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Brother David Anthony Migliorino, O.S.F. Principal

August 2025

Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome to the 2025-2026 school year! I and the entire Administration, Faculty and Staff are so looking forward to having you back here at school. I have missed you and I really can't wait to have you back here, HOME where each of you belong. The theme for this school year is "ENGAGEMENT."

I do hope that you and your families are well and that you did have some time to rest, relax and refresh yourself. It is my prayer that these past summer months were filled with all good news and that you are ready to make your mark here at school this coming year.

With all of that said, I can tell you that we are ready to Start the New School Year STRONG! WE have prepared and have many great things in store for you. Our Orientation Days are as follows.

SENIORS: September 2: 8:20am-12:30pm JUNIORS: September 3: 8:20am-12:30pm SOPHOMORES: September 4: 8:20am-12:30pm FRESHMEN: September 5: 8:20am-2:30pm

There will be a <u>mandatory Principal's Orientation for the parents of FRESHMEN/TRANSFER STUDENTS on</u>
<u>Tuesday, September 2nd at 7:00PM in the Auditorium.</u> (only 1 parent needs to attend)

On these days, you will receive much information concerning our plans for the upcoming school year. Our school has been built on a great foundation where God is FIRST in all things. This foundation is strong and ready to WELCOME YOU BACK AND READY FOR A NEW YEAR!!!!

When you arrive in September, you should be aware of the new cell phone policy (please see the attached.) It will be strictly enforced for the benefit of all. The year ahead looks to be another Outstanding Time to be a FRIAR!!!

Be certain of a place in my prayers for each of you, if you need anything feel free to contact us here at school. Looking forward to seeing you in just a few weeks, and Remember Brother Loves ya!!!

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In Saint Anthony, Our Patron,

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Principal



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Dear Freshman Parents and Students,

Again, I want to say Welcome to your New Family, The Friar Family. I hope that you have had a chance to watch my special Minute with the Monk just for you Freshmen. I hope that the summer months are enjoyable and that you have some down time to relax, refresh and renew yourself with family and friends. I do hope that you are excited to start school and NOW BECOME A FRIAR FOREVER! The theme for this school year is "ENGAGEMENT."

I am very happy and most excited that you have selected Saint Anthony's High School as you continue your next step on your journey. Here the Friar Family places God FIRST, Faith and Service SECOND, Academics THIRD and all the rest will fall into place. Your New Friar Family has a great tradition of EXCELLENCE. An excellence that always brings about positive results when we all work together for the Common Good. Yes, we have rules and regulations that not only protect the safety and security of every child but also allow all of us to grow in Faith and Knowledge.

A copy of the Saint Anthony's Friar Handbook will be available on your iPad and you will be receiving a bound copy of it on Orientation Day. The Handbook will provide you with everything you need to know to become a Friar.

As you can imagine there is always a great deal of important information that must be given at the beginning of the school year. On the following pages, you will find information that deals with several areas of school life. I ask that you carefully review the school's **new cell phone policy.**

School begins for the Freshmen class on **Friday, September 5th at 8:20 am.** Your bus company has been notified about this first day. The school uniform with the sweater vest (no blazer) must be worn. On that day, the students will be viewing the Day Planner, which includes the **Friar Handbook**; run through a typical class day and purchase books, yearbooks and gym equipment.

There will be a <u>mandatory parent only Freshman/Transfer Student Orientation</u> on September **2nd at 7:00PM** in the Auditorium. (Only one parent needs to attend)

Finally, I remind you of my THREE GOALS for each of you this New School Year:

Goal One: Get Close to God

Goal Two: Get Involved in Your Classes, Clubs and Athletics

Goal Three: Get to Know ME! Greet Me! Visit Me! My office is always Open

for you to visit!

You will be praying in school each day throughout the school year. I leave you with a small part of the School Prayer to Saint Anthony:

"Help us to become more like Saint Anthony by devoting ourselves to our studies and defending the Faith Everywhere we go"

Saint Anthony Our Patron, Pray for us.

