

REACH Prep News - June 2021

Spring Highlights



Congratulations to Our High School Seniors!

Please join us in celebrating the high school class of 2021 in achieving 100% acceptance to colleges and universities! This class not only worked tirelessly at school and in extracurricular activities, they also rose to the challenges of the past year to pursue their academic dreams. They will be attending some of the most outstanding colleges and universities including Amherst, Bowdoin, Colgate, Princeton, and Villanova. We've provided these students with rigorous academic preparation and ongoing guidance starting with the end of 4th grade. Their dedication is inspiring and we look forward to working with them throughout their college career.



Thank You To Our Sponsors, Golfers and Committee!

On June 1st, 76 golfers (including 3 REACH Prep Alumni and 1 College Scholar) played in the first "Swing for Our Scholars" Golf Outing at Greenwich Country Club followed by cocktails and dinner. This event raised over \$350,000 to benefit our Scholars! Thank you to our sponsors including corporate Birdie and Par level sponsors Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, Morgan Stanley, O'Shaughnessy Asset Management, Ropes & Gray, Davis Polk & Wardwell, Greenhill & Co., Jefferies, and Rothschild & Co. We greatly appreciate the efforts of our golf outing committee including Event Chairs Maxine Armstrong and Rodman Tilt III, Co-Chairs Clay Cole and Sam Wilson, and Board Event Chair Lauren O'Shaughnessy. Fairfield County Look captured the success of the event in these [photos](#).



On June 12th, a group of our recent college graduates and Alumni reunited at the office to celebrate the college graduates of 2020 and 2021. These students were honored for completing their 12-year REACH Prep experience and graduating from colleges which included Middlebury College, Boston College, Boston University, Trinity College, and Temple University. We also provided the opportunity for them to have their headshot taken for a LinkedIn profile. Attendees discussed the exciting career and educational opportunities that they're currently pursuing which included Master's degrees in Business, Public Health, and Strategic Communications; attending Medical School; working at investment firms like JP Morgan, Owl Creek, and Hall Capital Partners; and more. We're looking forward to hearing about more of their amazing accomplishments in the future! Meet more of our Alumni on our [website](#).



Save the Dates for Fall Events to Benefit REACH Prep

We're planning two Fall events to support our mission of empowering underserved, high-achieving students to become the next generation of leaders. Details about these events will be coming in the next few months. We hope you will join us!

9/25/2021 - "Virtual 5K Walk" - Back by popular demand from Fall 2020 is our Virtual 5K Walk. Recruit your team now for this great opportunity to support our Scholars!

10/30/2021 - Junior Council Fall Event - Start thinking about a costume for the Junior Council's first Halloween Party! It's sure to be a scream. Look for an email soon about purchasing tickets.



Donate to Our Annual Fund

There's still time to make a donation to our annual fund for our 2021 fiscal year which closes on June 30th. Your support helps us provide 250 students every year with access to high quality education along with sustained, comprehensive and long term support. Our model achieves college success rates that defy national trends and statistics. And, for the third year we have earned a [4-star rating from Charity Navigator](#) for our financial health and commitment to transparency. In fact, 85% of donations go directly to programming. [Consider making a donation to show your support.](#)

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