



Unlocking Potential

IMPACT REPORT | 2023-2024

Dear Friends,

As I reflect on the 2023-2024 academic year, it is evident that our journey has been one of both peaks and valleys—a landscape of progress, accomplishments, and resilience. As a community, we celebrated milestones that strengthened our mission, and as a community, we navigated a deep loss.

This academic year, we celebrated a record-breaking enrollment of 180 students. These young scholars embody the core values of The Neighborhood Academy and bring a remarkable eagerness to learn, excel, and prepare for college and beyond with determination and purpose. If you've seen the new "Wicked" movie, you may have heard the line: "Unlimited... *their* futures are unlimited." This perfectly summarizes the journeys of TNA students and alumni.



Among our most memorable moments was the return of the Paul and Nancy O'Neill Speaker Series. This biennial event brought us the inspiring story of Anthony Ray Hinton Jr., whose messages of resilience and grace left an indelible mark on all who attended. 'Resilience' and 'grace' are both values that resonate deeply within our community, making his story even more impactful.

Through the strategic vision of our Board of Directors, we realized our plans to expand our middle school. Building on the success of our boys' middle school program, we welcomed our first cohort of middle school girls - a transformative step for TNA.

Our mission was further affirmed this year through the Pennsylvania Association of Independent Schools, which awarded TNA a 10-year full-scale accreditation after a rigorous evaluation across 26 standards. This recognition is a testament to the exceptional work of our faculty, staff, and leadership in maintaining excellence in every aspect of our school.

Descending into a valley, we experienced the profound sorrow of losing our beloved co-founder, Reverend Thomas E. Johnson Jr. Reverend Tom's vision and tenacity, alongside Josephine B. Moore, laid the foundation for all The Neighborhood Academy has achieved. I, personally, had the distinct honor of beginning my career under his guidance, and his lessons on leadership continue to inspire me today. He believed deeply in the power of community

and the responsibility we share to create a better world for those who follow. While we mourn his physical absence, his legacy lives on in every corner of TNA – from the values we uphold to the lives we transform.

Our 25th academic year is right around the corner! We celebrate the ongoing impact of TNA on Pittsburgh's most deserving youth—students who will become the leaders of tomorrow. Our mission remains steadfast: 100% of our seniors are admitted to college, 81% of our alumni graduate within five years, and more than 90% return to Pittsburgh to contribute meaningfully to our region's workforce.

Thank you for your continued support of The Neighborhood Academy. Together, we are ensuring that our students' wildest dreams become a reality, and together, we are honoring the legacy of those who built this incredible institution. As we move forward, we remain committed to making a profound difference in the lives of our students and our community.

With gratitude and hope,

Anthony P. Williams, Ed.D.
Head of School
The Neighborhood Academy





Greetings to the entire TNA community,

As the Board Chair at The Neighborhood Academy, it is always my pleasure to bring you, our community, up to speed on what is happening at our school. I know that I am privileged to be able to see the behind the scenes working on a consistent basis and feel fully confident that the growth I shared with you last year is continuing at a fantastic pace. The Middle School for Girls is continuing to fill as we matriculated our 6th grade girls to 7th grade and filled the 6th grade again with great demand. This demand is confirmation that we made the right decision by embarking on two middle school programs, one for boys and one for girls, to serve more students. It will be very exciting next year when we have the middle schools fully filled and an anticipated highest enrollment ever at the school.

One of the biggest accomplishments from an operations standpoint is that the school went through the second Pennsylvania Association of Independent Schools (PAIS) accreditation process in its history. I was unaware of how much work goes into this

exercise, and that only makes me more impressed that the school received full accreditation with a raving report from the visiting committee that reviewed us. This was an “all hands on deck” process led by Dr. Williams and his team, with input from all sectors (Board, faculty, staff). What I saw was that whenever someone was asked to take on a role, they did so diligently and with a pride that can only come from the culture of success that has been built over 20+ years.

As I hope you are already aware, we have embarked on a capital campaign. This is in line with our amazing growth and will enable us to improve and increase our academic and athletic facilities, provide increased support for our students and graduates, and support the wonderful faculty and staff that is so critical to the past and future success of our school. There will be more details shared in this annual report, but please know that the entire Board and school community is excited and fully supportive of this endeavor and the growth it will provide to TNA.










In closing, I want to thank each and every one of you for your continued support. A community like ours cannot be built without buy-in and commitment from countless stakeholders. My role allows me to see this in depth: from the dedicated faculty and staff to the students and their families, from the administration that coordinates it all to the Board that is fully committed to our mission, and finally our supporters, donors, and volunteers. Please know that every effort, large and small, has impacted our arrival to this point and will propel us to even greater success in the future.



H. Edwin Haller, IV, *Chairman, Board of Directors*



Success & Outcomes

-  **16:1** Student-teacher ratio
-  **Extended** school day
-  **Networking** and internship programs
-  Enhanced **STEM** curriculum
-  Co-curricular after-school **arts** and **athletics**
-  **Mandatory** individual and group counseling
-  **30+** college visits by the time a student graduates
-  **College-prep** curriculum
-  Engaging **summer** programming



100% of all students graduate on time and are **accepted to college**



16% of alumni have or are pursuing an **advanced degree**



Over **20 Student Life Activities**



17,841 hours of counseling



68 partnerships boosting offerings in our academics, arts, athletics, counseling, and more.



