



ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

PARKWAY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Welcoming Our Newest Alumni!



It's the most wonderful time of the year! The time when we welcome new alumni from each of the five Parkway high schools, Central, West, North, South and Fern Ridge.

The Class of 2022 is joining a network of over 80,000 alumni just like you! It's time to encourage them to get involved in one of our programs whether that be Granting Dreams, Light of Parkway, the golf tournament or many others!

If you know a grad, be sure to make a connection and let them know the opportunities that lie ahead for them as Parkway alumni.



Congratulations, Graduates!

Upcoming Events & Opportunities



Alumni Night at the Ballpark!

Take yourself and your family and friends out to the ballgame this summer at Busch Stadium! Tickets purchased for Parkway Family Day include these fantastic perks...

- ◇ FREE JUMBO hotdog and regular soda (Sunday game only)
- ◇ Adult Mystery Nickname Jersey or Player World Championship Rings

Upcoming games are July 16 and August 14th. [Purchase tickets here online.](#)



Golf Tournament

Save the date to play golf at the Parkway Golf Tournament on Saturday, Oct. 29, 2022, at 10 a.m.! The PAA will host this annual event again at Forest Park Golf Course, one of the most popular public golf courses in the Midwest.

Fees this year are \$120 per golfer - the fee includes snacks and lunch on the course and appetizers during the awards presentation following the tournament.

[Register early online today!](#)



Networking Night

Join us on the second Tuesday of each month for an all-alumni networking event. The group meets in person at the Parkway Administration Center. Hear from alums about their current work and meet other Parkway alumni in our community. To attend, email parkwayalumni@parkwayschools.net to be added to the meeting invite list. Include your name, school, class year, profession, business name and contact info.

What's Happening at Your School?



English Teacher Raps at Commencement



The Parkway North seniors selected English teacher, David Beck as a guest speaker for their farewell commencement and he did not disappoint! He wrote and performed a "Super Bowl mash-up" for his speech. [Watch the replay.](#)



National Schools of Character

Claymont & Mason Ridge have been named National Schools of Character! Northeast Middle, Southwest Middle, Green Trails & Carman Trails have been re-certificated as National Schools of Character and

Parkway re-certified as National District of Character!



Welcome to Epcot!

Band, orchestra, and choir students were taken backstage at Epcot in Orlando Florida to work with Disney conductors to produce a clip for one of Disney's major motion pictures with students performing the music.

South High students recorded I See The Light from Tangled. In 45 minutes, students received the music for the first time, rehearsed and recorded a final version,

much like it is done in a professional studio. Additionally, the conductor taught our students some practice techniques to learn and perfect music faster.

"Disney has a kind of magic to it, and to be a part of that magic is a feeling you won't soon forget," Lisa Kinworthy, South High Band Director said.



Call All Alumni - Parkway is Hiring!

We need help at your school! We have nearly 50 openings for bus drivers, custodians, grounds crew employees and other staff 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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Appreciation Evening Gala

Parkway's annual Appreciation Evening gala was held on Monday, April 25, at the Sheraton Lakeside Chalet in Westport Plaza. Pillars of Parkway, Teachers of the Year, retirees, employees with milestone years of service, and Light of Parkway and Albert Award winners

were honored. If you missed it, be sure to watch our award recipients videos here.

<http://ow.ly/C0Ya50IWEEN>



2022 Best High Schools





Parkway's four high schools - Central, North, South and West high schools - were named among the country's "2022 Best High Schools" by U.S. News & World Report. Each high school is ranked in the top 10% of schools in

Missouri.

High schools are ranked by college readiness, math and reading proficiency, math and reading performance, underserved student performance, college curriculum breadth and graduation rate.



Give Today

Be part of something bigger than yourself! There are many ways to give to the Parkway Alumni Association. Whether you make a general donation or direct your contribution to one of our funds like the Light of Parkway or Albert Awards, your support will be used for programs that benefit alumni, students, staff and the Parkway community as defined in our mission statement. Give today by making an [online donation](#).

The Info You Don't Want to Miss



Class Reunions

Many grads are putting together class reunions for this fall and next spring. Don't miss your opportunity to share in the memories and build the future. [Find your class reunion information or start planning one!](#)



Class Memorial

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.](#)

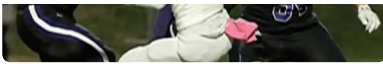
Alumni News



West Grad Noted in KMOV

Tre Bell is a terrific athlete, but he might be an even





[KMOV shares the story about this Parkway West 2022 graduate.](#)



Central Grad Featured in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Julie Peden has worked as a registered nurse for 25 years in multiple settings, including the emergency room, intensive care unit, cardiac rehab and dialysis. But her current role serving foster children through [Home State Health](#) is one of the most rewarding yet. Read [full article](#) in St. Louis Post-Dispatch



Connect with your School

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



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