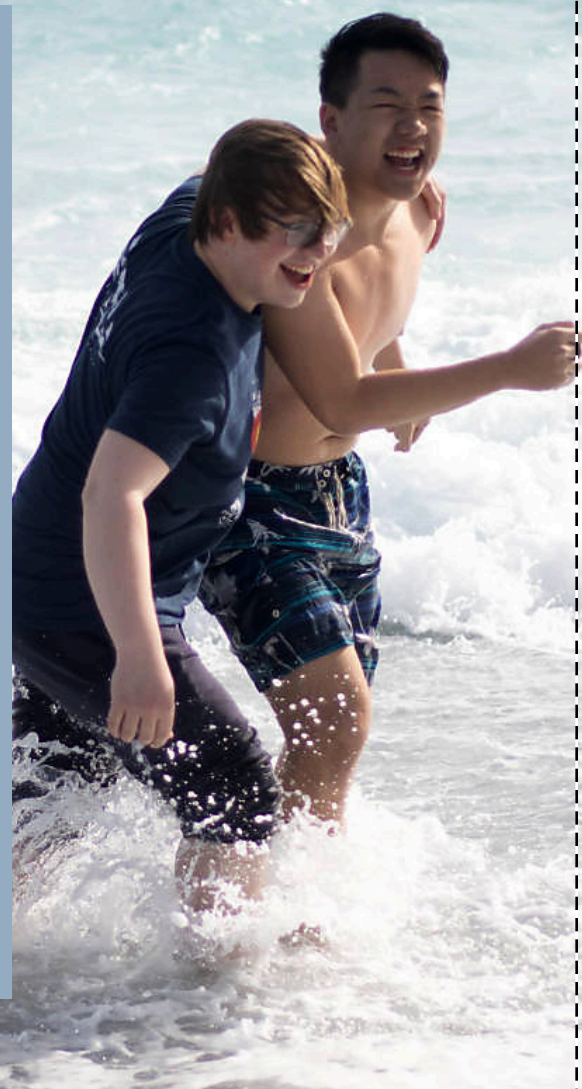




# '23 in Europe

Take on the World. From diving into the freezing Mediterranean Sea to emulating art in the Louvre, the class of '23 takes on Europe by storm. In Nice, France the group was able to spend some time on the beach. Most of the seniors decided to stay out of the frigid water, but a little wind did not stop **Jordan Quach** and **Riker Hopkins** from heading all the way into the water. "Oh it's so cold! It's so cold! It hurts so much to walk!" Jordan screamed from the sea as Riker ran in to meet him, falling face first into the cold water in the process. When they weren't swimming, the class of '23 spent time enjoying Italian gelato and playing a game in the Louvre where they copied artworks. **Logan Johnson** and **Evan Tran** found themselves engaged in a struggle, while **Ashley Nichols**, **Maddie Leyba**, **Amanda Mulligan**, and **Caden Fullerton** imitated ancient Egyptian mummies. **Jayden Van Dam**, **Grace Parker**, **Evan Hawes**, and **Kate Kramer** also joined the fun by posing together in front of the painting they decided to recreate.



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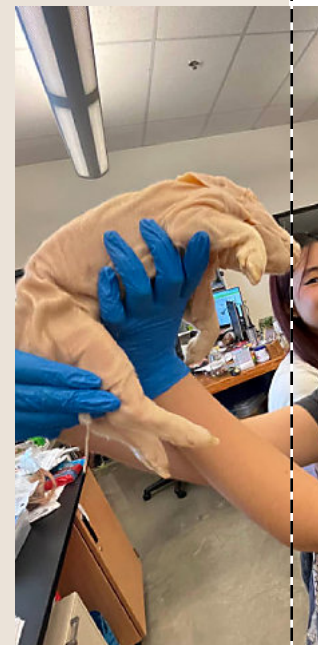
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# Key to Happiness

**Community Builders.** Every year, Key Club hosts a district convention where members from schools all over the area can gather to meet other Key Club divisions and make important district decisions. This event is called the District Convention, or DCON. **Ms. Defiore**, Key Club's sponsor, was joined at DCON by president **Sofia Hiller** and members **James Brenneman**, **Jordan Quach**, **Harvey Watson**, and **Judah Weir**. James decided to run for a district level Key Club position. He explained, "I'm running for lieutenant governor of our division, which is division three. I want to have more engagement in the Key Club community, especially beyond the school level. I feel like a lot of people within our school community in Key Club didn't really know what was going on beyond the school level. I think a bit more transparency with that will be good."



Harvey Watson, Sammi Bond, Logan Davis-Miller, Marin Baltz, and Jordan Quach pose for a selfie on the streets of Paris as they walk to their first dinner in Europe with the rest of their class.



# Picture Spring

Over Spring Break, I went to Las Vegas and Chicago with my dad. In Las Vegas, I met up with some of my friends to take pictures at an air base; I was able to take a lot of pictures. I was also able to spend time with my dad. In Chicago, we just hung out, so it was very relaxing before starting up school again.  
**Cass Carpenter**



# Dissection Convention

**Disgusting Dissecting.** During the week before spring break, Mrs. Thimsen's biology classes participate in the famous fetal pig dissections. Grace Parsons, along with her classmates Chase Wittman, Owen Gamble, Christian Fiorenza, Daisy Rush, and Catherine Berg, all jumped head first into the experience. "Taking the brain out was pretty cool! I liked the dissections because I felt like it was one of my strong suits," Owen enthusiastically explained. Regardless of how many appreciated the opportunity and experience of the dissection, Javier Gonzalez Castellanos and Shalini Mathai were the only two in their group who participated in the dissection. The rest of their peers backed away from the pig, about to puke.

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