95% daily attendance average



180 students from **34 zip codes** served year-round

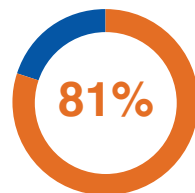


95% of graduates receive scholarships and financial aid, totaling more than **\$800,000** annually

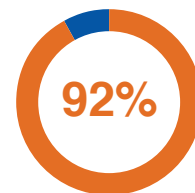


69% of the entire school test at or **above benchmark in Math**

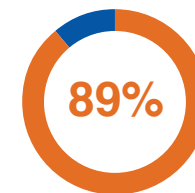
Our Alumni



earn their **degree within five years or less**, exceeding the 16% national average of low-income students



choose to **remain or return to Pittsburgh** after college



are in **careers relevant** to their **degree**



Our Mission

The **Neighborhood Academy (TNA)** is a **faith-based, college preparatory, independent Middle and High School** whose mission is to **break the cycle of generational poverty by empowering youth and preparing them for college and citizenship.**

History

The history of the school begins in 1993, when co-founder Jodie Moore began working with at-risk adolescents in Larimer, then, and now, one of Pittsburgh's most desolate and underserved neighborhoods. What was then known as the Larimer Avenue Youth Club evolved into a nine-year summer skill-building program for at-risk 7th through 11th graders, run by The Reverend Tom Johnson in the basement of Allegheny

United Church of Christ. Ms. Moore and Reverend Johnson, who met at the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, quickly realized that the psychosocial burdens of poverty weighed heavily on these students and impeded learning. They believed that if these young people could be immersed year-round in a caring environment with high expectations, they could become highly educated young people with the potential to lead fulfilling lives.

With generous support from pioneering community members, this vision evolved into The Neighborhood Academy.

The college preparatory school opened its doors to its first class of 8th and 9th graders in September 2001 and has since grown to 180 students in grades 6 through 12. In 2011, the school moved to its new home at 709 N. Aiken Avenue in Pittsburgh's Stanton Heights neighborhood.



Bulldogs Make History in WPIAL Championship

For the first time in TNA history, the Bulldogs played in the **WPIAL Class 1A Boys Basketball Championship** at the Petersen Events Center on February 29, 2024. The playoff run also marked the first time in school history that the Bulldogs advanced to the second round in a state tournament.



Andiamo!

During spring break, 48 members of the TNA community embarked on an unforgettable journey through Athens, Delphi, Rome, Venice, and Florence—destinations many only dream of visiting. From exploring the historic Parthenon in Greece to gliding through the canals of Venice on gondolas, every moment was filled with discovery. International travel offers invaluable opportunities to expand perspectives, immerse in diverse cultures, and create lifelong memories. And the adventure doesn't stop here—we're already setting our sights on Japan in 2026!



Unlocking Potential THROUGH ACTIVITIES

Acting/Theater
Arts Excursions Club
Athletics Management
Black Culture Club
Bowling
Boys Basketball
Ceramics
Cheerleading
Chess
Coding
Comic Book Design
Cross Country
Cycling
Football
Girls Basketball
Glass Blowing
Golf
Hip Hop Dance
Indoor Track
Jewelry Making
Outdoor Adventure Club
Painting
Performing Arts Club
Spoken Word
Students In Action Club
Visual Arts
Volleyball
Wrestling



Athletic Achievements

FOOTBALL

Carter named WPIAL Allegheny Six Conference First Team All-Section Defensive Back and Wide Receiver
Devin named KDKA Sports Super 7 and Tribune Review Athlete of the Week (Week 3)

2024 Allegheny South League Champions

Darrin named All-section Running Back and Kick Returner

Eric named 2nd team all-section defensive back



VOLLEYBALL

Carys named Post-Gazette Volleyball WPIAL All-Section 5 First Team selection

Neyla named Post-Gazette Volleyball WPIAL All-Section

5 Second Team selection

Abigail named 2024 Lady Bulldog Volleyball Jam All-Tournament Team

CROSS COUNTRY

Boys Cross Country finished dual meet season 6-2

Girls Cross Country finished dual meet season 7-1

John won the Middle School SWPAA Individual Cross Country Championship

GOLF

Adia and Cameron qualified for the WPIAL Golf Championships



BOWLING

Girls Bowling won the team SWPAA Championship

Adia won the individual championship at the SWPAA Championships



BOYS BASKETBALL

Bulldogs advance to the WPIAL Championships

Courtney and Shamar named to the Post-Gazette's All-Section team

Courtney named KDKA and Post-Gazette Class A Player of the Year

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Jasmyne earned AJ Palumbo All-tournament team

Cierra and Aamira selected SWPAA All-league

INDOOR TRACK & FIELD

Records broken:

Girls Long Jump - Jalise

Girls 200m - Jalise

Boys 60m dash - DeJuan

Boys 200m dash - Tarik

Boys 400m dash - Chase

Boys 4x200m - Chase, Darrin, Delon, DeJuan



WRESTLING

Ziyon was named Mat Madness

121lb Champion (Middle School)

High School Wrestling dual meet record 4-2

Jordan 121 lb. WPIAL Northern Sectional medalist, WPIAL Championship Qualifier (High School)



OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

Middle School team named SWPAA 2024 Track and Field Champions

DeJuan named WPIAL Class AA 100m Champion



 The Neighborhood Academy

The Nancy and Paul O'Neill Speaker Series

presenting...

