

January 2016

Admissions:

- Two international ninth grade students have passed their visa interviews and should be joining us for the spring semester
- We have started preparing for January's Open House

Life of the School

- The Boys' Varsity Basketball team came second in the Peninsula Catholic School tournament over the vacation
- The Holiday performance had a large turnout of parents and was enjoyed by all!

Facilities:

- Last week Meeting gave us the go-ahead to enhance the original Friends School sign
- Carpets and floors were all thoroughly cleaned over the break
- New gravel was spread throughout the Middle School circle and the Students' Parking lot
- We are awaiting the results of the Asbestos Inspection carried out in mid-December

Spiritual Life:

- On the last Friday before the Holidays, the QY Leaders hosted a gathering for Upper School students. They showed a movie called the "Hunting Ground" for the boys and a guest speaker talked to the girls about abusive relationships

Alumni:

- The improvements we made to the Alum homecoming/ Reunion proved successful
- The basketball game took place in the gym
- Our guests then went to Tapped for light refreshments afterwards.
- We had fifty attendees, surpassing last year

Summer Camp:

- The Admin team decided to make changes to the 2016 camp program
- We will devote more time and energy into increasing the WOW factor in a smaller number of the most popular camp selections and the number of weeks will be reduced
- Planning sessions will continue over the next two weeks and advertising will start by the end of January

VAIS:

- In our final meeting prior to vacation, administrators received formal notice that as of January 2016, the school is eighteen months from Accreditation and initial preparations begin.