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Spring 2020 Newsletter & Schedule

3 AWE-INSPIRING STUDENTS!

Luke Mersch | Saint Mary Magdalen School, Media

Luke was awarded \$123,000 in scholarships from all three schools to which he applied. The scholarships include:

- 1) St. Joseph Preparatory School Ignatian Scholarship - \$56,000 (\$14,000/year)
- 2) Archmere Academy Academic Scholarship - \$28,000 (\$7,000/year) and the Archmere Academy Leadership Scholarship - \$8,000 (\$2,000/year)
- 3) Cardinal O'Hara Academic Scholarship - \$29,000 (\$7,000/year plus one-time \$1,000 grant for high achievement on the 7th grade practice exam). Note: The \$7,000/year was the top academic scholarship from Cardinal O'Hara, given to only six students. Also, the Cardinal O'Hara Commitment to Community Service Scholarship - \$2,000 (\$500/year)

We really appreciate the help you provided to Luke and all of the guidance to both Luke and me.

Thanks, Teresa, Luke's mother



Isabella Fulginitti | Ancillae Assumpta Academy, Class of 2020



Dear Dr. Pace,
Thank you so much for all your help and guidance during your HSPT classes. These experiences helped me get accepted to the two high schools I applied to, Gwynedd Mercy Academy and Mount Saint Joseph Academy.
I am so happy to report that I will be a Gwynedd girl, class of 2024.
Thank you so much for the opportunity to be your student.
Sincerely,
Isabella Fulginitti



Sean Boyle | Our Lady of Good Counsel School, Southampton

"Sean received the Neumann Scholarship, and he also got a Trustee Scholarship paired with a Maguire Scholarship for Holy Ghost which totaled over \$15,000 a year in scholarships. We chose for Sean to go to Holy Ghost with his brother. The picture is of him at HGP. We hope we made the best choice for him. None of this would have been possible without you because you helped develop Sean's test taking skills. He credits you for helping boost his vocabulary and reading scores with your strategies. He is so grateful for all you have done for him. He looks forward to seeing you again when it's time for his SAT prep."

- Kim Boyle, Sean's mother

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OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS BY 3 EXCEPTIONAL STUDENTS!

Paul Giacomucci | Saint Mary Magdalen School, Media



"As your child enters 8th grade, it can be an overwhelming time choosing the right high school. Depending on how many schools you decide to look at, there could be many tests your child will take. I first learned about Dr. Pace from a friend as her daughter took one of Dr. Pace's prep courses. I eagerly signed my son Paul up and hoped he might learn a few test taking strategies. Dr. Pace did not disappoint! My son Paul took 4 different tests for high school. Paul scored a 99 on 3 of the 4 tests. Paul is not a straight A student. He has done well academically but I wouldn't say he was the top of his class. I credit Dr. Pace's prep course with teaching Paul the techniques and pitfalls of taking these tests. She was able to help him navigate the uncharted waters of high school tests. As a result, Paul was awarded a Neumann Scholarship, a Presidential Scholarship from Bishop Shanahan, a Piarist Scholarship from Devon Prep and an Achievement Award from Archbishop Carroll. I didn't know where to begin to help Paul prepare and I am so grateful to Dr. Pace for her ability to motivate, encourage and teach children how to succeed and giving them confidence to take these tests!"

- Carolyn, Paul's mother

"Dr. Pace's ability to teach topics and to make certain that students understood them is unparalleled to any teacher that I've ever had. I cannot emphasize enough how amazing a teacher Dr. Pace is. I also felt the study materials that we were given helped tremendously. I was able to study my flash cards on and off in my down time. Dr. Pace's classes were definitely worth the hour long drive and I can't wait to see the amazing effect that they will have on my brother as he prepares himself for high school and all of the tests he will take."

- Paul

Harry J. Kane, III | Saint Mary Interparochial School, Philadelphia



"Harry was awarded merit scholarships to Cardinal O'Hara and Archbishop Carroll high schools and an Ignatian Scholarship from Saint Joseph Prep! Dr Pace is so great! Her classes are helpful and fun! We are so grateful for all of your guidance, encouragement and support!"

- Tina, Harry's mother

Emily Birmingham | Mater Dei, Lansdale



"Emily took your prep classes, including the Slaying the Dragons program, and focused on the practice tests and your flash cards. She earned scholarships to Gwynedd Mercy, Lansdale Catholic, and a Presidential Scholarship to Mount Saint Joseph Academy. She will attend the Mount next fall. Thank you for your guidance and encouragement!"

- Kathleen, Emily's mother

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3 WORKSHOPS FOR THE SAT®/ACT/HSPT TESTS

Enroll in any 2 workshops and save \$5!
Enroll in all 3 workshops and save \$10!

