

# **CAPUCHINO HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**



**ANNUAL REPORT  
2024-2025**

# Capuchino High School Alumni Association

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Capuchino High School Alumni Association is to connect the history and traditions of past generations of alumni with the accomplishments of future graduates towards maintaining a strong base of support for Capuchino's vision, goals, and stature in its community. In pursuit of its mission, the Association strives to provide a forum for interaction and sharing that fosters growth from our mutual experiences.

## OUR HISTORY

The Alumni Association was formed in 2011 at the suggestion of the San Mateo Union High School District's Superintendent and former Capuchino Principal, Samuel Johnson, Jr. to support the school's fund-raising efforts. It took a while to organize and provide support for all aspects of the school. The current organizational model includes input from all the booster organizations and the school's administration and staff. Everyone is welcome to join the Association. The Association's Board works closely with the District and School Board on prioritizing and funding needed projects.

The Association developed a unique structure that provides an opportunity for all the booster organizations to come together. Each booster organization has a voting member on the Alumni Association Board. The board meets a minimum of three times a year. The Association is the non-profit umbrella for these organizations:

- CAPeople (Parent Teacher Organization)
- Drama Boosters
- Music Boosters

As booster group leaders change, the Association provides an administrative foundation assuring that liability insurance and accurate tax reporting are provided under one common tax identification number.

## OFFICERS

- President: Michael Salazar
- Vice President: Raul Gomez
- Treasurer: Regina Diaz
- Secretary: Vicki Olson

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## THE YEAR IN REVIEW

We are proud to continue our work of supporting the greater Capuchino community through engagement, support and partnership. We remain grateful to all the volunteers, donors and educators that work with us each year to make the Capuchino community the best it can be. Thank you all for your ongoing support!

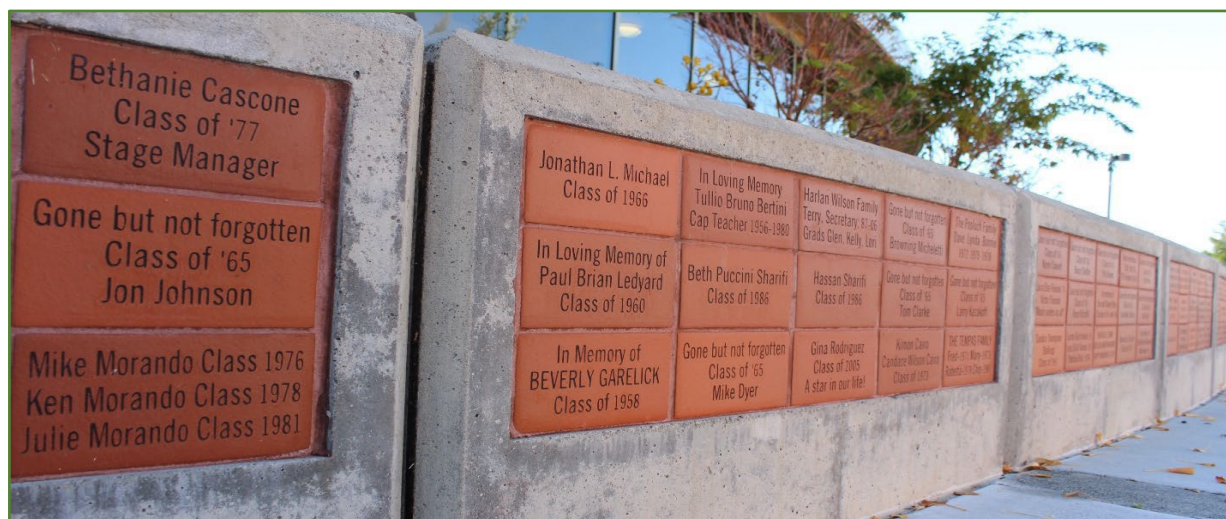
## ONGOING PROGRAMS

The Alumni Association supports a few recurring programs including the following:

- Maintaining the Association website.
- Promoting Capuchino's events and accomplishments.
- Funding scholarships for graduates.
- Fundraising and grant solicitation.

### The Brick Tile Seating Wall

The operating expenses of the Alumni Association are funded through donations and the purchase of brick tiles in the theater courtyard seating wall. The bricks have inscriptions from former students, staff, and Capuchino High School's supporters.



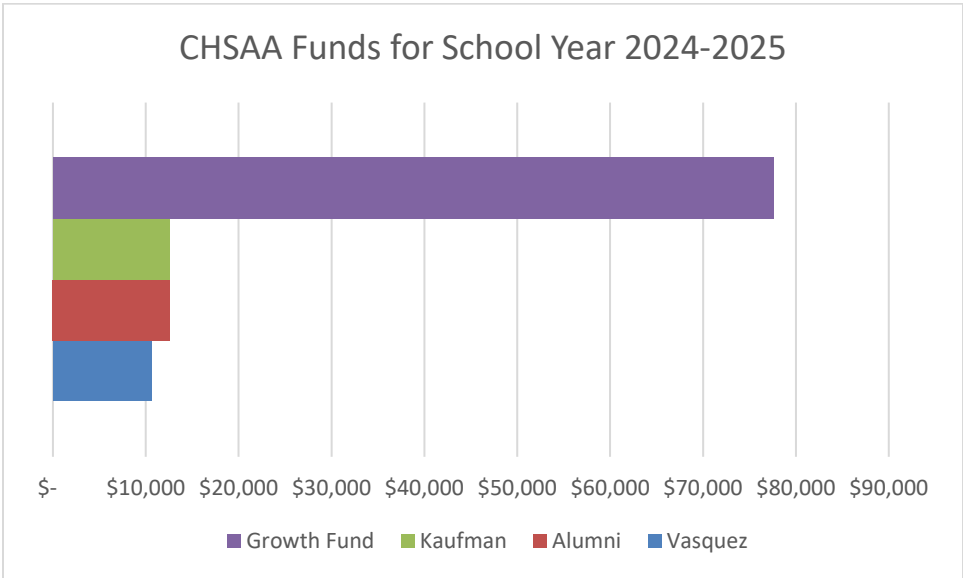
Please visit [www.capuchinohighschoolalumni.com](http://www.capuchinohighschoolalumni.com) for more information on purchasing one of these commemorative bricks.

