Heritage Academy











From the Board Chairman:

Our theme of 'Together Everyone Achieves More' is certainly fitting for Heritage Academy this year given how much we have achieved together in the past year. Together as students, parents, teachers, administration and donors, we have been able to grow the school and fulfill our mission. We have made positive improvements to our middle school program and the student body grew by 15% this year.

This growth would not have been possible without the wonderful support of our donors. Together, you are making a tremendous impact in the lives of our students. We were blessed to have the Georgia legislature increase the cap for tax credit scholarships to \$100 million and for the first time in five years there was no proration of contributions. This allowed us to make use of every dollar contributed through tax credits which added \$406,000 to our budget.

The board is working closely with the administration of the school to plan for a pre-school program in the near future. We believe *together* we can have an even larger impact on more students and parents who are seeking a high-quality, Christ-centered education. We are grateful for your continued support that allows us to help the growing number of families who wish to join the Heritage Academy experience.

- Eric Smith, Heritage Academy Board Chairman

Eric Smith interviews a student during the first annual Amazing Shake competition held in 2019.



Heritage Academy's board: (top left) Ashley Paulk, Eric Smith, Kevin Briggins, David Steele, Bill Cleveland, Will Morris;

(bottom left) Jan Hitchcock*, Janet Pierce, Allan Soto, Linda Tucciarone*, Ronica Cummings, Jeff Westergreen

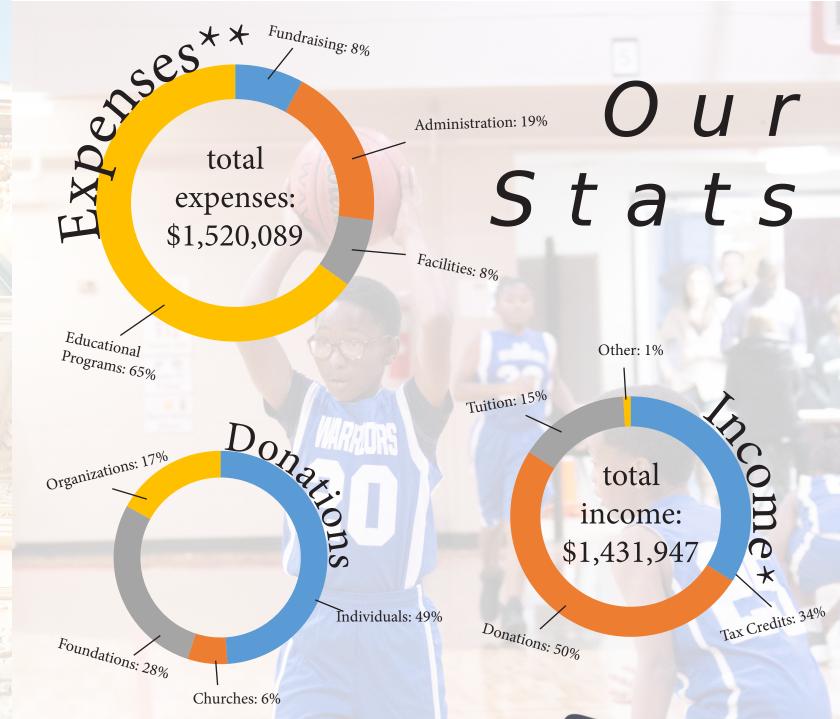
Not pictured: Laurie Meyers, Adam Hatcher, Bert Harbin



Volunteers led by Eric's son Stephen complete a covering for the Heritage Academy playground.



*Hitchcock and Tucciarone are ex officio



Math Achievement

68% of Heritage Academy students are at or above the national grade level average (40%). Of those students,

78% scored between the 50th and 99th percentile!

The Italian astronomer and physicist Galileo Galilei once said... "Mathematics is the language in which God has written the universe." At Heritage Academy, we want to treat our math instruction as just that - a language. Our students delight in learning math concepts from the Order of Operations to Algebra 1 - and it's showing.

- * difference covered in operational reserve fund
- **amounts include salaries and benefits of personnel in each sector





S T A F

"The best parts of the Heritage TEAM are:

- Focused goals that help students become the best they can become.
- A caring and thoughtful team who always seems to go the extra mile.
- A joyful Christ-centered culture."

-Tammy Puch Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment





"Being a part of the Heritage Academy team is truly a blessing!

Every day I get to experience the joy of knowing I'm teaching and, prayerfully, having a small impact on the lives of Augusta's future leaders."

- Chris Robinson Bible Teacher and Basketball Coach

"I knew Heritage Academy was different the moment I walked into the building. It was obvious to me that the people at Heritage were passionate about their mission and inspired by God's word to put their hands and feet to it.

I am thrilled to be a part of this great TEAM!"

-Tana Watson Director of Admissions/Assistant to the Executive Director



Alumni Spotlight:





6th Grade Girls Mentoring

South State Bank partnered with Heritage Academy to begin the first girls mentoring program during the 2018/19 school year.

Girls were taught fun financial lessons, took field trips to the 8th street office, and completed a craft during the monthly meetings.

Much like our boys mentoring group, these women will follow our students until they graduate Heritage in the 8th grade.

Lamar Hampton

Lamar Hampton, a Heritage Academy alumni, graduated from Lucy C. Laney High School in 2014. He went on to receive an Associate Degree in Digital Cinematography from Full Sail University.

After writing his own scripts in college, and using family and friends as actors, he was approached by local media company, Oak Film Co. A producer asked if he'd be interested in a video editing job. Now Lamar is gaining first hand experience in the movie industry, both in editing and on sets.

He credits Heritage Academy for teaching him how to treat other people. "Treat them with respect no matter who they are. That's the major thing: respect." We love keeping in touch with you, Lamar!

New Program Spotlight







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Singing at Tech Talk Cyber Conference



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Red Carpet Welcome Debut

Highlights from 2018-2019

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