Please know that I have been praying for you daily, I ask that if you have a moment say one for me. I am so happy to have you be a part of our Friar Family, Welcome Aboard, Welcome to the Ride of Your Life. And please REMEMBER THAT BROTHER LOVES YA!!!

In Saint Anthony, Our Patron,

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St. Anthony's Implementation of a "Phone-Free" School Day

August 1, 2025

Dear Students and Parents,

I hope you are enjoying a restful summer. As you are aware, the Governor and the NY State Legislature approved legislation effectively prohibiting the use of smartphones and internet-enabled devices in all schools across New York State that will take effect this September.

Although as a private Catholic school, St. Anthony's is not bound to this legislation, we do agree that the pervasive use of smartphones poses both a health hazard and an educational detriment to our students. Therefore, beginning on Monday, September 8, 2025, St. Anthony's will implement a "Phone-Free" school day.

We encourage students and parents to read the details below, so that our expectations are clear.

Policy Overview:

Effective September 2025, students will be required to store their personal mobile devices in their designated lockers no later than 8:20AM (or upon their initial arrival to school), and may retrieve them after the 2:30 PM dismissal bell.

This policy is designed to encourage direct interpersonal engagement, minimize distractions, and promote a more contemplative and compassionate school environment.

Disciplinary Consequences for Cell Phone Use:

Any student found using their cell phone or accessing their locker during instructional hours (8:20 AM – 2:30 PM), unless approved for a late arrival or early dismissal, will face the following disciplinary consequences:

First Infraction

- The phone is confiscated and delivered to Brother David's Office. The **student** can retrieve the phone at the end of the school day.
- After-school detention
- -10 Character Points
- The student's parent will be contacted, and the incident will be recorded in the student's disciplinary file

Second Infraction

- The phone is confiscated and delivered to Brother David's Office. The **student's parent** must come to the school to retrieve the student's phone.
- Double Detention
- -15 Character Points
- Incident recorded in the student's disciplinary file

Third Infraction

- The phone is confiscated and delivered to Brother David's Office. The **student's parent** must come to the school to retrieve the student's phone.
- In-School Suspension
- Behavioral Probation
- -20 Character Points
- Mandatory meeting with the student's Guidance Counselor
 - o During this meeting, the parent/guardian will be contacted.
 - Student and parent must sign an affidavit acknowledging that a fourth infraction will result in a formal meeting with Administration.

Fourth Infraction

• Dismissal from St. Anthony's

Locker use between the times of 8:20 AM and 2:30 PM is strictly prohibited... Students caught using lockers during school hours will receive detention.

Ear buds, Air pods, Smartwatches, and all other wearable and/or personal computing devices are all strictly prohibited from 8:20AM to 2:30PM. Any student who uses these listening devices during the school day will receive detention.

Concluding Statement

At St. Anthony's, our primary mission is to ensure the health and safety of our students while continuing to nurture a Franciscan community rooted in Catholic values. We are committed to fostering an academic environment that balances rigorous expectations with dedicated support; and cultivating a community of meaningful relationships among our administrators, faculty, staff, students, and parents.

We thank every member of the Friar family for your continued trust and cooperation as we work together to support our students in achieving their spiritual, intellectual, and social growth.

God Bless You, Brother David, OSF Principal

UNIFORM CODE 2025-2026

BOYS (9th Grade)

- · Black uniform slacks worn at waist level
- Gray uniform blazer with embroidered school emblem (Oct. 14 May 27)
- Gray sleeveless sweater vest with the embroidered school emblem
- White oxford uniform button-down shirt either long or short sleeve tucked into the slacks completely with shirt cuffs, neck and collar buttoned. Only solid white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt.
- · Uniform black and gold patterned tie
- · Black socks only
- · Uniform Black Leather Belt
- White Cross black uniform shoes only. Shoes are not to be "clogged" (back heel bent down).

The School Sleeveless Sweater Vest must be worn by all Freshmen for the Freshman Orientation Day, September 5, 2025 as well as the following dates:

September 24, 2025 through last day of classes, June 8, 2026.

Grooming Standards

Hair must be neatly groomed, and cut to fall above the ear, eyes and shirt collar. Extreme, trendy or faddish hairstyles, two toned hair color, and unnatural colors, i.e. green, purple, bright red or bleached, etc., are not permitted.