DR. TERERAI TRENT

Author of

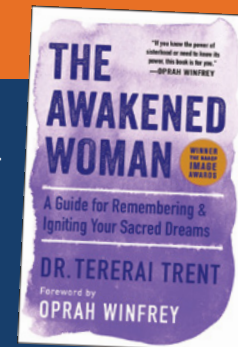
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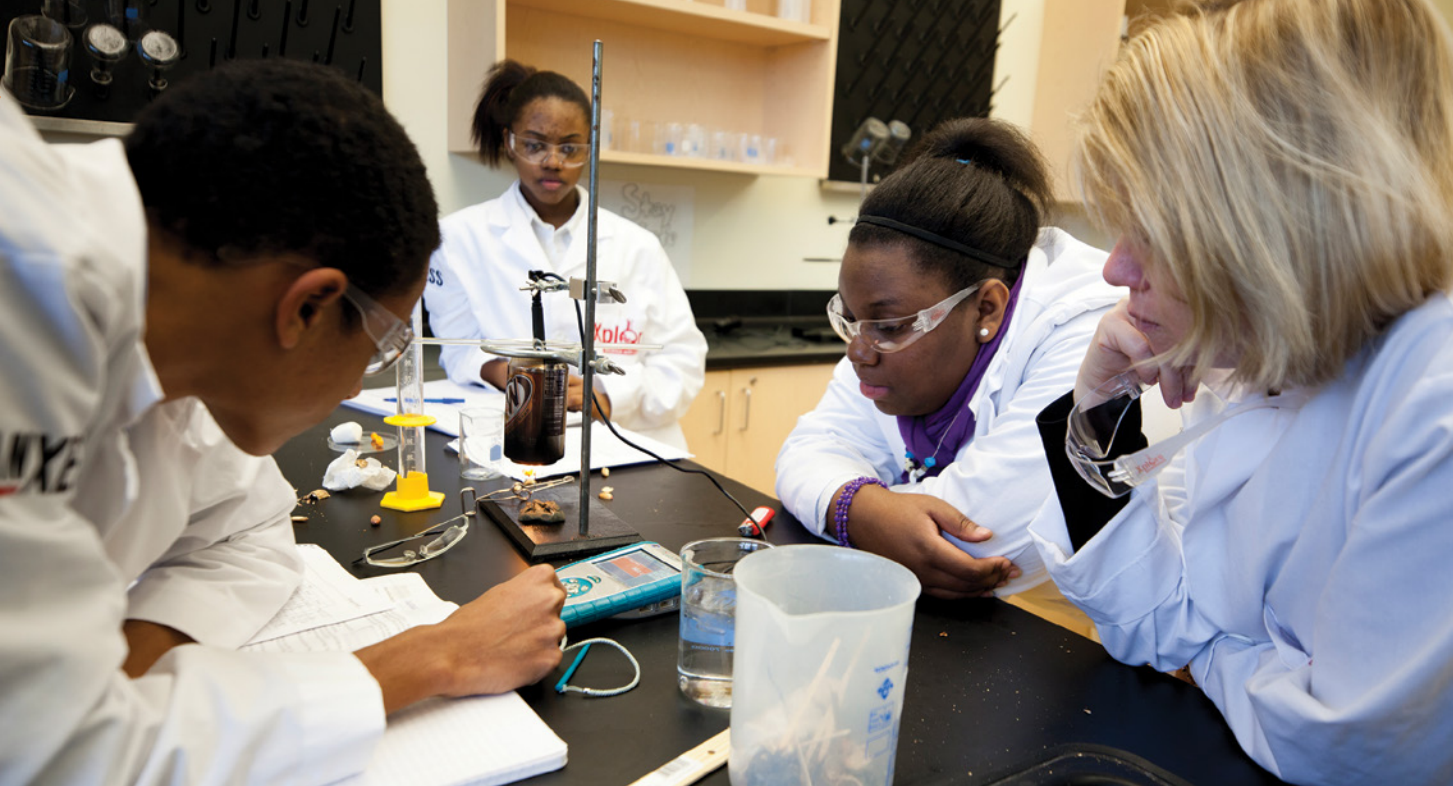
Wednesday, October 8, 2025 | 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Featuring Dr. Tererai Trent – one of the world's most acclaimed voices for women's empowerment and quality education. Distinguished as Oprah Winfrey's "All-Time Favorite Guest," Dr. Trent is an inspiring scholar, educator, humanitarian, motivational speaker, author, and the founder of Tererai Trent International, also known as the Tinogona Foundation.

Tickets available at theneighborhoodacademy.org





The Future is Female!

Since spring of 2021, **PPG** and the **PPG Foundation's** support of the **Female Focus program** has been instrumental in sparking interests in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) among The Neighborhood Academy's 9th, 10th, and 11th grade girls.

The **Female Focus program** allows girls to experience STEM in new and engaging ways. This dynamic program integrates math-intensive blended learning, collaborative activities, exposure to industry leaders, confidence-building opportunities, and much more.

"The **Female Focus program** allows these young women to witness first-hand how areas like computer science, mathematics, and engineering tangibly

translate into the workforce," said Malesia Dunn, Executive Director, PPG Foundation and Corporate Global Social Responsibility. "It's important that they envision themselves in STEM careers and meet other professional women who look like them in these roles. The future is female!"

