

The logo features the word "Nouvel" in a large, elegant, white script font. Below it, the phrase "A NIGHT TO SHINE" is written in a smaller, white, all-caps sans-serif font. To the right of the text is a white crescent moon. A large, four-pointed star is positioned at the right end of the moon's arc, with several smaller stars scattered around it.

Nouvel

A NIGHT TO SHINE

NOUVEL CATHOLIC CENTRAL'S ANNUAL GALA
a night of dinner, dancing and celebration as we shine a light on
what makes Nouvel special, while raising funds for our school.

October 12th, 2024 at Horizons

Thank you teachers and staff for all you do for our students every day. We appreciate your unwavering commitment to our shared vision to uplift our students as we serve all Nouvel families.

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The Board of Trustees extends its most sincere gratitude to the Gala Committee for planning and executing the second annual Nouvel: A Night to Shine Gala.

Please take pride in your success, enjoy your night, and know how much we appreciate your tremendous contribution to Nouvel.

Nouvel Gala Committee



Bethany Warezak, Holly Shaheen, Kelsey Lawler Lucas, Jen Thieme Kehres, Tina Bell, Meghan Lawler Aird, Dr. Liz Marshall, Clare Furlo - Chair, Marcy Sturtz



Order of events

5:00 PM COCKTAILS, HORS D'OEUVRES
& RAFFLE GAMES

6:00 PM WELCOME & PROGRAM
Beth Thieme & Jen Thieme Kehres, Emcees

6:45 PM PRAYER & BLESSING
Bishop Robert Gruss

7:00 PM DINNER & ENTERTAINMENT
By Collision Six

8:30 PM LAST CALL FOR
RAFFLE TICKETS

8:45 PM RAFFLE DRAWINGS

11:00 PM DANCE FLOOR CLOSES
Pick up your favor on the way out!

Welcome from the Head of School, Mr. Dan Decuf

Thank you for your support of Nouvel Catholic Central's 2nd Annual Gala. We are so grateful for each and every person who has helped make this an annual event to remember!



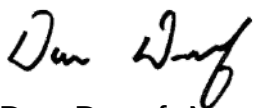
After such a successful first event, I have no doubt that our talented group of volunteers have continued to find new ways to bring energy and excitement to an event of this magnitude. The gala continues to provide a wonderful way for us to celebrate our incredible school and all the unique attributes that allow us to shine.

It is with great pride that I serve in this role as Head of School. Each day, I am able to witness the impact of our school first-hand, on each campus. We are truly blessed that there are so many ways that each student can shine while being a Panther. Whether it's serving during Mass, performing through theater, being part of our champion athletic culture, having artwork selected for a show or competing further in an academic area, we are continuously proud of each and every student. Additionally, we are grateful for every family who selects Nouvel for their child's education.

There is no doubt in my mind that we are Nouvel Strong because of the dedication of our outstanding team. Between our teachers, support staff and leadership team, we have a caring group committed to carrying out our mission to "learn, love and lead... courageously." We have a firm commitment to providing a Catholic education to anyone who wants to experience all that Nouvel can offer.

We truly appreciate your ongoing support and commitment to Catholic education. Together, we stand on the shoulders of those leaders, students and staff that have come before us. Our lasting partnership will ensure the success of Nouvel for generations to come. As evident in our school-wide growth, Nouvel is committed to serving our community and raising the leaders of tomorrow, for many years to come. The success of tonight's event will allow us to further the work toward securing resources to ensure the next generation of Nouvel alumni, families and staff.

On behalf of our entire school community, we give heartfelt appreciation to everyone who is in attendance tonight and has supported this event in any capacity. Nouvel shines brighter because of each of you. Enjoy your evening and Go, Panthers!



Dan Decuf, Nouvel Head of School



*Welcome Nouvel Class of
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Thank you for
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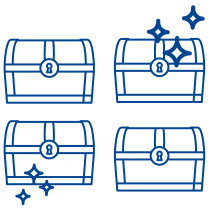
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Fund-A-Need

Our program this evening will include a fund-a-need appeal. This is a fast-paced fundraising blitz where donors submit funds towards a specific cause. There is no winner or highest bidder - donations are cumulative and there are an unlimited amount of donations accepted.

Our fund-a-need will raise funds for two specific projects at the Elementary and Junior High/High Schools. Each project will strengthen STEAM opportunities available on campus. There will be a short video outlining the proposals followed by the call to action. Here is a preview:

- **Elementary** - enhance STEM lab functionality with convertible furniture and create additional learning opportunities with investment in robotics, coding, and programming equipment.
- **Junior High/High School** - upgrades to the Performing Arts Center include sound and lighting updates with the addition of acoustic panels, new wireless microphones, speakers and new a sound board, as well as increased capacity with stadium-style seating in the balcony.



Thank you!

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onto the right path,
and when they
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PROVERBS 22:6

*the Shaheen
family*

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blessed to have had
great teachers through
our three generations of
Catholic education



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Nouvel teachers and staff - you have welcomed, encouraged, and challenged our children since they first entered Nouvel's doors as preschoolers. We appreciate and look forward to your continued partnership in their growth and education.

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


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We are honored to celebrate all involved
in making Nouvel such an amazing school.



-Wael & Courtney Sofh

Thank you to the teachers and staff at Nouvel
for helping our children shine brightly!



Love, the Aird family



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I appreciate everything Nouvel offers to us, especially our teachers, who always show empathy and commitment to our learning, and constantly motivate us to give our best.

Gus Adel

I am very grateful for my school and for the brilliant teachers who help us learn and grow everyday, and make sure we pick up on everything before we move on to something new. We are so lucky to have these wonderful teachers!

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- Dr. & Mrs. Don
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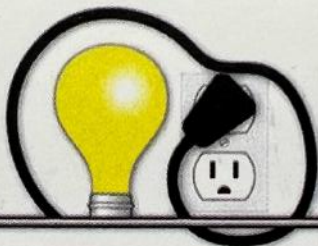
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