



Presidential Search Update and Invitation

February 14, 2025

Dear Christian Brothers High School Community,

I am pleased to share an update on the search for our next President. Our partners at Carney, Sandoe & Associates have been working diligently, reaching out to close to 4,000 individuals and conducting individual meetings to identify and screen outstanding candidates for this vital leadership role.

On January 27, the Presidential Search Committee held its initial meeting to prepare for the important work ahead. We are fortunate to be joined by Mr. Lawrence Puck, AFSC, the former President of Saint Mary's College High School, whose extensive experience in Lasallian leadership will be invaluable to our process. The committee is committed to a thorough search, focused in our Lasallian Catholic Mission, and guided by the values and traditions that define Christian Brothers High School.

On January 29, 2025, Mike Truesdell and I had the privilege of participating in 12 listening sessions on campus. These sessions provided a valuable opportunity to hear from a diverse cross-section of our community—faculty, staff, students, parents, administrators, and board members. The insights shared were thoughtful, candid, and deeply reflective of the mission and values that make Christian Brothers High School such a special place. The quality of the feedback we received was exceptional. Your perspectives have helped shape our understanding of the qualities and vision needed in our next President. We are grateful for your engagement and commitment to this process.

In addition to the listening sessions, our online survey has been an important tool in gathering input from the broader CBHS community. We received excellent feedback and strong participation, reflecting the deep care and investment our community has in the future of our school. The responses have provided valuable perspectives that will help guide our search and ensure we find a leader who aligns with our mission and values. The survey will be closing on Saturday, February 15 — <https://www.cbhs-sacramento.org/community-survey-link/>

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To ensure even broader participation, we have scheduled an additional, virtual listening session on the evening of **Tuesday**, February 18, 2025, 6:00 - 6:45 p.m. via Zoom. This session provides another opportunity for community members to share their thoughts and aspirations for our next President. We encourage you to attend and lend your voice to this important conversation. To register, please use the following link: [<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/iLMaY-ULRDupDM9Ztxt83A>].

As we move forward, we will continue to provide further updates. Please feel free to reference our [website](#) for information regarding this search. Thank you for your continued prayers and support of this Presidential Search Process.

Fraternally,

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Chair, Presidential Search Committee