls Player of the Year. Katie was also named Indianapolis Star Athlete of the Week twice and was the Quest Ortho Athlete of the Week.

Coaches John Anderson, David Niehaus and Maggie Niehaus are optimistic for the 2017 season and look forward to taking the program to the next level.



Front: Caroline Herman, Kennedy Johnson, Megan Niehaus, Abby Niehaus, Sydney Smith and Rachel Black  
Middle: Christina Smith, Madeline Halter, Natalie Niehaus, Janine Anderson and Olivia Vantlin  
Back: Coach John Anderson, Lauren Lane, Tia Tolbert, Molly Niehaus, Grace Waggoner, Katie Niehaus, Asst Coaches Maggie and David Niehaus



**FAST FACT:** The *Patriot Press* was first published in the *Vincennes Sun-Commercial* and the *Knox County Daily News* in 1979.

At left, Mark Heinz, Mike Tresslar, Chris Whetstine, and Mike Jerstad make edits.



Senior Captains Natalie Niehaus and Madeline Halter holding Hoosier Cup 1st Place trophy



Katie Niehaus  
Sun-Commercial Player of the Year



# Alumni News

The St. Rose Academy Alumnae Reunion will be held on Saturday, September 30, 2017. The event will be held at the Green Activities Center on the Vincennes University Campus. Doors will open at 10:00 a.m. Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m., followed by a buffet luncheon and short program honoring the anniversary classes. The cost this year will be \$20.00. Unfortunately with the rising costs of postage and processing as well as the increased costs of the buffet, we needed to increase the amount. Letters and registration forms will be mailed out in June. Anyone who graduated or attended St. Rose Academy is welcome to attend.

**The following classes will be celebrating anniversaries this year:**  
**1942 - 75 Yrs (2 living members); 1947 - 70 Yrs; 1952 - 65 Yrs; 1957 - 60 Yrs;**  
**1962 - 55 Yrs; 1967 - 50 Yrs; 1972 (Rivet) - 45 Yrs.**

For classmate addresses, contact Mary Ann Thacker at 812-882-6611 or marypearl66@yahoo.com.

**WELCOME**  
**Joel Sievers**  
 as our Athletic Director,  
 Dean of Students, and  
 Marketing Director.  
 Joel is a 1981 graduate of  
 Rivet High School.

## CLASS NOTES...from the Legacy Spring 2017 issue

**Paula Brokhage Hurtubise**, St. Rose Academy, Class of 1959. After 34 years in Laramie, Wyoming, Bob and I have now been in Longmont, Colorado for 9 years to be closer to our son, Tim and daughter, Suzanne in Denver, as well as our grandkids (Evelyn 9 and Luke 6). Our son David is in Pennsylvania but comes to Colorado every Christmas. I am so grateful for my Catholic education at St. Rose and the College of Mt. St. Joseph in Cincinnati, where I used to be on the RCIA team for 18 years in Laramie. Liturgical music is my joy (guitar) here in Longmont.

*'Class Notes' are from Alumni that would like to share what they have been doing and where they are now. If you would like to share your information, please use the attached envelope in this issue and we will feature it in the next issue that is published.*

## RECENTLY DECEASED ALUMNI

Mary Elizabeth Sparrow Tipton – 1933  
 Georgette Lambiotte Billings – 1937  
 Sister Mary Imelda Coulop SP - 1937  
 Mary Margaret Schmidt Rusch – 1943  
 Connie Davis Gognat - 1944  
 Mary Leona Conn – 1947  
 Gloria Quinett Gulley - 1949  
 John Dailey - 1952  
 Robert B. Doll – 1952  
 Lawrence Kiefer - 1952  
 Debbie O'Connor Sievers – 1953  
 Judy Junod Halter – 1957  
 Jack Acobert - 1961

John E. Morgan – 1962  
 Mary Lou Zeabart Hall - 1964  
 Margaret Rusch Stoelting - 1964  
 Mary Kay Carie Brothers – 1965  
 Paul Eddleman - 1965  
 Steve Kahre – 1966  
 Kathy Joyce Lane - 1966  
 Pamala Carr Smith – 1966  
 Diane Rusch Whitenack - 1967  
 Karen Rubrecht Lippke – 1968  
 C. Ed Curtis - 1969  
 Hailey Reeves - 2008

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
 May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

## Many thanks to the individuals who donated through the Legacy envelope: March 2017 - August 2017

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Robert & Paula Hurtubise	Ricky & Denise Stariwat
James Jackson	

## YOUR HELP IS GREATLY APPRECIATED

The envelope attached in the middle of the booklet is for your use! Please consider donating to the Christian Educational Foundation. We can also accept donations through PayPal on our website, [www.vincennescef.org](http://www.vincennescef.org). Your donations will help us meet our monthly obligations to the Vincennes Catholic Schools. We truly appreciate your support.



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