



The French mathematician Joseph-Louis Lagrange died on this FAMUS day in 1813.

Fun fact: Lagrange, thinking he had proven the parallel postulate from the other 4 axioms of Euclid, presented his "proof" in public. In the first minute of his talk he noticed something wrong, said "I must think about this again" and sat down.

FAMUS [Friday Afternoon Math Undergrad Seminar] meets:

- every Friday
- at 3:00 p.m.
- in Room 164
- of the Adel Mathematics Building

[and snacks are always served!!!!]

April 10th topic

The MCM
Competition
2026

[presented by
Ethan Olsen]

April 10th guest

no guest



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