"The program has truly developed over the years, and really offers something special for the students," said Dunn. **"I'm so proud of the program and its successes."**



"Female Focus has helped me to look at fields pertaining to and beyond my interest. It was amazing to see women who look like me in places I was working to be part of one day."
– Joi Anthony-Gray, '23

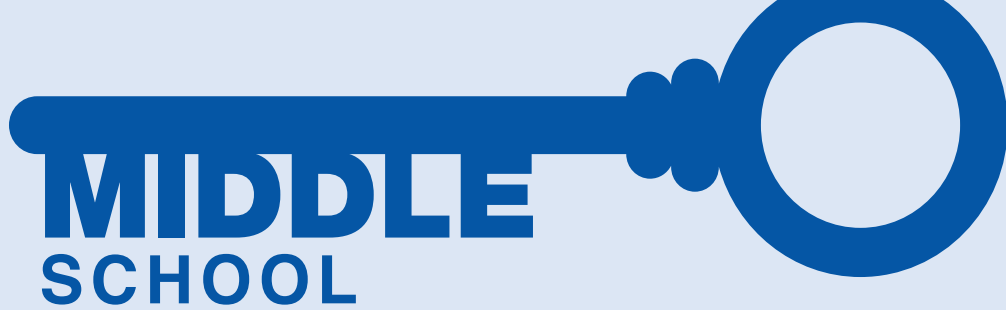


"I have always been interested in entering the STEM field. **Female focus** showed me that although it is male dominated, there are plenty of educated and capable women in the field as well. I am now more confident in myself, my goals, and my future."
– Erin Dorsett, '23



"Female Focus helped me learn fine confidence and camaraderie in other young girls who loved science just as much as I did. I also learned that there is no bounds to the opportunities and accomplishments you can make in your industry regardless of gender or race."
– Fatimah Bisiriyu, '23





How is coal formed? How is oil made? What was the environment like 300 million years ago that made these fossil fuels possible?

These are some of the questions that were answered on our sixth-grade boys and girls field trip to the Carnegie Museum of Natural History. The students took a tour of the rock and mineral collection and spent time learning all about Pennsylvania's unique geological history.



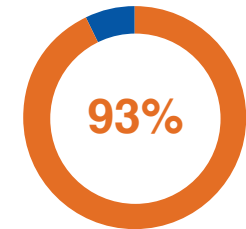
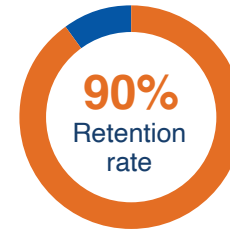
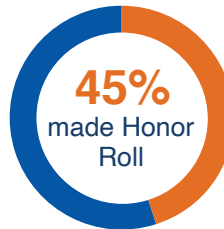
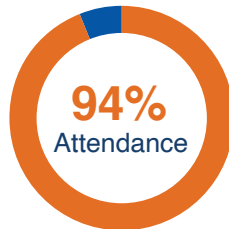
Exploring the World through Research

Adrienne Little's 6th grade English class completed a research project connecting to their Geography studies. Students chose a country and researched five topics like history, food, and tourist attractions. After sharing their reports in class, they proudly displayed them for several months.

“ Students learned all parts of the research process: exploring topics, citing sources, notetaking and outlining, writing using topic sentences and paragraph breaks, and typing up the work using MLA format. ”

— Adrienne Little

Middle School Data Points



of 8th graders are **above grade level** in **math**



Finding Beauty in the Everyday

“Ever since elementary school, I’ve been making beauty out of everyday things - candy wrappers, pages of a newspaper, receipts, rip-outs from magazines. I cut and tear, arrange and rearrange, and glue them down, morphing them into something no one else thought they could be.”

This excerpt is from New York Times bestseller, *“Piecing Me Together”* by Renee Watson which offers a powerful story about a girl named Jade striving for success in a world that too often seems like it’s trying to break her. TNA middle school girls read this powerful book and made artwork the same way Jade did – seeing beauty and creating art out of everyday items.

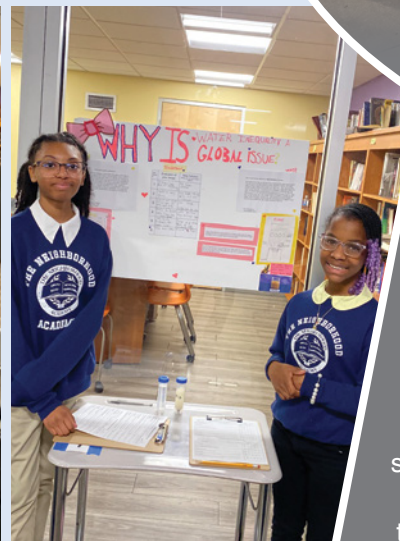


Sparkling Curiosity and Discovery

The Neighborhood Academy hosted its **annual STEM Fair** – a day when TNA’s entire academic building transforms into a vibrant hub of everything science! From Biology and Chemistry to Physics and beyond, students had the opportunity to present their research and engage with their peers’ projects.

“Our halls come alive with curiosity, creativity, and discovery. Watching students passionately present their research and engage with their fellow students is a reminder of the power of hands-on learning in STEM.”

