



Upcoming Events

Lt. Riordan's family has established three annual events to raise money for the scholarship fund and remember our fallen hero. Please plan to join us and thank you for your support!

Lt. Riordan Memorial Trivia Night

Saturday, November 8, 2014
Vianney High School

Drinks for Lt. Dan

February 2015
John D. McGurk's in Soulard

Lt. Riordan Memorial Golf Tournament

May 2015
Riverside Golf Club



Golf Tournament Raises \$17,200

The seventh annual Lt. Daniel P. Riordan Memorial Golf Tournament was our most well-attended tournament to date and raised more than \$17,200. Our deepest appreciation goes to our 176 golfers and many sponsors and volunteers who enabled us to host such a rewarding tournament.

Special thanks to our dinner sponsor, First Command Financial Planning; Gold and lunch sponsor, John & Pam Flatley; lunch sponsor, P'Sghetti's Pasta & Sandwiches; and Silver sponsor, Zeller Technologies.

Riordan Family Celebrates First Scholarship Graduate Kevin Tiemann

Lt. Riordan's family was honored to be invited as guests to our first scholarship recipient's graduation from Vianney High School – and cheered proudly when Kevin's name was announced!

Kevin had an impressive four years at Vianney. A member of the National Honor Society, Kevin graduated cum laude. He was also a Link Crew Leader, Student Ambassador, Athletic Ambassador and leader on his senior Kairos retreat. Kevin played freshman soccer for the Griffins and ran varsity cross country for three years and track for all four years, where he discovered pole vaulting, which became his all-time

favorite event. He was also awarded Order of the Griffin twice in his Vianney career.

Outside of Vianney, Kevin played soccer for Kolping Kicks and worked his junior and senior year at Frankie G's.

Kevin is now a proud Tiger! He started at Mizzou this fall, entering with enough college credit classes to enroll as a sophomore. He plans to join ROTC and pursue a career in the Army following college – not surprising for an Army brat! He's especially grateful for the Lt. Riordan Scholarship, which allowed him to attend Vianney.

Lt. Daniel P. Riordan, a 2001 graduate of Vianney High School, was killed while serving our country in Iraq. To honor our beloved Dan, we established the Lt. Daniel P. Riordan Scholarship Fund. "Lt. Dan" was a man who loved his family, his God and his country. His faith gave him the strength necessary for battle. This faith was cultivated and strengthened by the faculty and staff of Vianney High School.

With your support, in seven years we have raised more than \$370,000 for students in need. Please visit www.facebook.com/ltdanriordan to learn more about the scholarship fund and annual events. Thank you for your continued support and helping us remember a true American hero.

Lt. Riordan Scholarship Recipients

Lt. Riordan's family is proud of each young man currently on scholarship. The following are highlights of their many accomplishments and honors during their time at Vianney. We also welcome our newest recipient Alex to the Vianney family.

Kyle Markway

Kyle's junior year was a year to remember – and full of football! Kyle received the attention of many college football programs who made visits to the high school, which was exciting for both him and Vianney. He earned all-conference MCC defensive player, second-team tight end and second-team all-conference. After football season, he jumped full force into basketball. Kyle continued with his football workouts daily so that he would not lose stride. His dedication and work ethic is what makes him the athlete he is. He verbally committed to play football for the South Carolina Gamecocks, and we're excited for what he'll accomplish at the next level.

Kyle loves being a Griffin and looks forward to his senior year. He received second honors and serves as an ambassador, working many events. He also received a great honor from the Vianney staff in January, the Order of the Griffin, given to students who exhibit the qualities that make up a Griffin – faith, leadership and commitment. Kyle's family is incredibly thankful for assistance from the Lt. Riordan Scholarship, making it possible to attend Vianney.

Zack Brockmeyer

Zack was captain of the Vianney sophomore soccer team, and was also a Griffin Guide, providing prospective 8th graders an opportunity to experience a day at Vianney. He received second honors for fall semester.

Zack was chosen as an ambassador for the 2014-2015 school year and will serve as a Link Crew member for the freshmen class. He was a member of the JV golf team, maintaining a 4.0 GPA for the spring semester. Zack feels extremely honored to be a scholarship recipient and strives daily to live a life of faith, honor and service.

James Whalen

James had an incredibly successful freshman year at Vianney. He was elected president of the freshman class and re-elected to be class president his Sophomore year.

We congratulate him on achieving and maintaining a 4.0 GPA. James is also a member of Vianney's football and wrestling teams. And he continues to serve mass at his parish and leads the Sacred Heart Youth Group mass with guitar and vocal music.

James loves Vianney and has developed amazing friendships and continues to grow into an amazing young man.

Alex Heib

Alex graduated from Queen of All Saints, where he was an altar server and Vacation Bible School leader. Alex's passion is golf and he's received many awards for his talent. He qualified for the U.S. Kids Golf World Championship at Pinehurst Golf Club and finished 70 out of 145 among the best golfers in his age group from around the world.

Alex is close to his family, especially his twin Kyle, also attending Vianney this fall. He plans to lead service projects and become an ambassador. "I hope to live my life much like Lt. Riordan by being a caring, faith-filled, genuine, brave and loyal person."

