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## A Letter from Brooklandwood



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## Headmaster Dave Faus

As most know, Headmaster Dave Faus has departed Brooklandville to become the new Head of the Benjamin School in North Palm Beach, Florida (where, coincidentally, our former Headmaster, Tom Reid, has been serving as interim head). Dave arrived on the St. Paul's campus in July 2013 with his family: wife Holly, daughter Libby and son John, now an alumnus in the class of 2016. Dave quickly established himself as the right man at the right time for our alma mater. He and the leadership teams at SP, in conjunction with the school's trustees, crafted a new strategic plan that was made public in 2014. One of the plan's initiatives was a capital campaign for both a new upper school, as Ratcliffe Hall needed major renovations and was no longer suitable for modern educational needs; and the school's endowment, to address the growing demand for need-based financial aid and faculty salaries, benefits, and professional development.

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## Voices from the Hill

### Carim Khouzami '93

Carim Khouzami '93 was named Chief Executive Officer at the Baltimore Gas and Electric Co., an Exelon company, in December 2019. Previously, as BGE's chief financial officer, he was named an honoree for its "Best in Finance: CFO of the Year" award by Baltimore Business Journal in 2014. Carim worked at BGE's former parent company, Constellation, and was most recently at Exelon Utilities, where he had served as chief operating officer and chief financial officer. According to BGE's announcement of Carim's appointment, "he has led safety, operational, financial, and customer-focused initiatives that are contributing to Exelon's utilities setting new industry standards."



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## Remembrance of Things Past

"Mr. Wyatt reported Miss Treadway, the new matron, had entered upon her duties and so far proven satisfactory (after which) Edgar Allan Poe was elected a member of the Board to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Bernard Carter." Trustee Minutes, October 10, 1912.

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"The Headmaster also proposed that a fixed medical fee of \$10 be charged each boy, owing to the difficulty of collecting from the parents for occasional services of Dr. McCarthy. The Rector suggested that Dr. Weatherbee Fort, an alumnus of the School, would be willing to attend on request (and) that a drinking outlet be installed." Trustee Minutes, March 26, 1931

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Spring 1997: The Page, our school's student-run newspaper, wins two awards: A "First Class, with Three Marks of Distinction" in the All-American competition sponsored by the National Scholastic Press Association, and an Excellence Award from the Southern Interscholastic Press Association.

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## Alumni Association News & Events

- **Alumni Association Officers for 2020-2021:**
  - President: Eben Eck '84, P'21, P'23 P'30
  - Vice President: Skip Gibson '91, P'28 P'31
  - Treasurer: David Hughes '74
  - Secretary: Chip Woelper '91, P'21 P'26, P'28

Congratulations to Josh Scheinker '92, who has resigned the Presidency of the Alumni Association to become a trustee of The St. Paul's Schools. Josh has ably led the Association for three years and, in partnership with the SP Parents' Association, has guided the Brooklandwood Bash to new heights over the past few years.

- **Fall Events:** Events scheduled for Fall 2020 have been canceled or postponed due to COVID-19 public health restrictions.
- **The "St. Paul's Stories" podcast:** Available wherever you get your podcasts. Listen as host Charley Mitchell talks with recent guests John Pforr '56 about his career in the U.S. Secret Service and Braxton Mitchell '74 about his work as an epidemiologist studying the genetics of complex diseases and how he sees the threat of COVID-19.

### Spring 2021

- **50th Annual Brooklandwood Bash:** Details to be decided.
- **Crusader Cup Golf Tournament:** Thursday, April 29, 2021, at Hillendale Country Club
- **Blue-Gold Reunion Weekend:** Friday/Saturday, April 30-May 1, 2021
  - On-campus (class dinners Saturday, May 1), celebrating class years ending in 0, 5, 1 & 6
- **7th Annual Laker-Crusader Challenge (vs. Boys' Latin):** May 2021
- **Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony:** TBD

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## Get Involved

Contact the Alumni Office...

- to get involved in Alumni Association activities and events
- with nominations for the Alumni Association Board of Directors and 2021 Alumni Award candidate
- with your professional/personal news, for Class Notes

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## In Memoriam

Joseph J. Woodward '53 (February 2020)

John H. Wilson '64 (March 2020)

Alexander M. Fisher '58 (April 2020)

George I. Jones '58 (April 2020)

Kent C. Hoffman '66 (May 2020)

George D. Rowe '43 (May 2020)

Thomas B. Shettle '54 (May 2020)

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