December — 2023

The Academy Review



Construction

In November, we hosted a groundbreaking ceremony, cleared the site, and are ready to start the construction of the new building itself. In addition, we are nearing the completion of the new roof of Founder's Hall, with its completion expected during winter break.



Lagrange Parade

Coach Kelley Klinger and our Cheer team built our float this year for the Lagrange City Parade. Their theme was "Lighting Up Minds for a Sweet Future". Our float was decorated to resemble that of Christmas presents under the Christmas tree.

Message from Head of School

Dear LaGrange Academy Family,

I want to express my gratitude to all those who have played a role in bringing LaGrange Academy to this point in our history. With the construction of our new academic building, we enter a new era of excellence at LaGrange Academy. An era where our facilities will now match the quality of education we provide.

Sincerely, John M. Mehaffey, Ph.D.

WHAT'S COMING SOON



Livestream **Our Basketball** Games

Using the NFHS APP. Make sure to favorite LaGrange Academy

Basketball Schedule

Come out to support our Varsity boys and girls and our Middle School boys and girls basketball teams.



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Fri. March 1	Ch

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	LaF. Christian	MSB,VG,VB	5:0
	@ Heritage School	MSG,MSB	4:0
	St. Luke	MSG,MSB	4:0
	@ Fulton Science	VG,VB	5:0
	@ LaF. Christian	MSB,VG,VB	5:0
	@ St. George's	MS,VG, VB	4:0
	Harvester	VG,VB	6:0
	Holy Ground	MSB,VB	5:0
	Westwood	MSG,VB	5:0
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	@ Callaway MS	MSG	4:0
	@ Harris Co.	MSG	10:
	@ Westwood	JVB,VB	2:0
	@ Gardner Newman	MSG	4:3
	@ Mill Springs	VG, VB	5:0
	Heritage School	MSG,MSB	4:0
	@ Flint River	MS,VG,VB	4:0
	@ St. Luke	MSG,MSB	4:0
	St. George	MS,VG,VB	4:0
	@ Oak Mountain	MS,VB	4:0
	Mill Springs*	VG, VB	5:0
	@ Holy Ground	MSB,VB	5:0
	Flint River	VG,VB	6:0
	@ Eastwood	VG, VB	5:3
	Oak Mountain	VB only	6:3
	Round 1 State Tour.	VG, VB	TB
	Round 2 State Tour.	VG, VB	TB
	Final 4	VG, VB	TB
	Championship	VG, VB	TB

12/15 @ 9:00am







CELEBRATING 52 YEARS OF LAGRANGE ACADEMY



LADIES AND GENTS

ON MAY FOURTH, ATTEND THE KENTUCKY DERBY PARTY WEARING YOUR FAVORITE DERBY ATTIRE

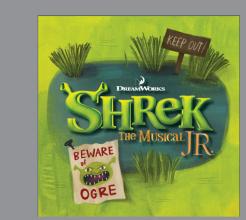
> SATURDAY 4, MAY



@ PINEY WOODS FARM



Shrek the Musical 4/19-4/20



[^]All times listed are Eastern

ALUMNI NEWS

Elizabeth Krizay '13

Elizabeth is the daughter of Teresa Krizay, Upper School English/College Counselor. Upon graduating from LaGrange Academy, Elizabeth attended Wake Forest University (Class of 2017) where she majored in Statistics, culminating in being tied for valedictorian. She graduated in 2019 with a Masters of Science in Statistics from Georgia Institute of Technology again achieving top hon. She joined Expanse, Inc in 2019 in the role of Cyber Risk Analyst. She is currently employed by Palo Alto Networks as a Technical Project Manager for the Attack Surface Analysis Team. She works closely with teams of machine learning engineers and attack surface analysts to ensure the safety of both the private and public sector. She is married to Tyler Cooke and they are the proud parents of three amazing cats - Fred, Teddy, and JoJo.





George Whitfield Moreman '16

George "Whit" Moreman graduated from LaGrange Academy in 2016. While at LaGrange Academy, he was heavily involved with our Men's Basketball program, playing in 2015 and 2016 under current coach Britt Gaylor. Since his graduation, he went on to play for Troy University, scoring in an NCAA Tournament game against Duke University. Whit is in his last year of Law School at the Thomas Goode Jones School of Law in Montgomery Alabama.

Want To Feature In Next Month's Newsletter?

LaGrange Academy wants to celebrate the successes of our Alumni:

- Where are you now?
- Graduation
- Marriage (within 1 year after the event)
- Birth Announcements (within 1 year after the event)

Please include "LaGrange Academy Alumni" in the subject line. Your full name and class year, a photo, and the details of which you would like to celebrate.

Email all submissions to Communication@LaGrangeAcademy.org

THE ACADEMY REVIEW



Alumni Reunion

We are excited to invite all of our alumni back onto our campus for an afternoon of socializing, basketball, and dinner provided by Jamie and Melissa Keating. You are not required to play basketball to attend. The event is entirely free; however, we ask that you RSVP. You can RSVP at http://bit.ly/LAAlumniReunion. The link can also be found on our Facebook and Instagram.

December 16, 2023

In September, LaGrange Academy was named by the AP College Board to the AP School Honor Roll. We have been given the distinguishment of Platnium, their highest honor, in Troup County and the surrounding areas LaGrange Academy serves. LaGrange Academy was the only public or independent school to achieve above a Silver Distinction.





https://bit.ly/LAContribute

2023 AP School Honor Roll Recognition

Ranked in top 3 % of high schools in Georgia according to AP Classoom

6 % of schools nationwide received this distinction.

We are excited to announce that we have completed the bid process and chose Torrance Construction Company as our General Contractor. They have completed over 250 school projects in the Troup County area over the last 40+ years. They quickly began the construction process, removing the Caldwell Harman Administrative House. In addition, as part of a separate initiative, we will soon start the installation of a new roof on Founders Hall. To donate to the capital campaign, follow the QR code above or visit https://bit.ly/LAContribute. You may also visit the same link or QR code to pledge; under the donation schedule, change the selection from one-time to monthly.

The Annual Fund is essential to our school's success as it provides us with the resources we need to maintain our high standards of academic excellence and to offer our students the best possible educational experience. Your donation will help support our academic programs and extracurricular activities such as athletics, arts, and clubs. In addition, we can maintain and update our facilities to ensure students are in an environment that promotes strong academic success. Every gift, no matter how small, makes a difference. Please consider donating to the Annual Fund today.

