

Borculo Christian School

Dear BCS Community,

As we reflect on the incredible support and generosity we've received from our community, we find ourselves overwhelmed with gratitude. Your prayers and contributions during our recent giving campaign have been nothing short of a blessing. We're thrilled to share the fantastic news: we've successfully met the \$500,000 matching gift! This achievement, however, isn't solely our doing but a testament to God's will working through each and every one of us. We invite you to join us in expressing our heartfelt thanks to God through continued prayers.

Our progress toward our ambitious \$3.5 million goal for the new school addition has been remarkable. Currently, we've raised over one million dollars—a significant milestone on our journey.

Capital Campaign Update:

Our next steps involve engaging professional services to delve into detailed planning, engineering, and permitting. This phase will enable us to comprehend better how non-monetary contributions could aid us in fulfilling our goals.

This spring marks a pivotal moment as we endeavor to break ground this summer. The next four months are crucial to continue our fundraising efforts and meet the timeline, allowing us to achieve groundbreaking this summer.

It's our steadfast commitment to remain debt-free in this endeavor. We're dedicated to ensuring that the burden of this addition doesn't fall on our current BCS parents. Your continued support and generosity will be instrumental in achieving this goal.

We're thrilled to sustain the momentum in our fundraising efforts. A local family, with whom we've been in discussions for some time, has generously initiated our 2024 capital

campaign with an extraordinary gift. They've pledged a quarter-one matching gift of \$250,000, setting an inspiring challenge for us to meet by the end of April.

To facilitate communication, we'll be sending out mailings to our constituents. We desire to build our mailing list to reach all of those who desire to stay informed. We know we are missing and need to include many names of grandparents, alumni, and loved ones on this list. Should you know anyone interested in receiving these updates, please get in touch with the office with their details.

With the outstanding success of the Foundation golf outing, Fall Auction, and Koeze nut sale, we can now allocate the funds raised from the Spring Banquet to the capital campaign. This presents an incredible opportunity for our March 21st spring banquet to transform into a capital campaign giving event. We're honored to announce Dan Landstra as our speaker. He is renowned for his insightful discussions on students, global issues, and how we, as a Christian community, can support our youth in their faith development.

We envision this evening as truly special and cordially invite all of you to sign up today. Our current venue at Noordeloos CRC has served us well, but we aspire to see it overflowing with attendees, compelling us to seek a larger venue.

As we move forward, we humbly ask for your continued prayers. Please pray for our staff to shine as beacons of Christ's light, for our students to embrace God's teachings and nurture their faith, and for our school board to lead with wisdom and discernment.

Thank you once again for your unwavering support and prayers. Together, we are making extraordinary strides toward the realization of our collective vision for Borculo Christian School.

God Bless,

Chris Sievers

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