



SAGE RIDGE
SCHOOL

IMPACT REPORT | 2019 - 2020

“Sage Ridge faculty give me the opportunity to grow both as a student and person, even during these challenging times where we face uncharted territory. The SRS experience kept up high academic standards during our time away from school, and encouraged students to explore outside of academics and find their passions. Sage Ridge has created an inspiring place for me to thrive and cultivate my curiosity.”

— Leila Moassessi ('21)



This Page: Grade 4 students enthusiastically participate in class. **Cover:** Griffin Lovato ('21) and Dr. David Roth hang a picture at the Village on Sage Street, a low income housing program, during the first annual All School Community Service Day.



OUR MISSION:
Sage Ridge School
graduates curious
and confident
citizens who embrace
rigorous scholarship,
respect the dignity of
individuals, choose
integrity, embody
courage, cultivate
a compassionate
community, and
ultimately thrive in
college and in our
global society.

NOTE FROM THE HEAD

Greetings Sage Ridge Families and Friends:

This has been truly an interesting year - one that pushed challenges to new heights. It was a year that demanded we demonstrate courage in the way Hemingway defined it - “grace under pressure.” More than ever, our Pillars provided both the foundation and vision for success.

Sage Ridge has proven that Northern Nevada needs a strong independent school that champions liberal arts and sciences and sets up graduates to succeed at top universities and in careers that are making a difference around the world. We are proud to be considered one of the top 1% schools on the esteemed Challenge Index which ranks over 22,000 high schools nationwide. Our graduates were awarded over \$3M in aggregate aid this year.

Our Pillars and mission push well beyond academic excellence. We challenge our students to pursue excellence in the arts and athletics and deepen their commitment to service and community. Our faculty works collaboratively to ensure that we weave our Pillars through our entire curriculum from our inaugural Grade 3 (completing our Lower School) through graduation to provide a comprehensive learning journey. Sage Ridge is working on the leading edge of education through partnering with the prestigious NAIS Strategy Lab and Stanford affiliated Challenge Success.

All our work is supported by our community and the trust our families place in us. We are continually grateful for the unwavering commitment of our board, faculty and staff and for the generous support of our donors and volunteers. This became especially important as we addressed the challenges of the pandemic. Truman claimed, “America was not built on fear. America was built on courage, on imagination and unbeatable determination to do the job at hand.” Sage Ridge has shown it has the unbeatable determination to serve our community with excellence.

With gratitude,

Tobin S. Bechtel
Head of School

CLIMBING TO NEW HEIGHTS OF INNOVATION

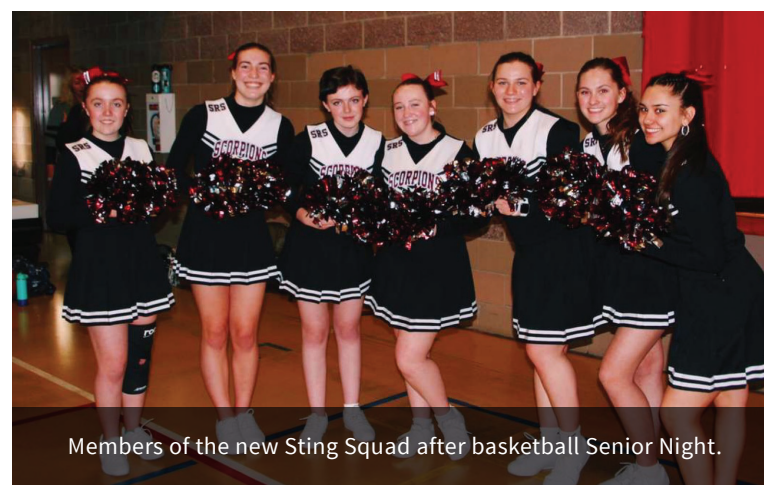
During the 2019-2020 school year, Sage Ridge School deepened its commitment to cultivating tomorrow's leaders and demonstrated agility in an ever-changing environment. Despite challenges faced as the COVID-19 pandemic spread, Sage Ridge School never wavered in keeping standards high on the journey to prepare students for success in college and life.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2019-2020

