



St. Michael's College C.S.Sp. Development Newsletter

Building on Success – Phase 2

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INTRODUCTION

As we prepare for the Easter break, we are delighted to announce that the first two projects of Phase 2 of our *Building on Success* development campaign, i.e. the new Junior School buildings and the Senior School STEM building have now been completed and are being enjoyed by the boys, thanks to the generosity and support of our Donor community.



The Junior School Multi-purpose space was handed over to the school, as planned, before the Christmas break just in time for the annual Christmas Carol Singing. As you can see from the photos throughout this Newsletter, the new space is a wonderful asset to the school and is already adding to the artistic and educational development of our students. The remaining part of the building, the Art Space and

Science Hub, were ready and available for use by the boys, upon their return from the holidays. The biodiversity garden is currently being planted with paving and fencing installed. The remaining paving between the Junior and Senior Schools has been laid and flower beds are being planted as we go to print.



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CAMPAIGN UPDATE

To date, we have raised just over €4.8 million in pledges and donations, which is great news. However, a further €1.2 million remains to be raised so we may reach our fundraising target of €6 million. We remain hopeful that the generosity, which has been given so far will continue and we look forward to the support of all families in St. Michael's College in the year ahead.

THANK YOU

Our ambitious *Building on Success*, Phase 2 development campaign has been met with great enthusiasm and we have seen our campus greatly enhanced as a result of the generous response of our Donor families, for which we are truly grateful. Thanks to our Donors' ongoing and generous support over the past two years, we have been able to deliver the new Senior School STEM block and the new Junior School buildings in a very short timeframe for the benefit of the boys in both schools. We plan to host a special Donor event shortly to show our appreciation.

If you plan to support this phase of our development programme, please return the Letter of Intent and your Standing Order form to **St. Michael's College, Development Office, Ailesbury Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4**, as soon as you can to enable us to provide the best possible facilities for our current and future pupils from Preschool to Leaving Cert. Thank you.

For further information, please contact Judith at 01-2189421 or email: judith.hally@stmc.ie. Thank you again for your support and we look forward to keeping you updated as our development plans progress.

PROJECTS UPDATE

Swimming Pool Status: The Swimming Pool project is the final element of our *Building on Success* – Phase 2 development campaign. We are currently analysing tender documents and our goal is to appoint a contractor as soon as possible. We are happy to report that once the project commences, construction will take approximately fifteen months, which is exciting news.

PLEASE HELP

If you have not already given, we ask you now to please consider making a donation to our development appeal in any way you can. Every donation, whether big or small, is appreciated and will really help.

There are a number of ways to support our current appeal:

1. A Standing Order pledge,
2. A direct bank transfer, or
3. A once-off contribution, details which are listed on the following page.

Letter of Intent

St. Michael's College Development Appeal, *Building on Success*, Ailesbury Road, Dublin 4.

(Please check one of the donation plan options listed below, completing all the information requested)

It is my / our intention to:

- Contribute a pledged (tax-efficient) donation of _____ per annum for a period of _____ years.
Payable: (please circle one) MONTHLY QUARTERLY ANNUALLY
Beginning on: (day) _____ (month) _____ 20 ____

- Make a once-off donation of € _____ to St. Michael's College.
The cheque is attached **OR** I/we have transferred a donation directly to St. Michael's College Development Fund bank account IBAN: IE09 BOFI 9000 1794 621982. (This option is suggested for parents whose sons are due to leave the school shortly.)

- I am unable to make a donation at this time.

Please tick one of the options below	Donor Information (PLEASE PRINT)
1. I pay income tax in the Republic of Ireland <input type="checkbox"/>	Name: <input type="text"/>
2. I do not pay income tax in the Republic of Ireland <input type="checkbox"/>	Signature: <input type="text"/>
3. This pledge / donation is from a company <input type="checkbox"/>	Phone Number: <input type="text"/>
	Son's Name: <input type="text"/>

Standing Order Form

St. Michael's College Development Appeal, *Building on Success*, Ailesbury Road, Dublin 4.

(Kindly return this to St. Michael's College and not directly to your bank)

To: The Manager
PLEASE PRINT
Name and Full Address of Your Bank

I/We hereby authorise and request you to debit my/our account:
Name on Account:
IBAN:
with the sum of € _____ (Amount in words) _____
and credit the account of the St. Michael's College Campus Development Fund IBAN: IE09 BOFI 9000 1794 6219 82
This amount is to be paid _____ (annually, quarterly, monthly) for a period
of _____ years, that is a total of _____ payments.
The first payment is to be made on (date). _____
Signature(s): _____
Date: _____

*It is understood that the Bank shall not be under any liability for damage or loss caused by any omission to make these payments.
Please allow 10 days notice prior to the date of the first payment.*

