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# The Calvary Connection

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## Annual Fund's **Fun Facts**:

### True or False:

Each year, your Annual Fund contribution is used to make up the deficit, or the "gap", between your child's tuition and this school year's operating costs?

To learn more, scan:



### Answer:

**True.** Calvary relies on your philanthropic support to cover operating expenses not funded through tuition and fees. Your gift to Annual Fund supports all areas of Calvary's operations. This includes, but is not limited to, academic programs, technology enhancements, utility bills, facilities, curriculum, faculty and administration salaries, and beyond.

To Give to Calvary's Annual Fund now, visit: <https://www.calvaryschool.net/giving>, and click on "Donate".



## Welcome Back to School!

### Campus Buzzzzzz...

**Welcome back, Calvary Community! We are excited to see our students, parents, family members, and the community that supports our students!**

We are so happy to have everyone back on campus and ready to learn! We missed all the smiles and friendly faces over the summer!

This year, we hope to safely enjoy more connections by bringing back in-person events, including our annual **Dad and Donuts**. This event is scheduled for the week of October 4<sup>th</sup> and is always a big hit amongst the classrooms! Dads (or dad-friends): be on the lookout for more information about the event so you can plan to enjoy coffee, juice, donuts, and comradere with other dad and student duos.

Also on the horizon, is the kick-off to this year's Annual Fund campaign. We are asking for **your help** to reach our school goal of **100% participation!** No matter the size of the gift, your participation is what matters most! Last year, we reached ~84% participation! That is phenomenol and could not have happened without the strength and support of parents like you! The higher the parent participation is, the more eligible Calvary is to receive outside grantfunded opportunities. Stay tuned to learn more about the importance of Annual Fund...



Calvary's 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> graders, went on this year's first field trip! They went to see Beyond Van Gogh: The Immersive Experience at the Circuit of Americas. The exhibit used cutting edge projection technology to allow students to walk through the master pieces of Van Gogh set to a symphonic score.



We plan to provide a bi-monthly newsletter to our Calvary Family. If you have ideas or would like to share information that could be shared with our extended family, please send it to, [newsletter@calvaryschool.net](mailto:newsletter@calvaryschool.net).

Ask the Head of School >>>

# What brought you to Calvary Episcopal School?

## What led me to Calvary?

*My journey to Calvary has provided a strong appreciation for the connections and opportunities found on our campus. I have served in various leadership roles in both public and private education. I have seen firsthand that children become more passionate about learning when the environment facilitates feelings of being valued and respected. As a parent, I love that Calvary provides that environment, along with academic excellence and faith-based education.*

## Why do I love Calvary?

*I love Calvary as an educator and as a parent.*

*The Calvary community is like no other that I have experienced. The parent involvement and community support for the school and it's students is remarkable.*

*The Calvary teachers and educators strive to engage our children in meaningful learning. This love that our educators share in their lessons is positively reflected in our children.*



## How can I be reached?

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## Save the Date!

October 1<sup>st</sup>, 8:30AM, CAP Meeting

October 4<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>, Dads & Donuts

October 8<sup>th</sup>, School Holiday

October 11<sup>th</sup>, Staff Development / Student Holiday

October 24<sup>th</sup>, Fall Festival School Fundraiser

November 12<sup>th</sup>, GrandFriends' Day

## From the Board Room >>>

# Connecting at Calvary

*There are many ways to get involved at Calvary and we need YOU!*

*Calvary is very fortunate to have giving and involved families. There are many ways you can volunteer and help. The Calvary Association of Parents (CAP) is our parent organization that supports Calvary through Teacher Appreciation and Fundraising Events. The group meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month at 8:30AM. If you are interested in volunteering, or want to learn more about CAP, please send an email to the CAP President, [cappresident@calvaryschool.net](mailto:cappresident@calvaryschool.net).*

*This wonderful group of volunteers is at the heart of Calvary's biggest family event of the year, Fall Festival. This year's Fall Fest is scheduled for October 24<sup>th</sup> at Toro Plata Ranch. New this year will be the student archery contest & adult cornhole tournament! To learn more, visit: [www.calvaryschool.net/ff21](http://www.calvaryschool.net/ff21).*

*Other volunteer opportunities or ways to get involved include volunteering as a Classroom Parent, Classroom Annual Fund Representative, joining the Spring Fling Committee, or becoming a Board Member. All volunteerism is appreciated!*



*The Board of Trustees provided a back-to-school brunch with coffee, breakfast tacos, & giftcards to welcome back the Calvary teachers & staff in late August.*