- Inaugural Grade 3 (pg. 6)
- Mindful SEAD Social-Emotional Learning Curriculum Implemented
- Varsity Boys Basketball and Varsity Boys Ski Team were NIAA State Academic Team Champions (pg. 8)
- Two New Parent Education Events for the Reno Community
- New Music, Computer Science, and Media Arts Classes Added
- New Sting Squad (inset)
- First Northern Nevada School to Compete in the American Computer Science League
- Latin Students Ranked Nationally in Exams Again
- Two New Outdoor Education Trips (pg. 7)
- First Annual All School Service Day (pg. 10)
- South Sudan Well Completed (opposite page)
- Parent Book Clubs Continued Virtually
- Scorpion School Distance Learning Program (pg. 12)
- Over \$70,000 Raised for the Community Education Emergency Fund (CEEF) (pg. 12)
- Class of 2020 was Awarded \$3M in Aggregate Scholarship/Merit Aid (pgs. 14-15)
- Carla Ramazan ('17) was awarded a Truman Scholarship (pg. 16)

The entire Sage Ridge School community has exemplified fervent dedication to continual improvement and adapted to virtual learning with ease while maintaining stability. Sage Ridge School moves into the 2020-2021 school year with excitement to implement all that has been learned.

- Flexible In-Person and Virtual Learning Options
- Two Additional Updated Classrooms and Sun Shades for Outdoor Classrooms
- Expansion of our Award-Winning Music Program
- New Software Engineering Course
- 3 New Faculty Members in Visual Art, Chemistry, and Theatre
- 30+ New Students



Members of the new Sting Squad after basketball Senior Night.



WELL COMPLETED IN SOUTH SUDAN

After three years of passionate fundraising by grade 4 students, a freshwater well was completed in the village of Rum-mouth in Apuk North County, Gogrial State, South Sudan on January 31, 2020. Students in the classes of 2025-2027 diligently raised \$18,000 to make this life-changing project possible after reading *A Long Walk to Water* by Linda Sue Park.

WELCOMING THE NEW

Our new initiatives and developments further solidified our commitment to providing the strongest college preparatory experience for the Reno area.

INAUGURAL GRADE 3

Sage Ridge launched the school's inaugural Grade 3 with seventeen enthusiastic students. A team of administrators and faculty worked closely with our new Grade 3 teacher, Mrs. Vanelda Bratt, to develop a curriculum that reflects the school's signature experiences. As with all of our grade levels, the Grade 3 curriculum nurtures curiosity and intellect, stimulates the development of character, encourages critical thinking, and celebrates a passion for learning. Sage Ridge is proud of all the ways these youngest students quickly began mastering their studies and contributing to the school in countless ways.

Sage Ridge has been expanding lower grades over time. This addition of Grade 3 completes the Lower School as a Grade 3-5 entity. Grades 4 and 5 were added in 2016 and 2005, respectively. Our Middle School consists of Grades 6-8 and the Upper School is represented by Grades 9-12.



Mrs. Vanelda Bratt and grade 3 students pose with Spike the Scorpion on the first day of school.



Novella Segrest ('29) participating in a classroom activity with her grandfather during Gather at Sage Ridge School.



GATHERING WITH OUR COMMUNITY

On November 6, 2019 Sage Ridge School welcomed both grandparents and veterans on campus for a full-day event of gratitude and celebration. In this new combination of traditions, the school hosted grandparents on campus in the morning with performances, breakfast, class activities, and tours. In the afternoon, veterans joined students on campus for speeches about the past, present and future of the military and were honored for their service. Through exposure to different perspectives, walks of life, and career choices, students were encouraged to embrace and celebrate both ancestry and service.

NEW GRADE 12 OUTDOOR EDUCATION TRIP

In October 2019 a new senior Outdoor Education trip was launched to Lassen Volcanic National Park in Northern California. The senior class explored sulfur pools, hiked Lassen Peak, and had a campfire each night. Grade 10 also ventured out on a new trip this year which took them whitewater rafting down the American River. Outdoor Education week is a pivotal moment each year for every student in every grade that builds long-term community, resiliency, and an appreciation for the natural world in our students.



BUILDING CONFIDENT LEADERS

Participation in both the Arts and Athletics inspires students to practice courage through self expression. Students at Sage Ridge are not afraid of the hard work required to drive their success in these rewarding extracurricular opportunities.

