Dear TCA Family and Friends,

The TCA Board of Directors would like to share some highlights from our September 12th Board meeting:

Celebrate TCA

We celebrated two of our students this month for their participation in summer projects. McKenna Collins, TCA North 4th grader, won first place in the national contest "Rush Revere's Interview your Elders." McKenna interviewed her Opa for the contest, and the committee was impressed with all the time, detail, and effort she put into the interview. Mikayla Taylor, 10th grader, submitted her artwork for a mural contest at Family Life Services, which provides affordable housing, counseling, and support to single moms. Her artwork won, and her mural was painted at their building this summer.

Capital Construction Update

Dave Tubb, TCA Director of Operations, updated us on the progress of Central and the Multi-Use Field. You will see significant change at the Central Campus in the next month as the concrete for the addition has been poured and the outer walls will be in place. Also, progress is moving along on the field. The fencing and backstops are up, and the turf is expected to be installed by the end of next week. There were some delays due to spring water being found, but that has been mitigated, and we anticipate the field being finished around October 4th. Stay tuned for details.

D20 Bond

As you may have heard at our Back-to-School nights, D20 will be asking voters to approve a \$230 million bond in November election. TCA's Board will be voting on a resolution next month concerning the bond issue. More details will be included in next month's highlights.

Human Resources Yearly update

Marta Schulz, Director of Human Resources, presented her annual report to the board. 2015-2016 was another great year for TCA staff, including 86% of our staff returning to their positions. This low staff turnover rate is very favorable compared to other local schools and districts.

As always, if you have any questions please feel free to contact us at talk2tcaboard@gmail.com Hope everyone has a great week as you gear up for Fall Break!

Chris Carter Board Secretary

TCA Mission Statement

The Classical Academy exists to assist parents in their mission to develop exemplary citizens, equipped with analytical thinking skills, virtuous character, and a passion for learning, all built upon a solid foundation of knowledge.