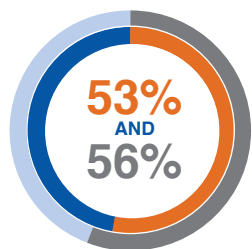
— Max Cookinham, STEM Coordinator



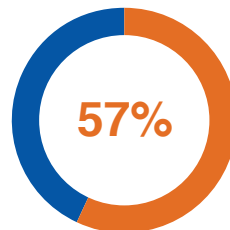
TNA’s 6th grade girls took a field trip to the Hunt Armory Ice Rink where they met with Renee Hess, founder of Black Girl Hockey Club, and Delvina L. Morrow, Vice President of Community Affairs and DEI with the Pittsburgh Penguins. The two spoke about the opportunities to skate and play hockey with other girls who look like them and encouraged the students to try new things. All the girls laced up their skates – many for the first time – and hit the ice!

“That is what this is all about – getting together, building community and retaining that joy in a sport that we love but may not always love us back.”

— Renee Hess



53% of middle school students improved their **reading skills**, and 56% improved their **math skills** by at least one full grade level—exceeding the national average growth rate.



of all honors math students are former middle school students



Observing Osmosis in Action

Dr. Rainee Kaczorowski's Biology class conducted an **egg experiment to observe osmosis** (water moving across a membrane). Using shell-less eggs as large cells, students placed them in solutions with varying water concentrations to see if they swelled (if water moved into them), shrank (if water moved out of them), or stayed the same (if there was no net direction of water movement.)

A Creative Journey

Joe Roenker's Visual Arts class visited **The Andy Warhol Museum** – home to the world's largest collection of Warhol's artwork. Students not only explored Warhol's iconic pieces but also found inspiration in other artists whose work reflect his influence. Later that day, the group participated in an educational scavenger hunt at the **Carnegie Museum of Art**, navigating galleries filled with modern and contemporary masterpieces.

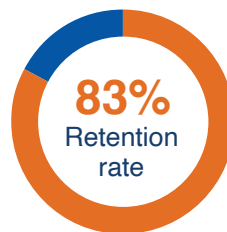
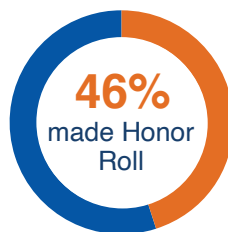
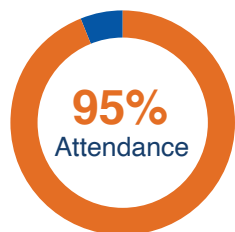


Senior Seminar

In May, **Senior Seminar finalists, John, Samaira, and Carynn**, showcased their research projects to the TNA community! A special thank you to Dr. Leila Richards and Bud Person for their support and for recognizing all three finalists. Carynn (middle) earned first place with her insightful presentation on how diet influences mental health symptoms and blood pressure in African-American high school students.



High School Data Points



Seniors awarded
over \$800,000
in scholarships from
56 colleges

Graduation

The **23rd Annual Graduation Ceremony** was held on **May 22, 2024**, at Third Presbyterian Church. A total of 18 seniors graduated, celebrating their achievements and hard work, and Samaira Abdul-Waalee was honored as the valedictorian. We were honored to have Evan Frazier, President and CEO of The Advanced Leadership Institute, deliver an inspiring commencement address.

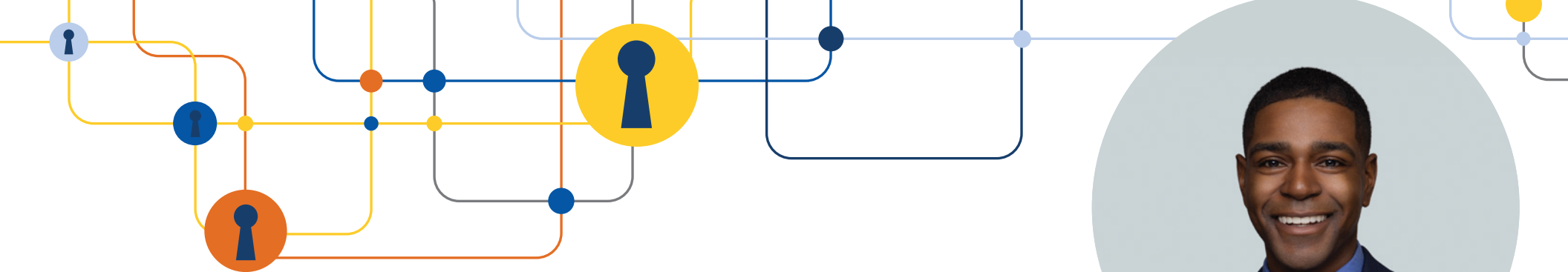
“As we move forward, we will carry these lessons and cherish these memories together. The connections we forge will positively shape our future.”

— Samaira Abdul-Waalee
Class of 2024 Valedictorian

CLASS OF 2024

Samaira Abdul-Waalee	Terrance James
Isabella Cacalano-Jordan	Brent Manns
Kaleb Cormany	Madison Palmer-White
Madison Davis	Cierra Price-Knight
Delon Evans	Carynn Richards
Gabriel Fletcher	Mekhi Robinson
Tyrone Gault	Aleeciyah Sledge
Caden Huffman	John Wilkins
Skyler Jackson-Brown	Naya Winters





A 2015 graduate of The Neighborhood Academy, Jerico Berlin has turned his high school passion for real estate into a thriving career.

He credits his eagerness and determination to go above and beyond to what he calls his 'willingness to do what others won't.'