EXPANDING HORIZONS THROUGH THE ARTS

Last fall, the Sage Ridge theatre program put on the musical *Matilda*, based on the book by Roald Dahl. Traditionally, the plays and musicals are performed by students from grades 6 through 12. *Matilda* provided a unique opportunity. Since the play employs so many young characters, students from grade 5 joined in as well. This was a very special production with actors making close friendships and connections across all grade levels!

With the arrival of our new music teacher, Dominic Vitale, our music program received new creative energy and was awarded the Support Music Merit Award by the NAMM Foundation. Guitar playing has become an inspiring outlet for students as music theory, sound recording, and sight-reading have all been incorporated into the curriculum.

“Music education is a big part of the unique student experience at Sage Ridge. Mr. Vitale’s lessons inspire creativity and collaboration. We study music across many eras and genres, learning cultural literacy while having a great time. Music at Sage Ridge has been an amazing experience.” — Robert Schader (‘25)



Colin Dyson (‘25) enjoying learning guitar in our revitalized music program.



Leila Moassessi (‘21), two-time State 1A/2A Girls Golf Champion, on the course preparing for her next putt.



GROWTH IN ATHLETICS REWARDED WITH NEW ACHIEVEMENTS

Despite a truncated spring season, Sage Ridge remains committed to excellence in athletics, just as it is committed to excellence in all key elements of education which address the whole student. Sage Ridge strongly supports the development of scholar athletes. We are proud to have received multiple Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association (NIAA) State All-Academic Team awards and have sent multiple graduates on scholarship to compete in D1 universities. Our teams are continually becoming more competitive and our coaches are building programs that are being noticed across the NIAA and TAH-NEVA leagues. Most importantly, our scholar athletes compete with integrity, courage, and respect.



2019-2020 ATHLETIC HIGHLIGHTS:

- The Boys Varsity Basketball Team made it to the NIAA 1A West/Central Regional Semi-Finals for the first time in SRS history.
- Leila Moassessi ('21) became two-time defending NIAA Nevada State 1/1-2/A Girls Golf Champion.
- Two of our female athletes were featured in the Reno Gazette-Journal.
- Maddy Lewis ('20) went on to swim D1 for Southern Methodist University.
- The Ski Team earned 2nd and 3rd place rankings in the 2020 NIAA 4A State Ski Racing Championships.
- The Grade 7 Girls Basketball Team won the league with an undefeated season.
- The Grade 8 Girls Basketball Team was the 2019 TAH-NEVA Regional Tournament Consolation champion.

Nate Mulvaney ('21) driving the ball down the court during a varsity game.

PUTTING CURRICULUM INTO ACTION

Through community service, Sage Ridge students apply knowledge and grow as citizens of the world. Service is woven throughout all grade levels, and is an integral requirement for graduation. Community partnerships, paired with our growing Innovation Lab, expand opportunities for student growth and exploration.

FIRST ANNUAL ALL SCHOOL SERVICE DAY

On February 5, 2020, Sage Ridge School organized the first annual All School Community Service Day. Every student in grades 3-12 set aside classroom learning for the day and served the community in some way. On campus service projects included making toys for shelter animals, organizing food donations, folding paper cranes, creating marketing for a can drive, assembling packs of school supplies for local kids, modifying an electric car for a child with disabilities, and creating thank you cards for armed services personnel. Most students in grades 8-12 traveled off campus to volunteer with grade 1 buddies, assist elderly seniors with technology, clear invasive species, prep meal packs, organize thrift store inventory, plant gardens, and paint low income housing. It was an impactful start to a wonderful new tradition that continues to lay the groundwork for cultivating students who embrace a life of service to others.



Brayden Uppal ('24) and his first grade buddy from Bernice Mathews Elementary School.



The Go Baby Go team modified an electric car for a young girl with mobility issues this year.



INNOVATION LAB EXPANSION

Over the summer of 2019, the Innovation Lab - generously sponsored by The Edwin L. Wiegand Trust - was moved to a larger space allowing all robotics and innovation equipment to be consolidated. This brings us closer to a true makerspace designed and dedicated to hands-on student creativity, an essential element in our 21st century technology curriculum. Last winter, the school received an additional grant from the E.L. Wiegand Foundation for faculty professional development in the use of innovative technology. In addition, teachers consistently incorporate equipment and software available in the Innovation lab into lesson plans across subject areas and grade levels.