Some examples of unacceptable hairstyles would be partially or completely shaven hair and/or long hair styles, designs, hairstyles involving significant contrast in length.

Boys are to be clean shaven, with no facial hair, no sideburns, earrings, body piercings or tattoos.

GIRLS (9th Grade)

- Black knife pleated uniform skirt (worn to cover the knee)
- Gray uniform blazer with the embroidered school emblem (Oct. 14 May 27)
- Black sleeveless sweater vest with the embroidered school emblem
- The hemmed, three-quarter length sleeved shirt is required. When worn underneath the uniform vest, it must not be visible outside the vest. Only solid white t-shirts may be worn under the uniform shirt.
- Black tights are worn once the school sleveless sweater vests are required (Sept 24). Leggings or footless tights are not permitted as a substitute for tights and skin/ankle must not be visible at any time. Any student who wears ripped stockings or leggings to school in place of tights must purchase a pair of black tights in the General Office. Solid black ankle socks (not visible outside the shoe) only may be worn.
- White Cross black uniform shoes only. The back heel of the shoe may not be bent down or shoes are not to be "clogged" (back heel bent down).

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September 24, 2025 through last day of classes, June 8, 2026

Grooming Standards

Girls hairstyles, make-up and jewelry must be appropriate to the school setting and in keeping with the uniform dress code.

Earrings may be worn only on the earlobes and no other body piercings are permitted. Extreme, trendy or faddish hairstyles, including shaved or buzzed cuts, two toned hair color, and those involving unnatural colors, i.e. purple, green, bright red, or bleached, etc., are not permitted. No tattoos are permitted.

*All Uniform and Grooming regulations are required for the beginning of school, September 2 - 5.

- 1. Uniform blazer must be worn from October 14 through May 27. During this time, the Uniform Blazer must be worn throughout the entire school day.
- 2. Students are to arrive and remain in uniform throughout the entire school day (7:55 A.M. 2:50 P.M.) Students changing into Gym clothing for Physical Education class must do so in the Locker Rooms. They are not to appear in Gym clothes or sneakers at any time other than Physical Education classes.
- 3. Colored or decorative T-shirts or tank tops are not permitted under the Uniform blouse/shirt. No baseball caps, hats, or head coverings may be worn in school throughout the school day.

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Dear Saint Anthony's Families,

We are excited to announce that the Saint Anthony's High School Athletic Department has partnered with FinalForms, an online forms and data management service. FinalForms allows you to complete and sign athletic participation forms for your students.

Starting on Monday, July 14, 2025, we are asking parents or guardians of all students planning to participate in sports during the 2025-2026 School Year to create accounts in FinalForms and register their student(s). Additional information can be found on the Saint Anthony's website.

Clearance for Fall Sports begins Monday, July 14, 2025, and ends on August 6, 2025. Tryout information is posted on the Saint Anthony's website.

IF ALL FORMS ARE NOT COMPLETED BY AUGUST 6TH, YOU MAY NOT BE PERMITTED TO ATTEND TRYOUTS.

Saint Anthony's nurses will begin approving or declining medical documents during the above time frame. Please do not visit the school nurse at Saint Anthony's. The nurse will **only approve physicals uploaded to FinalForms.**

Mr. Joseph Minucci
Director of Athletics
Saint Anthony's High School



ST. ANTHONY'S HIGH SCHOOL MOTHERS' GUILD MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Name		
Telephone		
Address		
City	Zip	
E-mail		
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)		
Grade(s) of your Student (s)		

• Class of 2029 Mothers/New Student Membership Fee: \$100.00 (one-time family membership fee). No renewal fee for existing Mothers' Guild members.

Register for Membership At: https://bit.ly/mgmemberapp

& Checkout our Online Store At: www.SAmothersGuild.com

OR Please make check payable to: St. Anthony's Mothers' Guild & mail your form & check to:

St. Anthony's High School Mothers' Guild 275 Wolf Hill Road Melville, NY 11747

Attention: Membership Chair -Laurie Lohrer

DON'T FORGET TO FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK:

St. Anthony's High School Mothers' Guild: www.facebook.com/stanthonyshsmothersguild ALL UPDATES ON EVENTS WILL BE POSTED HERE!