"At TNA, I was a student ambassador and would give tours to school visitors. One day, I was giving a tour to Keith B. Key, President and CEO of KBK Enterprises, and he introduced me to the world of real estate development," said Jerico. "After the tour, I went to Jodie Moore (TNA Co-Founder,) and expressed my interest in real estate. She quickly put me in contact with JC Pelusi, Market Director with Jones Lang LaSalle (JLL). JC was a mentor and fueled my passion for real estate all through my college career."

A week after graduating high school, Jerico completed a two-month internship in marketing and sales at SFMADE in San Francisco, CA. Returning to Pittsburgh to answer his calling for real estate, Jerico continued gaining experience at agencies such as JLL and RE360 during his college journey.

In 2019, Jerico joined the United States Air Force as a federal reservist stationed at the 911 Airlift Wing in Coraopolis.

His career path took a pivotal turn at a career fair in 2020, where he connected with Jeffrey Ackerman, Executive Vice President at CBRE. Despite the pandemic delaying his internship with the real estate and investment firm, Jerico maintained contact with Ackerman through monthly check-ins.

"In 2021, I joined CBRE as a brokerage intern gaining experience across asset classes like office, retail, and capital markets," said Jerico. "A year later, after I received my degree in business marketing from the University of Pittsburgh, I was offered a full-time position with CBRE... Soon after I was hired, Jeffery unexpectedly passed away. I'm thankful for him taking me under his wing and believing in me."

Today at CBRE, Jerico manages over 1.5 million square feet of office space in Pittsburgh, completing more than 100,000 square feet in

transactions and generating \$12.3 million in lease revenue for clients.

Pittsburgh is a 'small world,' and Jerico recently brushed shoulders with TNA alumnus and current board member, Micah Arnold '18, who is a Project Coordinator at Beam Collaborative.

"I've run into Jerico a few times downtown. After a discussion with him, I had Beam Collaborative's Chief Strategy Officer and former Board Chair of The Neighborhood Academy, Joe Massaro, reach out to him as we were looking for a space to house a Controlled Environment Agriculture facility...we quickly hired him on to help with Beam's search."

Jerico is highly motivated and prides himself on relationships over transactions. He recently enrolled into the Bridgeway Capital's Emerging Developer Accelerator program to equip himself with necessary knowledge and resources to fund his dream of becoming a local housing developer.

Jerico can be contacted at jerico.berlin@gmail.com. He is open to expanding his network!



Senior Spotlight: Jalise

For most high school seniors, life is a whirlwind of classes, extracurriculars, and the ever-looming question: “What’s next?” But for TNA senior Jalise, the path forward is as clear as it is intriguing. Fueled by a passion for understanding the intricacies of human behavior and a curiosity about the darker corners of the mind, Jalise has set her sights on pursuing a degree that will allow her to study criminal behavior. At 18 years old, the Penn Hills resident has been accepted to Slippery Rock University, Morgan State University, Robert Morris University, Southern University at New Orleans, Duquesne University, Clark Atlanta University, PennWest Clarion, and Lincoln University.

“Wherever I go, I want to study either psychology or psychiatry. Mental health really interests me and I’m curious what triggers people and makes them act certain ways,” said Jalise. “My brother would always watch shows like ‘Criminal Minds,’ ‘CSI,’ and ‘How to Get Away with Murder,’ so criminal psychology really piqued my interest.”

As the fifth member of her family to attend TNA, Jalise continues a legacy of excellence and Bulldog pride. She is very involved in Mock Trial and Moot Court, and she competed on a national level at the Marshall-Brennan Moot Court Competition in Washington, D.C. with fellow classmate Nathaniel.

“Nate and I reviewed a case for a few months and had to make an oral argument while judges scored us,” Jalise said. “I’m proud of how well we did, and the courses at TNA made learning fun and really prepared us...We once debated on whether hotdogs should be considered a sandwich!”

Jalise is also a talented Bulldog Track & Field athlete having made it to the Western Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic League (WPIAL) competitions twice in her high school career for the 200m.

“Track is definitely a mental game! I have to constantly push myself and push myself,” said Jalise. “To relax, I also enjoy reading autobiographies with my mom – it’s a way we bond. We just finished two good ones on Cicely Tyson and Viola Davis. Our love of reading the same books all started when I was younger. I would read to her and make up words in the book that I thought should be in there but weren’t,” laughed Jalise.





Beatrice “Bea” Jones has lived a life dedicated to education, community service, and faith.

As an elementary teacher for Pittsburgh Public Schools for over 32 years, she has nurtured countless young minds. Beyond the classroom, her commitment to serving youth continued through her involvement at Shadyside Presbyterian Church.

In 2005, Bea’s journey of service took on a new dimension when Rev. B. De Neice Welch, the church’s Associate Pastor for Missions, introduced her to The Neighborhood Academy (TNA). An inspiring student-led tour of the school – then located at Champion Commons on Penn Avenue – sparked a partnership that would bring together Bea, her church congregation, and TNA in meaningful collaboration.

Under Bea’s guidance, Shadyside Presbyterian Church organized a committee to support TNA.

“We were able to tackle projects such as collecting blazers and ties for the male students, establishing a book scholarship to help TNA graduates, opening a school store, and painting lockers,” said Bea. “The committee even created ‘Wish List Baskets’ so the congregation could purchase essential items like bedding, backpacks, and towels for students heading to college.”