By applying their understanding of the engineering design process and various technological skills, a team of students modified an electric ride-on car for a child with physical disabilities. Through Go Baby Go - a national program to modify cars for these special missions - and in partnership with Renown Hospital, our students were able to provide a young, local girl with a solution to her mobility issues that will build a strong foundation for brain development.

SERVICE DAY PARTNERING ORGANIZATIONS

Sage Ridge School was proud to serve with the following organizations during our first annual All School Community Service Day:

- 1000 Cranes for Hope
- Bernice Mathews Elementary School
- CANstruction
- Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada
- Go Baby Go project for Renown Hospital
- Food Bank of Northern Nevada
- SPCA of Northern Nevada
- Reno Senior Living at Sky Peaks
- Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation
- Urban Roots Garden
- Village on Sage Street recently funded by the Community Foundation



Upper School students at the river cleanup with Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation.

OUR COVID-19 RESPONSE

On the day before the March Spring Break, students were instructed to take all their belongings home “just in case.” Over the course of Spring Break, the state of Nevada closed all schools. In response, Sage Ridge launched Scorpion School, a virtual distance learning program that served students through the end of the school year.

SCORPION SCHOOL

Sage Ridge School regarded the campus closure as a call to innovate and expand, rather than an excuse to forgo our mission. In a quick pivot, teachers recreated their curriculum in a virtual environment and Scorpion School was launched. Scorpion School served all students through live online classes and other digital platforms in a robust and engaging program. Student learning continued and a sense of community was sustained through this difficult time of social distancing. The program’s success was an incredible tribute to the steadfast dedication of the Sage Ridge faculty and staff to uphold the learning standards of our curriculum despite any challenges faced. The new aptitudes and pedagogy discovered during this time will continue to enrich our programs as we evolve.



Community meetings continued during distance learning in webinar format, led by 2019-2020 student body president, Elena Albregts ('20).



Mrs. Mariano and Mrs. Kiely at the grade 8 sidewalk sendoff event post virtual promotion.



COMMUNITY EMERGENCY EDUCATION FUND (CEEFF)

In May, the Community Emergency Education Fund (CEEFF) was created by the families of Sage Ridge School to help other families in our community who were affected by income loss due to COVID-19. These funds were then distributed to current families via an application process to assist with tuition and other school-related costs in order to help students remain at Sage Ridge School during this unprecedented time. With a generous \$30,000 match, our community raised over \$70,000 for this temporary fund.

SCORPION SCHOOL REFLECTIONS

“My first day of Scorpion School was awesome...**Whenever I needed support or had a question, the teachers replied within minutes, which made it easier to understand the content we were learning.**”

— Hayley Burns ('26)

“Although some of our community went into Scorpion School with nervous thoughts, the transition has been made very well.

Students across grade levels had positive attitudes, even with the disruption that COVID-19 brought to our school.”

