

Agenda: School Board Meeting June 13th, 2019

- **Communications Committee Update**, Sara McGann
 - Exciting SJF rebranding efforts on track for the new school year. Photo shoot for new images for website completed. Next steps: Update social media plan and refreshed SJF brand to be shared at August Board Meeting including review of tagline and logo.
- **Strategic Planning Committee Update**: Joe Goldrick and Joan Rogers
 - Great attendance at both *Desserts and Discussion Events*. Feedback organized and themes shared with SJF leadership. Headlines below on the top areas of interest shared across the 5 areas of focus:
 - **Academic Advancement & Curriculum:**
 - Classroom culture and climate, Curriculum consistency, Differentiated instruction, Discipline program
 - **Mission & Culture:**
 - Community culture as a school strength, Integration of Catholic social justice into mission and curriculum, Need for simpler, more tangible and memorable mission statement
 - **Finances & Fundraising:**
 - Transparency, Coordination, Opportunity
 - **Marketing & Communications:**
 - E-mail as preferred communication method, Coordinated, more purposeful social media effort, Desire for mobile-friendly approaches
 - **Physical Space & Campus Infrastructure:**
 - Lab space (STEM especially but also language, art, etc.), Gym space, Campus safety and security
 - Next steps to collect additional data and further strategic planning efforts:
 - SJF met all response rate hurdles for the 5Essentials pilot to receive a full report from the UChicago consortium by the end of July.
 - Collect feedback from alumni to understand top strengths and opportunities areas for SJF grads as they move on to High School and College.
 - Plan for and set date in the Fall for *State of the School Meeting* to share additional detail on short and long-term plans and solicit additional feedback and support as needed.
 - Ensure Faculty updated on Desserts and Discussion events and provide opportunity for them to provide additional feedback around themes. **shared.**
 - Engage other parent and parish organization leaders to better coordinate separate planning efforts, especially on finance-related topics; will try to complete 1:1 "interviews" with each leader over summer to do so.
 - **School Board Feedback/Reflection:**
 - New school board came together in September of 2019 and set out to do 3 things: understand archdiocese guidelines to act as an effective board, Organize ourselves against the school's top priorities within committees, kick off strategic planning process. Amidst a lot of change, great progress this year and looking forward to starting the year of strong and welcoming new board members. Thanks to the 3 board members that have served the school for many years and will transition off: Mary Neuman, Pete Gribble, and Bob Urchell.

As always email @ SJFSAB@gmail.com with any questions/comments.