



# NEWS

## Trivia Night 2025!



March 22, 2025 - Trivia Begins at 7:00 p.m.

Join Us for Parkway Trivia Night! 🧠

Mark your calendar for Saturday, March 22, 2025, and get ready for a night of trivia, prizes, and fun – all while supporting Parkway students and teachers!

📍 The Lodge Des Peres

🕒 Doors open at 6:30 PM | Trivia starts at 7:00 PM

💰 \$200 per team of 8 – Limited tickets available!

Gather your team, bring your best table decorations, and compete for exciting prizes! 🏆

🎟 Raffles, auctions & a 50/50 cash drawing

🏆 Prize for best table decorations & costumes

🍷 Bring your own food & drinks – soda & water provided

➔ [Register Now](#)

### Support Parkway & Promote Your Business!

Want to showcase your business while making a difference? Become a sponsor! Your logo/name will be featured on event screens, social media, and in the PAA Newsletter—all while supporting programs like Granting Dreams for Parkway students and recognizing outstanding teachers & staff.

➔ [Register Now](#)

Don't miss this exciting night—get your team together and join the fun!

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## Upcoming Events & Opportunities



### Parkway Day at the Ballpark

Let's root for the home team! Tickets are confirmed for Sunday, June 8, as the St. Louis Cardinals take on the LA Dodgers at 1:15 PM! 🍔 Each discounted ticket includes a hot dog & soda.

June 8th game giveaway includes a Rawlings Kids Glove Giveaway for fans 15 and younger.

Join us for a fun-filled day with the Parkway community at Busch Stadium! [Click here to purchase your tickets before they sell out.](#)



### Golf Tournament

📅 Save the Date! Parkway Golf Tournament 📅

📅 Saturday, September 13, 2025

📍 St. Peter's Golf Club *\*NEW LOCATION!\**

🕒 7:30 AM Shotgun Start

Join us for a day of golf, fun, and community! Enjoy a BBQ pork steak & burger bar lunch immediately after your round, followed by an awards presentation. Don't miss out—mark your calendar and stay tuned for registration details!

### Leave a Legacy - Start a Scholarship Fund

# LEAVE A *Legacy*

Interested in our scholarship programs or want to create one to honor yourself or a loved one? Contact Sandy Riutcel, Executive Director of the Parkway Alumni Association, at 314-415-8074 (office) or [sriutcel@parkwayschools.net](mailto:sriutcel@parkwayschools.net) for details. We're here to support your aspirations and ensure our alumni can continue their academic journey!

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## *A Note from Our Board President*



Dear Parkway Alumni,

Spring is just around the corner, and for your Parkway Alumni Association, that means our board and staff are busy with award season! This is a special time of year when we have the privilege of granting dreams for students through out-of-the-classroom experiences, awarding teacher grants for classroom enhancements and continuing education, and celebrating our incredible staff with the Light of Parkway Awards—honoring the essential workers who make a difference throughout our district.

It's a season of celebration, recognizing the students, teachers, and staff who make our Parkway community such a diverse and wonderful place.

If some of these awards and initiatives sound new to you, I encourage you to take a few moments to explore the Parkway Alumni website and learn more about the key programs and projects we facilitate.

It's truly impressive and exciting to see the impact our alumni network makes! I also encourage you to find a program that aligns with your personal passions and consider giving back.

I hope to see you at Trivia Night on March 22nd—it's not too late to grab your tickets!

With gratitude,

Kennedy Graf  
Parkway South '15  
President, Parkway Alumni Association

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## *Alumni Updates*



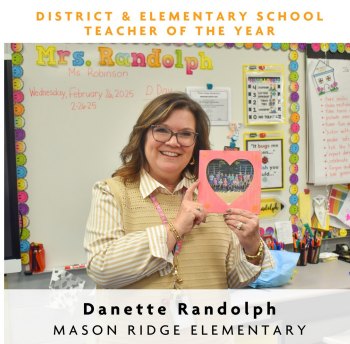
## Parkway South Hall of Fame

Congratulations to the newest inductees of the Parkway South Hall of Fame! Your achievements inspire our entire community. Read more about their remarkable contributions here:

<https://ow.ly/CT3550UWrJU>

## What's Happening At School?

### District Teacher of the Year



Behind every great student is an inspiring teacher. Today, we had the pleasure of announcing and celebrating the best of the best – our 2025 Parkway Teachers of the Year.

- District & Elementary: Danette Randolph – Mason Ridge (1st Grade)
- Middle School: Alyssa Della Camera – Southwest Middle (Math)
- High School: Jeff Chazen – West High (Social Studies)

The elementary, middle, high school and district Teachers of the Year are selected by a committee comprised of former Parkway district-level Teachers of the Year. The Teacher of the Year program is sponsored by [Parkway Alumni Association](#) providing \$2,000 in monetary awards from the [Educators Make a Difference Fund](#). You can celebrate these teachers accomplishments by supporting this fund today.



### Grant in Action!

Thanks to the Suzy Zucker Esstman Educational Grant, students at Parkway are bringing ideas to life with a 3D printer! From functional classroom tools to sparking new passions, this technology is making a real impact. One student with no prior experience is now diving deep into 3D design, and staff members are discovering innovative ways to enhance their teaching—like printing attachments for violin bows to improve hand positioning! Amazing things happen when creativity and technology come together. Thank you to the many donors of the Parkway Alumni Association for making this possible!

### Girls Swimming & Diving State

It's time to make space in the Central High trophy case! This weekend, the Colts claimed a second-place team finish at the MSHSAA Girls Swimming & Diving Class 1 State Championships. Their depth was on display, placing top-five in all three relays along with five individual finals performances from juniors Reese Anderson (3rd - 500 free, 6th - 100 fly) and Cecilia Tremont (5th -



100 free, 8th - 50 free), and senior Sarah Fields (diving). Congratulations to the Colts on their highest team finish since 2020!



## School Counselors Week

In February we celebrated National School Counseling Week – they are some of the students' biggest advocates!

School counselors:

Offer critical support for a student's academic, career, and social-emotional development

Create a culture of success for all students

Help identify student issues, needs, and challenges

Play an essential role in a student's improvement plan with a

proactive and data-driven approach

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## Opportunities Within Parkway

**We Are HIRING**

Find work that matters at Parkway Schools. 

**SCAN ME!** →

**We have openings:**

- Teachers
- Teaching Assistants
- Custodians
- Mechanics
- School Secretaries
- Grounds Crew
- Before and After School Care

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## Calling All Alumni - Parkway is Hiring!

We need help at your school! We have openings for bus drivers, and many others for custodians and grounds crew employees needed to support our families. If you know someone who is interested, please share this with them. Interested applicants can call 314-415-8401 for more information or [visit this website](#).

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## The Info You Don't Want to Miss



## Class Reunions

Don't miss your opportunity to share in the memories and build the future. [Find your class reunion information or start planning one!](#)

## Class Memoriam

Parkway Alumni Association extends condolences to family and friends of the following Parkway alumni and staff. [CLICK HERE to read more.](#)

## Class Notes

Find out where Parkway grads are making their mark in the world. [See our latest class notes here.](#)



## Connect with your School



We exist to encourage communication among alumni and foster programs which serve and support the Parkway community.