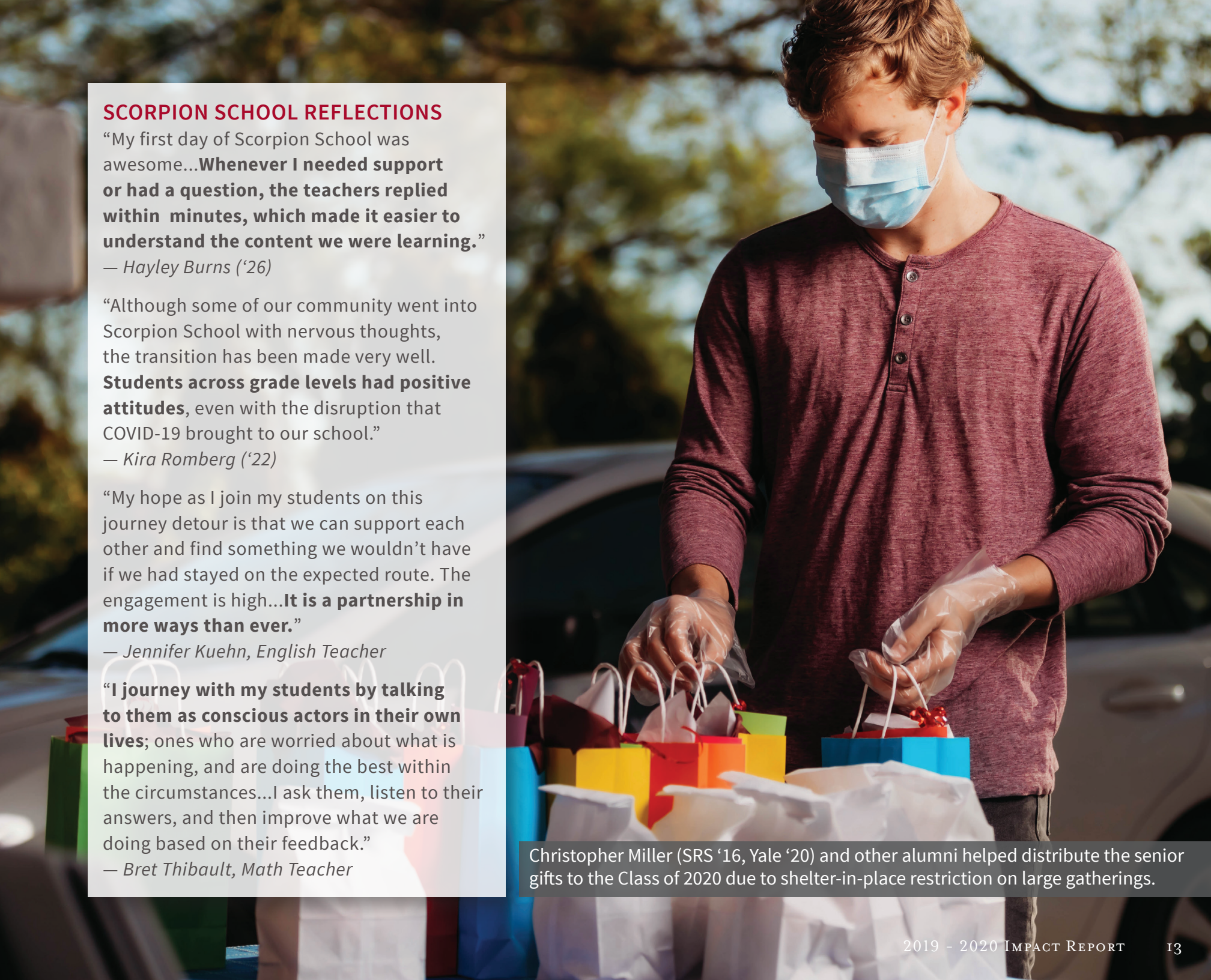
— Kira Romberg ('22)

“My hope as I join my students on this journey detour is that we can support each other and find something we wouldn't have if we had stayed on the expected route. The engagement is high...**It is a partnership in more ways than ever.**”

— Jennifer Kuehn, English Teacher

“I journey with my students by talking to them as conscious actors in their own lives; ones who are worried about what is happening, and are doing the best within the circumstances...I ask them, listen to their answers, and then improve what we are doing based on their feedback.”

— Bret Thibault, Math Teacher



Christopher Miller (SRS '16, Yale '20) and other alumni helped distribute the senior gifts to the Class of 2020 due to shelter-in-place restriction on large gatherings.

SAGE RIDGE SCHOOL



Elena Albregts^{††}
University of California,
Santa Barbara

Thesis: Anorexia Nervosa is
Contagious as a Cold

Office: President/Prefecture

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Sophie Bell
Lewis & Clark College

Thesis: n/a

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Siena Hall^{††}
United States
Naval Academy

Thesis: Hannibal Barca:
A Lesson in Bold, Brilliant
Leadership

Office: Prefecture

Enrolled at SRS Since 2014



Colin Klein^{††}
Boston College

Thesis: *Terrorangriff*: The
Fact and Fiction of Second
World War Bombing

Office: Class Representative/
Honor Council Chair

Enrolled at SRS Since 2017



Madeleine Lewis^{††}
Southern Methodist
University (Honors Program)

Thesis: Doping: A Backstage
Chemical Competition

Office: Vice President/
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Ruo Yu Catlin Liu[†]
University of California,
San Diego

Thesis: Psychopathy and
Childhood Trauma:
A Recipe for Murder?

