

June 24, 2011

LA REINA HIGH SCHOOL E-gram

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Coming Events

June 27 - July 22
Summer Session
NEW THIS YEAR:
 Special program for
 boys and girls entering
 grades 4 through 6
[Click here for details.](#)

Wednesday, June 29
Entrance Placement
Test for applicants
for Grades 7, 8 & 9

Friday, July 8
Used Textbook Sale
 11:00 a.m. until
 1:00 p.m.
[Click here for details.](#)

Friday,
August 26
First Day of Classes
for New Students

Saturday, August 27
Welcome Dinner for
New Students &
Parents
 5:00 until 7:00 p.m.

Class of 2011 Graduates and Class of 2015 Enters High School



Members of the Class of 2011 became Regent alumnae at the commencement exercises on Saturday, June 11. Class co-valedictorians were Jillian DeGennaro and Katherine Wikholm; Elizabeth Epstein was the salutatorian. In the photo above, Alexandra Kiefer, Doriane Wilcox, Megan Gray, Katlyn Fisher and Rashi Jindani prepare for the processional.

The Baccalaureate Mass and Honor Assembly were held on Friday, June 10, at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church with Rev. Jarlath Dolan as celebrant. To the right, Sonia Tagari lights Laurel Rodewald's candle at the conclusion of the ceremony.



These graduates received the traditional La Reina awards:

Alma Mater Award - Katherine Wikholm
Faculty Recognition Award - Jennifer Tolcher
Outstanding Citizenship Award - Thea Percival
Parent Guild Service Award - Christina Zins
Sister Mary Aloysia Service Award - Megan Garcia
Sister Mary Ignatia Service Award - Katherine Trockey
SND Distinguished Graduate Award - Katlyn Fisher
St. Jude Scholarship - Emily Melvin

The current eighth graders, members of the Class of 2015, were promoted into high school on Thursday, June 9. Students earning awards of great distinction included:

Monday, August 29
**First Day of Classes
 for All Students**

Saturday,
 September 11
**Alumnae Reunion
 Picnic**
[Click here for details.](#)

Sunday, October 30
**Open House for
 Prospective Students**

Saturday,
 November 5
**28th Annual Parent
 Guild Auction**
 For information,
 contact [Barbara Lilley](#)
 by email or at 805-917
 -7112.

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Alma Mater Scholarship -

Megan Larratt
 (shown in the photo
 to the right with

Dr. Shannon Gomez, principal)

Faculty Appreciation Award -

Francesca Cerri and Jo Grode

Linda Barkley Math/Science

Merit Scholarship -

Jessica Zlakat

Spirit Award -

Evelina Godecki

Parent Guild Service Award - Marlowe Moser

St. Monica Scholarship - Emma Chisholm



Tip of the Regent Top Hat to...

...members of the Class of 2011, accepted to 132 colleges and universities. [Follow this link for the complete list of college acceptances for the Class of 2011.](#)

...juniors who met requirements to enter the 2012 National Merit Scholarship Program. Each of these students is among the 50,000 highest-scoring participants in the 2010 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

Congratulations to **Rachel Brajkovich, Gabriella Brignardello, Steffi Chen, Emily Fortner, Rajika Jindani, Valentina Oliver, Olivia Polk, Alexa Poulton, Elly Shao, Lacey Smith and Michelle Smith.**

For more information about recent Regent achievements, check out the most recent [La Reina Today.](#)

Alumnae and parents, please send internet links to newspaper articles about students, alumnae and their accomplishments to lmegaffin@lareina.com. These articles will then be linked from the La Reina website. [Follow this link to see recent newspaper and magazine articles.](#)

Admissions Update

Limited space remains for enrollment for 2011-12 and applications continue to be accepted. An Entrance Placement Test will be administered for prospective students entering Grades 7, 8 and 9 on Wednesday, June 29 at 8:00 a.m. To be eligible for this test, a completed application and application fee must be submitted by June 28. [Follow this link to apply online.](#)

For further information (including application information for Grades 10 and 11), contact Mrs. Cristy McNay, Director of Admissions, at 805-917-7111 or at cmcnay@lareina.com.



The Only Investment with a Guaranteed Result

June 30 is the end of the LRHS fiscal year and last-minute donations to the *Legacy & Promise* Annual Fund will be deeply appreciated. *Legacy & Promise* helps to fund the \$1,900 gap between the current tuition and the actual cost to educate each student. Every Regent receives a partial tuition grant.



In the spirit of the Sisters of Notre Dame, La Reina's tradition is to keep tuition reasonable so that any qualified student can attend. A donor may designate a *Legacy & Promise* contribution as unrestricted, as financial aid, or as a donation for any LRHS activity or academic department. For the 2010-11 school year, 14% of the students received financial aid.



This fall, a 2010-11 annual report will be published and donors will be recognized according to these giving levels:

- President's Council: \$5,000 +
- Principal's Circle: \$2,500 - 1,001
- Emerald Club: \$1,000 - 501
- Regents' Club: \$500 - 251

Green & Gold Circle: \$250 - 101

Friends of La Reina: \$100 - 1

[Follow this link to make a one-time or recurring online donation.](#) Many corporations, such as Amgen, Bank of America and Verizon, match donor gifts...a great way to double your investment in the Regents.

Thank you to our many partners. Your sacrifice is an investment with guaranteed results. For further information, contact Sr. Lisa Megaffin at 805-495-6494, ext. 382.

Quick Links

[Admissions](#) | [College Acceptances for the Class of 2011](#) | [La Reina Today, Community Edition, Spring 2011](#) | [La Reina Website](#) | [Parent Guild Online Auction](#) | [Student Store](#)

La Reina High School is a Catholic college preparatory school for young women in the tradition of the Sisters of Notre Dame. La Reina provides a strong spiritual and academic foundation in a nurturing environment helping young women develop into moral and self-confident leaders. Students are given opportunities to grow intellectually, to foster their relationship with God, to develop their individual gifts and to contribute to their community.

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