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2019 End-of-the-Year Board of Trustees Update

During last month’s Commencement Weekend, Saint Mary’s Board of Trustees held its end-of-the-academic-year meeting. The Board (shown above) welcomed three accomplished individuals to the group. The new members include Dr. Karl Beutner ’71, dermatologist and research clinician at Solano Dermatology Associates; Shirley Gee ’80, MBA ’09, founder and managing partner of Angel Plus, LLC; and Song Woo MBA ’05, founder of the Lighthouse Management Group. The Board gathering featured presentations from the College’s leadership, faculty, and students. Additionally, the group ratified new resolutions, including approving the College’s 2019-20 budget. Read more
2019-20 Budget Update from VP of Finance Susan Collins

Saint Mary’s Board of Trustees approved the College’s $135 million operating and $10 million capital budgets for academic year 2019-20 at its meeting on Friday, May 24, 2019. The budgets were developed with input from the College’s Budget Committee, which is comprised of 13 members representing staff, faculty, academic deans, and the President’s Cabinet. Vice President of Finance and Administration Susan Collins provides an update on SMC’s finances. Read more

PRIDE POINT: Attorney Lindsey Rosellini ‘07

In recognition of Pride Month, we celebrate the success of Lindsey Rosellini ‘07, an attorney at Bay Area Legal Aid, 2016 Lavender Grad Speaker, former president of SMC’s Gay-Straight Alliance, and a frequent visitor and guest speaker for programs across campus. A voice for the LGBTQ+ community, and advocate as a professional attorney, Rosellini embraces the Lasallian principles of inclusive community, respect for all persons, concern for the poor, and social justice. “Diversity and inclusion means letting everyone sit at the table and have a voice. You should not have one without the other,” said Rosellini in the Saint Mary’s magazine article “Listening To Students.” Read more

Fall 2019 New Student Orientation Dates

The Wowies are ready. Are you? The Office of New Student and Family Programs asks the SMC community to break out their best Saint Mary’s welcome for incoming first-year students and their families.
who arrive this Thursday, June 20 for the first of this summer’s student orientations. Additional summer dates include Saturday, June 22 (with a Spanish language program for families), Saturday, June 29 and Wednesday, August 28. Read more

Vocal Science Helps Amy Kahn Be Heard

Amy Kahn ’19 (shown in the photo on the right) was one of the more than 600 undergraduates who walked across the stage at Saint Mary’s commencement ceremony in May. For years Kahn had suffered from severe stuttering, and a whisper of a voice as a result of spasmodic dysphonia—a neurological disorder that affects the voice muscles in her larynx. But after enrolling in a new vocal science course at SMC, the results have been dramatic and she now has a clearer sounding voice. Read more

Campus Bulletin Summer Schedule

During July, the Campus Bulletin will have a reduced summer schedule. After a two week hiatus beginning today, the Bulletin publishes every other week. Our summer publication dates include July 8, July 22, and August 5. Regular weekly issues resume on August 19 with updates about the Fall 2019 term and SMC’s annual Weekend of Welcome. Enjoy your summer!

View - Hedgebrook Writing Retreat
Bestselling novelist, poet, and essayist Elizabeth Rosner discusses the craft of writing at Bridging: A One-Day Hedgebrook Writing Retreat for woman-identified, non-binary, and genderqueer writers. Held on Saturday, June 15, the annual event is a creative collaboration between the College’s MFA Creative Writing Program and the prestigious women’s writing organization Hedgebrook.

This Week on Campus

Events

- 06/17 - Graduate Business Information Session
- 06/20 - First Year Fall Orientation
- 06/22 - First Year Fall Orientation
- 06/28 - MA in Leadership Online Information Session
- 06/29 - First Year Fall Orientation
- 07/12 - Alumni Reunion Weekend
- 07/13 - Reunion Weekend Alumni Row

More Events | Student Organizations Activities

Religious Services

- Sunday Mass in the Chapel. View the schedule.

De La Salle Reflection
For the week of June 17.

Go Gaels

Matoso Hires Moore To Lead Baseball Program
Saint Mary's College Director of Athletics Mike Matoso announced today the hiring of Greg Moore as the new head baseball coach of the Gaels. Moore previously served as the head coach for Cal State Northridge over the past six seasons. Read More

MBB | Gael Alumni Set to Return to The Basketball Tournament
Saint Mary's men's basketball alumni will play in The Basketball Tournament (TBT) this summer for a chance at a $2 million prize. Gael Force will be competing in TBT's Memphis Regional at the Elma Roane Fieldhouse from July 19-21. Read More

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