



July 2025

Dear Marist Community,

Happy July! We hope you're enjoying the summer sunshine.

We had an incredible night on the football field last Saturday with live music from Poi Dog Pondering, Michael Glabicki, and Red Pop Fury. There's nothing quite like being on campus surrounded by family, friends, and classmates.

A special thanks to event coordinator Maura Bruton, intern Michael Lundy '24, our team of recent young alums, and our dedicated volunteer committee. We couldn't do it without you!

We're also saddened to share the passing of Steven Kent '86 on July 5. A loyal alum, volunteer, and friend, Steve was a key part of Southside Summer Festival from day one, always asking how he could help. Our prayers are with his loved ones. May he rest in peace.

Our inaugural Legacy Lunch at Gaelic Park was a great success. We enjoyed stories, reconnections, and laughter, and we're already looking forward to next summer's gathering.

Stay connected and enjoy the rest of your summer,
Marist Advancement



Legacy Lunch on July 8th at Gaelic Park

School News



Sire Holloway '25

Sire Holloway '25 has been awarded The Gates Scholarship and will be attending Howard University this fall to study computer science. The scholarship includes full tuition, fees, room, board, books, and transportation. Each year, the scholarship is awarded to exceptional student leaders, with the intent of helping them realize their maximum potential. We are so proud!

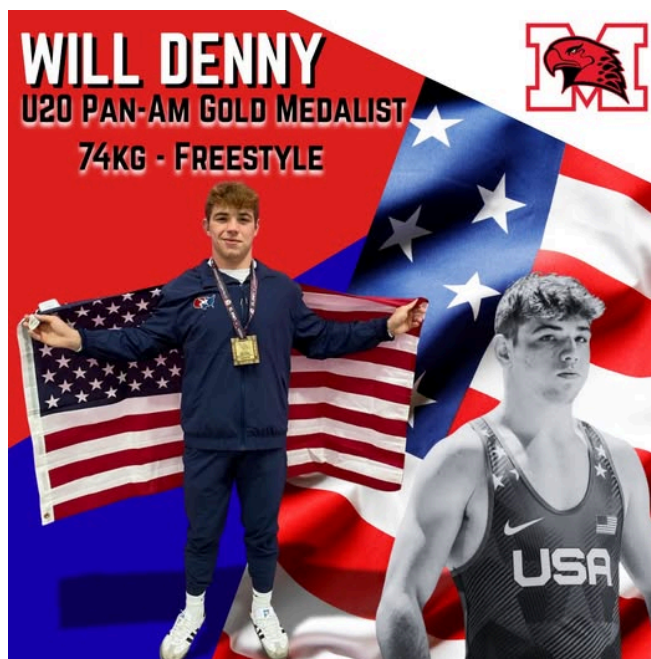


Student
SPOTLIGHT

Click here to read the full story: <https://www.marist.net/marist-high-school-senior-sire-holloway-wins-prestigious-gates-scholarship-will-attend-howard-university/>



Congratulations to George Bilecki '22 on being drafted by the San Diego Padres in this month's MLB Draft.



Congratulations to Will Denny '25 who took home a gold medal at the U20 Pan-Am Championships this month. Will represented the United States on the world stage, making the Marist community proud.



Congratulations to Ethan Sonne '27 on winning the 2025 U.S. Marine Corps Junior Nationals 16U Boys 165lb Freestyle division. Ethan is the first wrestler in program history to win the prestigious tournament in Fargo, North Dakota.

Upcoming Events



Celebrations

Maddie Tucker '16



Congratulations to Maddie Tucker '16 and Brendan Brackin on their recent marriage. Maddie is the daughter of Larry Tucker '79, president of Marist High School.

Noelle McDonnell, Marketing



Noelle and Joey McDonnell welcomed Lucy Jane McDonnell on June 19, 2025. Noelle has been part of the Marist family for nearly a decade, spearheading the broadcasting class, and later moving to the Marketing Department. Congratulations to the McDonnell family!





IN LOVING MEMORY

Michael Eugene Belczak '87



*"I lift up my eyes to the hills; from where will my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth." In times of trial and challenge - in times of grief and loss - we are called to lift our eyes to God - for He is our help; our hope, and our strength.
Psalm 121*



Save The Date

CLASS OF 1975

50th

FRI **5th**
SEPT & **6th**
SAT

**CLASS REUNION
WEEKEND**





Save the date!

10.10.25

**5 YEAR 10 YEAR
15 YEAR 25 YEAR**

REUNIONS

Celebrating

CLASS OF 2000

CLASS OF 2010

CLASS OF 2015

CLASS OF 2020

Update Us

Have you moved? Started a new job? Recently married or welcomed a new addition to your family? We'd love to hear from you and share your good news with the Marist community!

Update your information here: <https://www.marist.net/alumni/update-us/>

For questions or to share updates directly, contact:

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