Math Gymnastics

APPROPRIATE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 8 TO 11 (AND ADVANCED 7TH GRADERS!)

TRICKS OF THE TRADE: The new direction in tests (including the SAT, PSAT, ACT, HSPT, and TerraNova) requires ease with numbers, variables, and the language & notation of mathematics. Gain the kind of familiarity that allows accurate and speedy maneuvers *without a calculator* by learning the tricks of the trade with Dr. Pace!

LOCATION: Basilian Spirituality Center, 710 Fox Chase Rd, Fox Chase Manor (across the street from Saint Basil Academy)

DATES: Saturday, April 18

TIME: 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

COST: \$50

Grammar Boot Camp

APPROPRIATE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 7 to 11

REVIEW, DRILL, TEST: A comprehensive review of the most common language rules found on most standardized tests, including the SAT, PSAT, ACT, HSPT, and TerraNova.

LOCATION: Basilian Spirituality Center, 710 Fox Chase Rd, Fox Chase Manor (across the street from Saint Basil Academy)

DATE: Sunday, April 19

TIME: 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

COST: \$50

Advanced SAT/PSAT Math and Reading

APPROPRIATE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADE 11, AS WELL AS ADVANCED 8TH, 9TH, AND 10TH GRADERS

An in-depth review of the math and reading sections of the SAT/PSAT using Dr. Pace's unique and effective strategic approach.

LOCATION: Basilian Spirituality Center, 710 Fox Chase Rd, Fox Chase Manor (across the street from Saint Basil Academy)

DATE: Sunday, April 26

TIME: 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

COST: \$75

Refund Policy for all of Dr. Pace's programs: Students who miss sessions can make up time in other pre-approved programs. Full payment is required for all programs whether or not the student can attend all sessions.

Note: Any professional educator planning to sit in on or use Dr. Pace's teachings and/or techniques needs to call Dr. Pace. 215-725-6568

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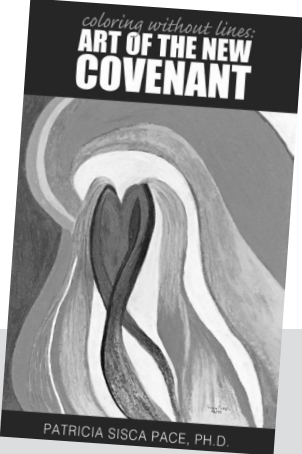
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Spring 2020 Art Retreat

Pastel Art Retreat FREE-WILL DONATION

FOR ADULTS, YOUNG ADULTS, AND SENIORS.
PRE-REGISTRATION NECESSARY.
ALL ART SUPPLIES WILL BE PROVIDED.



LOCATION: Dr. Pace's Art Gallery in NE Philadelphia, about 3 miles from the Basilian Spirituality Center

DATE: Saturday, May 16

TIME: 12:30pm to 3:30pm

BRING: a journal, a pen/pencil, rag, and Dr. Pace's book: *Coloring Without Lines: Art of the New Covenant*. If you do not have a copy, the book fee is \$17. Copies will be available for sale.

NO TRAINING IN ART NEEDED,
SO COME AND LEARN:

- How to Create 'Personal Art' that has Rich Layers of Meaning of You
- A Hands-On Application of a Unique Art Technique
- A Non-Directive Method of Interpreting the Image that Emerges on Paper
- A Way to Deepen Your Relationship with God

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THIS ART RETREAT, CONTACT DR. PACE (siscapace@yahoo.com, or 215-725-6568)
OR VISIT: <https://www.facebook.com/drpatriciasiscapace/> or www.drpaceseminars.com

SAINT CECILIA STUDENT SHINES!

Brennan Dillenbeck | Saint Cecilia School, Philadelphia

Hello Dr. Pace,

Brennan received the Neumann Scholarship and the President's Scholarship to Father Judge. He also received an Ignatian (\$9,000) Scholarship to Saint Joe's Prep. Brennan has decided to challenge himself academically and has chosen to attend Saint Joe's Prep. We are extremely proud of him. He understands what an honor it was to receive the Neumann, but he feels as though he will be more challenged and have more opportunities for growth at the Prep. Brennan would love to be included in your newsletter and submitted this testimony for you to include: "Dr. Pace's HSPT course greatly prepared me for all of my high school entrance and scholarship exams. She taught me techniques that gave me the proper mindset to achieve the highest scores possible. I would highly recommend her HSPT program to any student looking for an advantage going into the test taking season. This course was an immense help."

- Brennan Dillenbeck and his mother Jenn