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Jessenia Lopez Garcia
Truckee Meadows
Community College

Thesis: Undocumented
Immigrants

Enrolled at SRS Since 2016



Sophia Moreno
Truckee Meadows
Community College

Thesis: Media Takeover: How
the Media Affects Body Image

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Varun Pandit[†]
University of Nevada,
Reno (Honors Program)

Thesis: The Role and
Potential of Artificial
Intelligence in Healthcare

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Cade Rombardo^{††}
Louisiana State University

Thesis: Measuring
Monopolies' Power in the
New Gilded Age

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CLASS OF 2020



Aryan Shukla ^{††}
University of
Southern California

Thesis: Separate but Unified:
An Analysis of the Christian
Right's Influence on Public
Policy Since the Reagan Era

Office: Prefecture

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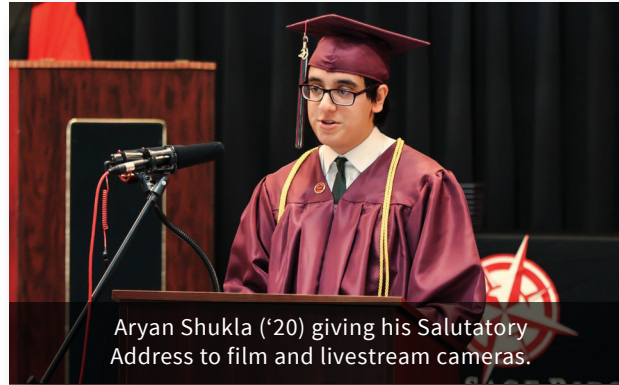


Max Sierzenski ^{††}
University of Delaware
(Honors Program)

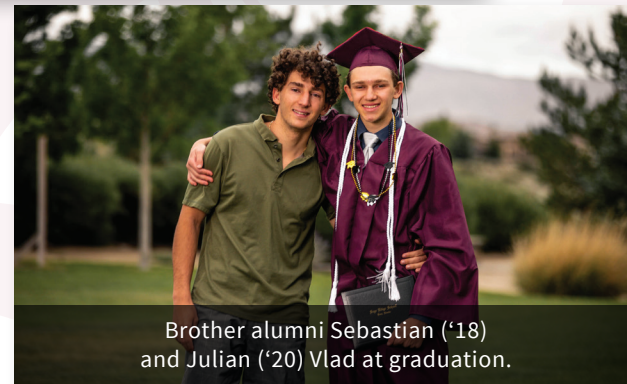
Thesis: Digitized
Technology: A Strong and
Stable Connection Between
the Patient and Healthcare
Provider

Office: Class Representative/
Honor Council

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Aryan Shukla ('20) giving his Salutatory
Address to film and livestream cameras.



Brother alumni Sebastian ('18)
and Julian ('20) Vlad at graduation.



Luxin Sun ^{††}
Gap Year

Thesis: The Language
Situation in Latvia

Enrolled at SRS Since 2018



Julian Vlad [†]
Chapman University

Thesis: Discovering the True
Potential of Cartoons

Enrolled at SRS Since 2013



Maddy Lewis ('20) smiles for the camera
after receiving her diploma during our
livestreamed, physically distanced graduation.

[†]Honors Diploma ^{††}High Honors Diploma

**Senior internships were unfortunately cancelled due to COVID-19.*

ESTABLISHING THE LEGACY OF SAGE RIDGE ALUMNI

Sage Ridge alumni are dynamic leaders who impact the world with their strong character and sharp minds. We are proud of the ways they have taken their education and created innovative change.

ON HER WAY TO IMPACT PUBLIC HEALTH

Last spring, Carla Ramazan ('17) received the Truman Scholarship while studying political science and Spanish at the University of Texas-Dallas. Passionate about reproductive health and public policy, Carla will graduate in 2021 and then pursue graduate studies with the support of the Truman Scholarship. She plans to complete a masters degree in public policy abroad and then return to the United States to attend law school, with the end goal of running for office. She is on her way to great things, and we are so proud. Congratulations, Carla!