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## FINANCIAL POSITION

The Association manages funds for Capuchino Growth Fund, Carlos Vasquez Student-Athlete Fund and the Jim Kauffman Memorial Scholarship Fund. Through the generous donations from alumni and community partners, the Association’s financial position remains strong.

### Ending Fund Balances School Year 2024-2025



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## CAPEOPLE PTO

### **Activities**

We've held seven dynamic meetings, six Teacher Appreciation events, donated three senior scholarships, provided materials & food for graduation & award ceremonies, donated to the pride prom, and raised \$8,000!

### **New Ways to Increase Funds & Awareness**

This year, we created “Sign-up Genius” for every event we participated in this year to improve efficiency. We were able to save funds by creating a Zelle link to avoid service fees, and we were able to expand our reach by incorporating our communications in the school text & email platform.

### **SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT**

The PTO once again dazzled with their sponsorship of 3 awards on this memorable evening, spotlighting the “Graduate of the Year” (Kaylie Leung) and two “Outstanding Graduate Awards” (Elisa van Mecheler and Elijah Agra)! Thanks to your support, these stellar students are rocketing towards their dreams!

### **THANK YOU!**

Thanks to your generosity, the PTO was able to grow to new heights this year. On behalf of the small, but mighty team, we are deeply grateful for your commitment, compassion and pride. Your time, generosity, and involvement make a real difference in our students’ lives and help create a vibrant school community. We truly appreciate your partnership and dedication throughout the year.

### **Officers:**

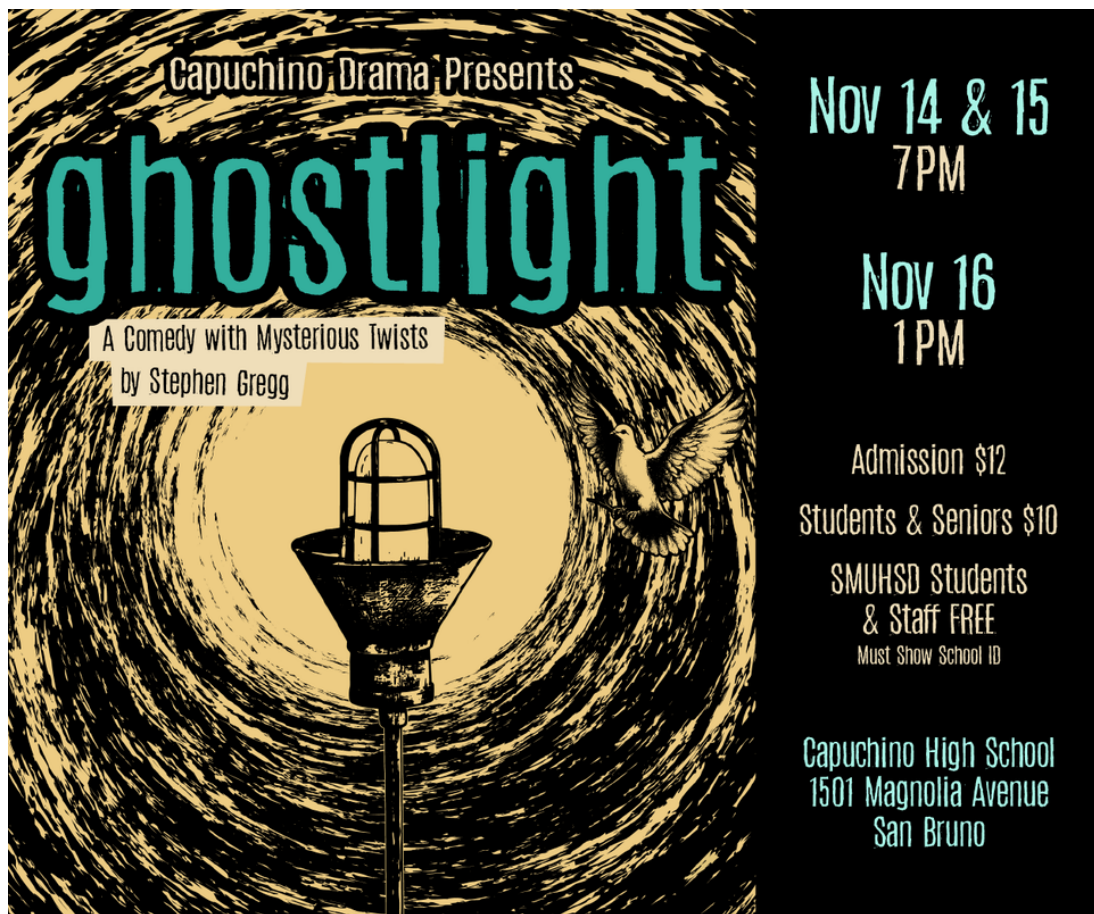
- Raquel Rose
- Anne Quintana
- Lisa Shin

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## DRAMA BOOSTERS

### Activities

Every school year the Drama Boosters support both performances. Typically, the Drama club will put on a play in the Fall and a musical in the Spring. This Fall the students presented the Comedy -Mystery, Ghostlight.



For more information on the Drama program visit: <https://capuchinodrama.weebly.com>.