Questions? Please email us at sahsmothersguild@gmail.com
Please visit our Mothers' Guild webpage on the school's website www.stanthonyshs.org for
more information and updates.



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Saint Anthony's High School Fathers' Guild

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Dear Incoming Families,

Welcome to Saint Anthony's Friar Family! The Fathers' Guild is a volunteer service organization that is dedicated to inspiring and supporting our children. It's a place where we find fraternity in our shared values and common goals.

As a new family, we extend a warm invitation to you to join us at the Father's Guild Incoming Freshman Communion Breakfast at the school on Sunday, September 7th. This is not just an event, but a special opportunity for you to experience the warm welcome of the Guild, share in Mass and a meal, and explore the school as new members of the Friar family!

We need your help to make yours and every child's experience at our school all it can be! Our Friar dads play a crucial role in supporting the school at over 75 events throughout the year. From concerts and football games to musicals, Masses, Grandparent Day, and Graduation, we are there. We hold monthly meetings to discuss guild matters, hear from key stakeholders at the school, and enjoy evenings of brotherhood and friendship. By becoming a member of the Fathers' Guild, you will not only be closer to the school and your children, but also <u>can network with other parents</u>, gain a deeper understanding of the school's operations, and contribute to the <u>school's success</u>.

The application to join the Fathers' Guild is online (follow the QR code below) or at http://friarsfathersguild.com/. We are grateful for your interest and look forward to welcoming you. Your contribution, no matter how big or small, is highly valued and appreciated. Should you have any questions or want more information, please email us at stafathersguild1@gmail.com. Thank you to the many of you who have already joined, and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Welcome once again. We look forward to seeing your family at our Freshmen Communion Mass and Breakfast celebration on Sunday, September 7th. This event is a significant milestone in your child's spiritual journey and a wonderful opportunity to connect with other families in our community.

John Favilla President St. Anthony's High School Fathers' Guild





SAINT ANTHONY'S HIGH SCHOOL FRANCISCAN BROTHERS



S.A.L.T. FRESHMEN ADVENTURELAND TRIP 2025



WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD

RAINDATE: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH

Time: 3:00pm- 6:00pm

Admission: \$55

- Includes: Rides, Food, and Beverage
- No Entrance After 3:30pm
- No Exit Before 5:30pm
- School does <u>NOT</u> provide transportation

Questions? Contact salt.admin@stanthonyshs.org

Payment due by September 1st, 2025

Online Registration: https://www.stanthonyshs.org/adventureland/



Welcome Class of 2029!

SALT is the Saint Anthony's Leadership Team. Our mission is to reach every freshman and instill in them the essence of "What it means to be a Friar." Our members will do this through the core values of honesty, kindness, respect, responsibility, and service. We believe in the Franciscan tradition of "Capturing the Heart and the Mind will Follow," guiding our mission to create a community where every member thrives.

SALT Adventureland drop off and pickup information:

The safety of your children is our utmost priority, and we want to ensure a smooth and secure process for dropping off and picking up your child at the end of the day. Please take a moment to review the following guidelines.

- Drop off is at 3:00pm. No Entrance after 3:30pm
- Students must remain until 6:00 PM. No exit before 5:30 PM.
- You must drop your child off at the rear Main Gate located within the Adventureland Parking Lot. <u>NOT ON ROUTE 110.</u>

Pickup Information:

- Please be on time for the 6:00pm pickup.
- Please stay in touch with your child to let them know you have arrived.
- We have a designated PICK-UP area by the main entrance of Adventureland, where you
 dropped off your child.
- Once you have arrived, you MUST exit your vehicle and will be greeted by your child with a member of our faculty.
- Any and all rideshare options (Uber, Lyft, Taxi, etc.): are strictly prohibited.
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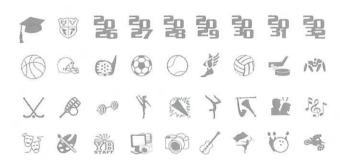
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