“My SRS education has played a role in my academic success in college and even in winning the Truman. Teachers like Dr. McGann and Mr. Sloyan worked wonders in terms of improving my writing skills, and I have no doubt that my Truman application stood out because of what they taught me.”

— Carla Ramazan ('17)

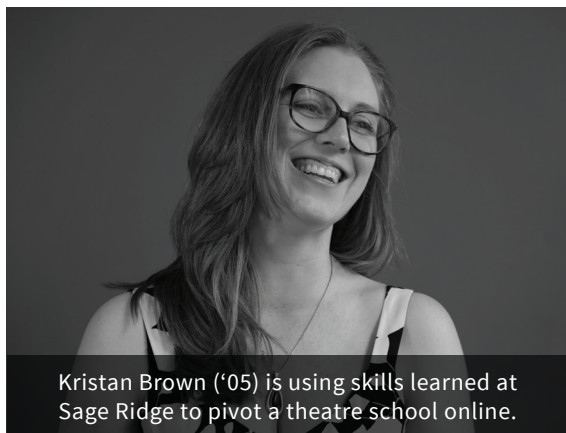


Carla Ramazan (SRS '17 and University of Texas-Dallas '21) is one to watch in the future political arena.

PIVOTING INTO UNCHARTED TERRITORY

Rigorous acting training is not typically conducted online, but in the middle of a global pandemic that is exactly what Kristan Brown ('05) has been implementing for the Terry Knickerbocker Studio in Brooklyn, New York. Relying on flexibility and agility, the studio has not lost a single student and a sense of community is winning out despite all odds. Kristan credits Sage Ridge School with teaching her to be an avid researcher and to engage with curiosity, both essential skills to her work right now.

Kristan remembers the early days of Sage Ridge as being permeated by a start-up culture of cooperative creation. After graduating from Sage Ridge School, Kristan attended Whitman College and then earned an MFA in Acting from Rutgers. Next, she moved to New York City where she started a theatre company and eventually found her way into studio management. Despite current challenges, Kristan is finding fulfillment in helping others have a creative training experience and supportive transition into professional acting careers.



Kristan Brown ('05) is using skills learned at Sage Ridge to pivot a theatre school online.

2019-2020 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our Board of Trustees is a dedicated group of professionals who volunteer their time to guide the overall direction and future for Sage Ridge School.

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“The empathy, solidarity, and maturity that we’ve developed as such a small class has instilled in us so many characteristics that will be key to success as we go on to college, our careers, and beyond.”

— *Aryan Shukla ('20)*

2019-2020 FISCAL YEAR IN REVIEW

Strong financial management is essential to the long-term success of our not-for-profit school. Sage Ridge School remains debt-free and dedicated to sustainable growth.

STUDENT ENROLLMENT

232 students were enrolled for the 2019-2020 school year

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Financial Aid: 47 students supported