In 2013, Miss Jones dedication to TNA extended far beyond organizing projects. She began connecting with students on a more personal level, taking them out to lunch for tutoring sessions and meaningful conversations.

“I don’t drive, so when current Head of School Anthony Williams was Dean, he would drive the students to the restaurant for lunch,” said Bea. “Two of the alumni, Brittany Jennings ‘15 and Cherice Jackson ‘15, recently came and visited me for the holidays!”

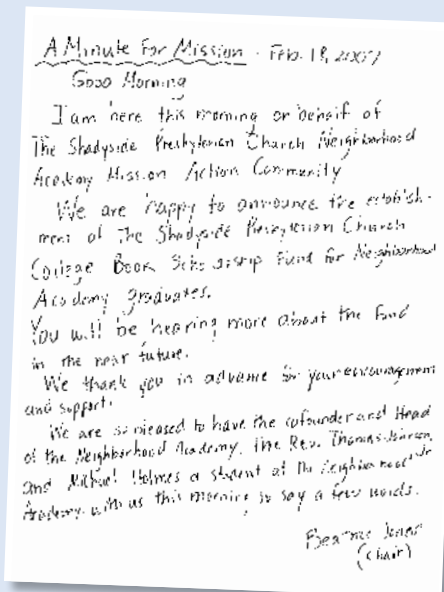
In 2021, Miss Jones generosity reached new heights when she established The Mr. and Mrs. Hugh and Mamie Jones College Scholarship in memory of her parents. Each year, this scholarship is presented to one graduating senior to support their educational journey.

“I’ve never missed a graduation,” said Bea. “I’ve always enjoyed presenting the scholarship to the students. I hope the scholarship continues to positively impact students even after I am gone.”

Today, Miss Jones visits TNA on a weekly basis to tutor a student in reading and language arts.

“Tutoring has made my life so much richer. I can’t ask for any more blessings,” said Bea. “I like to make learning fun, so I use Wheel of Fortune-like game to help with my teaching, and I encourage the student to educate themselves on a new word and use it every day.”

Bea’s unwavering commitment to education, community, and faith continues to leave a lasting legacy, enriching the lives of students and inspiring those around her.





Mr. Paul and Dr. Carol Stockman are a dedicated and philanthropic couple, whose monthly donations to The Neighborhood Academy (TNA) ensure that young minds have the resources and support they need to thrive.

Paul, a lawyer in private practice, specializes in energy and environmental litigation. Carol, originally from Texas, moved to Pittsburgh for her Ph.D. and spent years in academia, teaching at California University of Pennsylvania (now PennWest California) and the University of Pittsburgh. She is also actively involved, at the local and national level, with the ARCS Foundation. The two are proud parents of two young men (ages 31 and 28), and reside in Serenbe, a biophilic community in Georgia, during Pittsburgh's gray winter months.

The Stockmans were introduced to TNA in 2015 through co-founder Jodie Moore and long-time TNA supporter Francine Abraham. After attending an event and touring the school, they were immediately drawn to its education model.

"It was so easy to get behind the school's mission," said Paul. "There are lots of worthy

causes to support, but the impact feels indirect or distant. Being donors of TNA, you can see very directly the impact that your support makes. The power of a good education as a driver of future success means so much to us."

Understanding the importance of consistent funding for nonprofits, Paul and Carol set up a recurring monthly donation to The Neighborhood Academy.

"Automatic donations make giving seamless. We don't have to think about it until we do our taxes," said Paul.



"There are other times when you intend to make a donation to a cause, but things get busy, and you just simply forget!" added Carol. "We both have worked on nonprofit boards in the past, so we know it's so helpful to know there is a contribution that comes through the door every month that you can count on."

TNA thanks the Stockmans for their extraordinary generosity and unwavering commitment to our school community.



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Great FUTURES CAMPAIGN UPDATE

From the Chair of the Great Futures Capital Campaign, **Annie Westbrook**

Dear Friends and Supporters,

It is with immense gratitude and excitement that I share the recent success of the Great Futures Capital Campaign and its profound impact in enabling our ambitious vision to be realized. Together, we have made extraordinary progress, and I am honored to acknowledge the generosity and dedication of our community of donors who believe in transforming the lives of our students.

Thanks to your unwavering support, the Great Futures Capital Campaign continues to exceed our initial expectations resulting in the securing of several lead gifts that will enhance our facilities, programs, and sustainability. These funds are critical to honoring our commitment to academic excellence, personal growth, and lifelong success for every student at The Neighborhood Academy.

Building on our current success and momentum, we are excited to add an exciting additional component to the TNA campus: **the construction of the new Events Center**. This facility will not only enhance our athletic programs, including basketball, volleyball, and wrestling, but it will also serve as a vibrant hub for community engagement activities. The Events Center symbolizes

our commitment to fostering holistic growth for our students—both on and off the court—while strengthening bonds in our community with our neighbors and partners.

Your continued support is the foundation of this progress. We look forward to sharing more updates as this exciting project unfolds and invite you to stay connected as we move closer to achieving our shared vision.

On behalf of The Neighborhood Academy and our Campaign Leadership team, thank you for being an integral part of this journey. With your support, the Great Futures Capital Campaign will continue to be a resounding success.

