



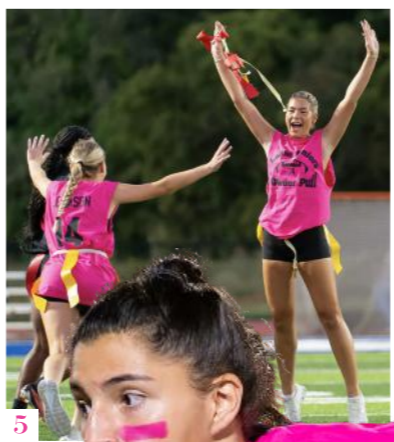
WE DON'T MIND: Holding the tweezers, *Michelle Jing (11)* dissects a brain her with her AP Psychology class on a field trip to SLU Sept. 23. The class used sheep brains instead of human. "It was really nice to perform a hands-on project over what we have been learning," Jing said. (photo by l. ye)



1. JUMP AROUND: Cheers fill the field as the juniors celebrate their second successful field goal. "Jumping with my grade as we celebrated was the best part of my night," *Tatum Curran (11)* said. (photo by v. hsiao) **2. CELEBRATE:** The senior class jumps with joy as they celebrate their triumph. They won Powderpuff for the second year in a row. "There was so much energy and teamwork," *Samantha Hillman (12)* said. "It was super bonding." (photo by l. ye) **3. QUICK REFLEXES:** *Helena Haines (11)* blocks *Fauziya Prothro (12)* as she runs with the ball. "Even though I had never played flag football before, I had so much fun," Haines said. (photo by v. hsiao) **4. RUN RUN RUN:** Advancing towards the endzone, *Delaney Brinker (12)* runs with exhilaration. "It was important to think about avoiding the other team while keeping the ball on our side," Brinker said. (photo by v. hsiao) **5. GRAB THAT FLAG:** *Darci Levinson (11)* runs to *Helena Haines (11)* with open arms after securing the flag. "The excitement was through the roof," Levinson said. (photo by v. hsiao)

BACK TO BACK

Class of 2025 wins annual powderpuff game for second year in a row

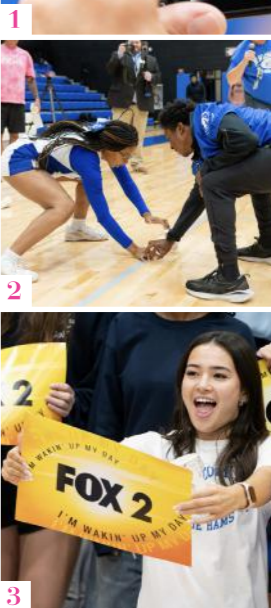


6. EYES ON THE PRIZE: With *Grisham Ravindranath (12)* shouting advice close behind, *Gabrielle Clinkscale (12)* runs with might. "Supporting all of the players boosted our work ethic on and off of the field," Ravindranath said. **7. KILLER KICK:** *Grisham Ravindranath (12)* sets the ball as *Arianna Motti (12)* kicks it. "I loved being a coach for a second year. It was great to catch up with others," Ravindranath said. (all photos by v. hsiao)



WE WAKE UP EARLY

Fall sports teams attend 5 a.m FOX 2 News pep rally Sept. 27



1. IN FOCUS: As the band plays, *Naomi Moore (12)* is interviewed. "It was definitely early, but super fun," Moore said. **2. GAME TIME:** Students compete in various games during an intermission. "The games were fun and competitive," *Marco Tipton (10)* said. **3. BRIGHT AND EARLY:** *Lily Ta (12)* holds up a sign to the camera. "Being on the news was a fun experience," Ta said. **4. TELL 'EM:** *Nyla Weathersby (12)* is interviewed about the cheer team. "I loved talking about our school spirit and my team," Weathersby said. **5. BREAKFAST IS SERVED:** Students stand in line waiting for pancakes to be flipped on their plate. "The pancakes were a great reward," *Manon Hernandez (10)* said. (all photos by v. hsiao)

ON FIRE

Students gather at Blue and White Night bonfire Sept. 26



1. ALL TOGETHER: *Grisham Ravindranath (12)* watches the fire with *Gavin Dale (12)*. "The atmosphere before and after the game was super bonding," Ravindranath said. "I am sad that it was my last year." **2. UP THE HEAT:** The flames rise high as the annual bonfire is ignited. Wood and hay was used to build the fire. "It was so cool to stand with all of my friends by the fire," *Athan Gourtzelis (9)* said. **3. TAME THE FIRE:** Flames are put out by local law enforcement. The firetruck stayed by the fire for the whole event. "I always look forward to the bonfire every year before homecoming," *Kelsey Long (12)* said. **4. LOOK AT THAT:** Following the powderpuff game, students exit the stadium to watch the bonfire. "The school spirit was strong and I had a great time," *Alexander Choe (11)* said. (all photos by v. hsiao)

DRESS TO IMPRESS

Faculty and students dress up for spirit week Sept. 23-29



MONDAY:
PAJAMA DAY

TUESDAY:
COLOR
WARS

WEDNESDAY:
COUNTRY VS
COUNTRY
CLUB

THURSDAY:
ADAM
SANDLER

FRIDAY:
BLUE AND
WHITE



"I am an FLL assistant coach. I help kids with robotics and teach them how to do certain things. I help them plan, create a robot and help them with their projects." *Aaryan Jain, (9)*