Sage Ridge Scholars: 5 scholars supported

Total Assistance Awarded = \$623,840

OPERATING BUDGET

Total Revenue \$5,305,369

Total Expenses \$5,097,927

FUNDRAISING TOTALS

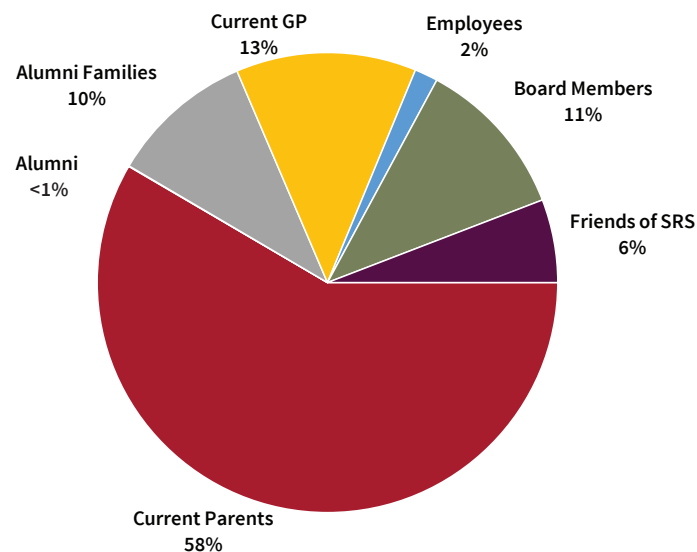
Annual Fund = \$194,358

Opportunity Fund = \$74,450

Restricted Funds = \$202,260

CEEF = in excess of \$70,000

GIVING BY CONSTITUENTS



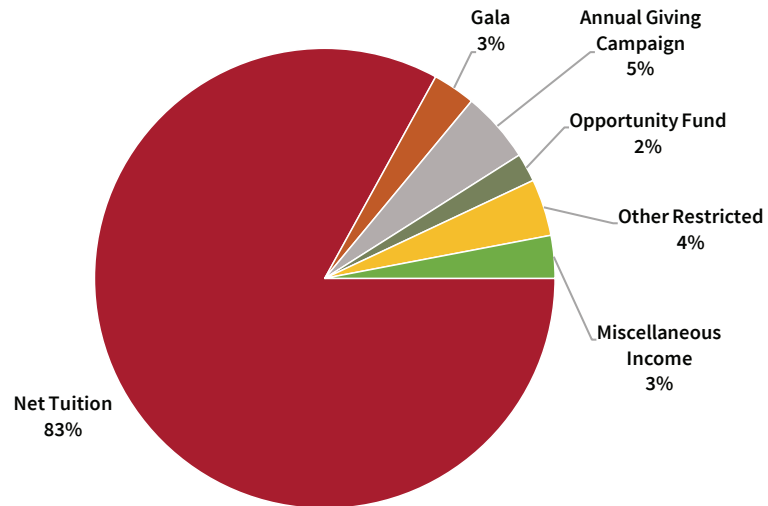
100% of the Sage Ridge School employees and board members donated showing their commitment to the school and its mission.

YEAR ENDING 6/30/20

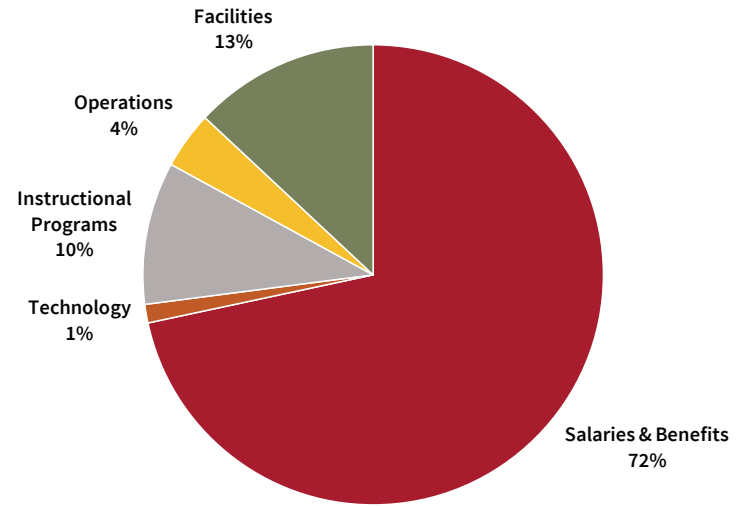


2019-2020 FISCAL YEAR IN REVIEW

REVENUE



EXPENSES



YEAR ENDING 6/30/20



DONOR RECOGNITION

Your generosity allows Sage Ridge School to grow, innovate, and inspire the next generation of leaders in our world. Our mission is fueled by gratitude for the supporters that enable us to continue to provide and expand enriching education in the Reno-Tahoe region.

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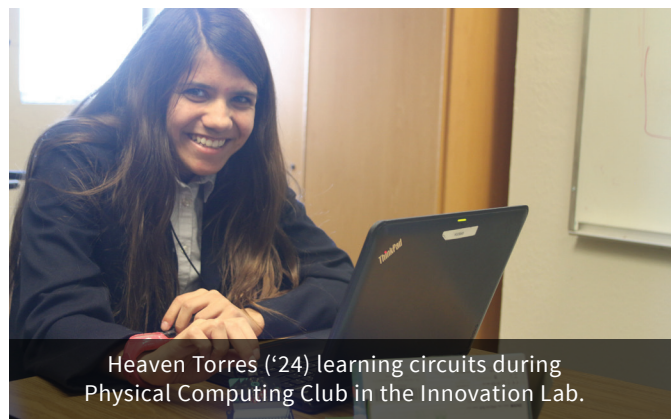
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