With heartfelt gratitude and excitement for what lies ahead,

Annie Westbrook, *Chair*

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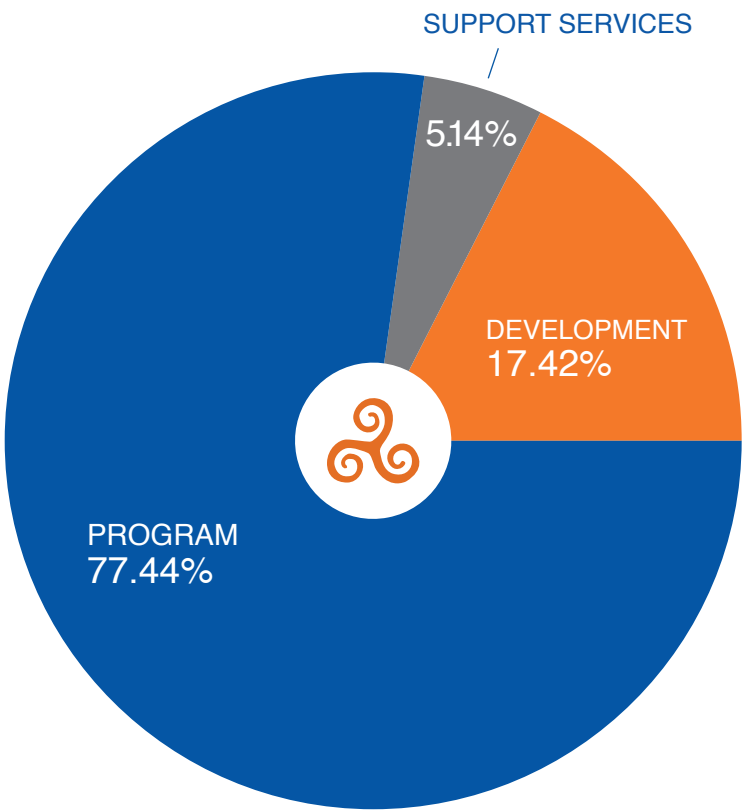
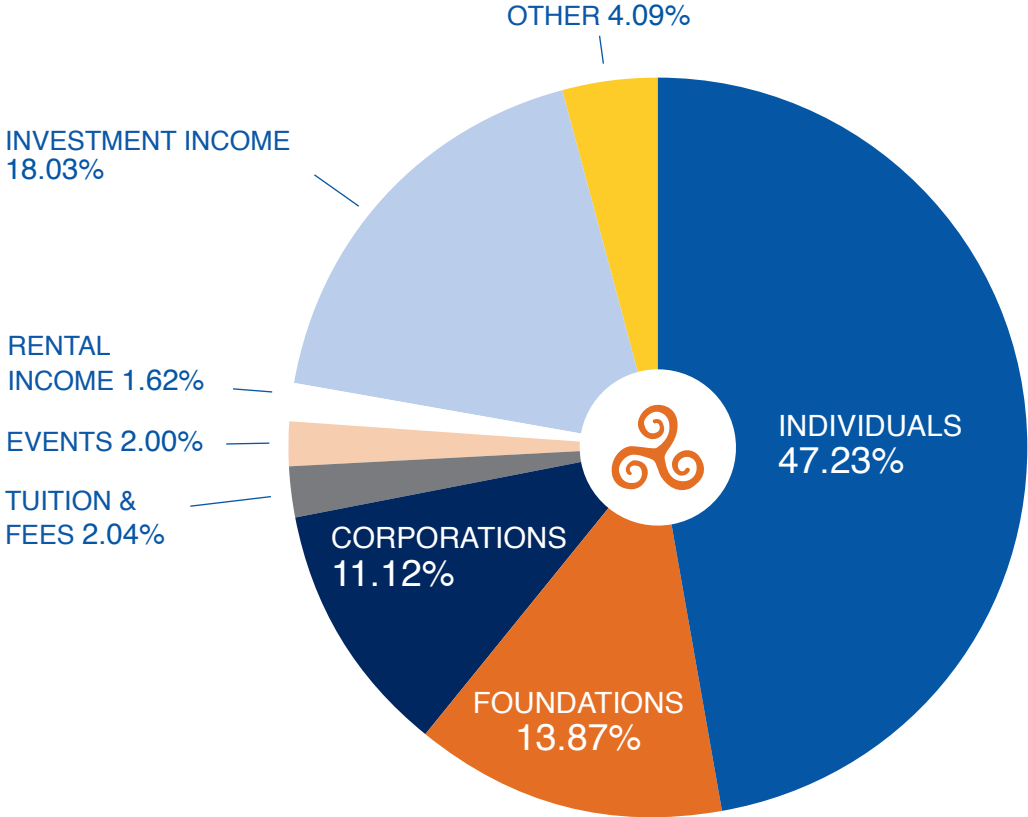
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(9/1/2023 – 8/31/24)



SUPPORT AND REVENUE

Individuals.....	3,309,955
Foundations.....	971,773
Corporations.....	779,287
Tuition and Fees.....	142,896
Events.....	140,206
Rental Income.....	113,647
Investment Income.....	1,263,619
Other.....	286,339
TOTAL.....	7,007,722

EXPENSES

Program.....	4,402,713
Support Services.....	292,067
Development.....	990,487
TOTAL.....	5,685,267

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS.....	1,322,455
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NET ASSET

Beginning of the Year	15,263,770
End of the Year.....	16,586,225

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS.....	1,322,455
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1/1/2024 - 12/31/2024

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