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Your contribution, no matter the amount, is needed to help us raise the first $5M to break ground. Without YOU, our vision to bring the PLAY TO LEARN Center to The Cushman School will not be possible.
Help us reach our goal of $10,000,000

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$5,000,000 raised
• A full-service performance stage for school and community performances
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• Rooftop futsal soccer field and track
• Venue for community events and athletic tournaments for intramural and competitive sports

**Highlights**

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Dear Cushman Family and Friends,

Welcome to The Cushman School Gala, and thank you for being here tonight. This annual event continues to be a wonderful celebration of our School’s ideals and your support allows us to continue to raise the bar in what we are able to offer our children. We have achieved excellence over the last nine decades because of the collaboration of educators, parents, grandparents, alumni, friends in the community and business leaders who make up this audience tonight. You have invested in the future of our children and The Cushman School. Thank you!

Choosing to have an Identity Linked to Excellence requires a bold effort by Cushman’s Board of Trustees, faculty, staff and administration to fulfill a 21st century vision that is grounded by Dr. Laura Cushman’s philosophy founded 90 years ago. This deliberate action in achieving excellence continues to remain at the forefront of all of our decisions. It inspired the launch of our Play to Learn campaign to build a performing arts and athletics center on our campus. In order to demonstrate our ability to envision and reinvent ourselves in unique ways, we want to complete a five-star, state-of-the-art facility that fosters innovative opportunities for your children’s full engagement. Your partnership is vital at this important crossroad in Cushman’s history. The allegiance and investment from each and every one of you will allow us to achieve our goals and continue to deliver The Cushman School’s unparalled educational experience.

I invite you to partner with us in this exciting endeavor and help fulfill a vision of excellence that will not only directly benefit your child today, but those who walk through Cushman’s blue gates in the future. Thank you for your support.

All my best,

Arvi Balseiro

Head of School
“A school seeks to develop the child mentally, physically, and in character growth. To do this, the child must be placed in happy surroundings, be properly adjusted to his or her work, and have wholesome participation in living experiences. The creation of such a school life is our aim.”

- Dr. Laura Cushman

**The Cushman School Philosophy**

A happy attitude

Acceptance of the tasks of growing and learning as a personal responsibility

Industry and perseverance in accomplishing the accepted tasks

Honesty with self and others in every phase of living

Growth in the ability to attack learning problems and to use judgement in changing situations

Self-control and poise

Wholesome personal habits

An attitude that seeks to understand others’ points of view and is ever tolerant and kind

Gracious, unfailing courtesy

Appreciations that enrich life
Dear Cushman Friends,

I am proud to serve The Cushman School in preserving the mission and philosophy that Dr. Cushman put into place 90 years ago in which character development remains a top priority. Nine decades of tradition and educating children who so prominently contribute to our community and society is something to admire. I have enjoyed working closely with the Trustees and the School’s community to continue that legacy.

In recent months, our collaborative efforts have allowed us to accomplish many things. We’ve fully launched our Play to Learn campaign to build a performing arts and athletics facility. Because of your commitment, we have raised over $3,000,000 in cash and pledges. We have renovated the Music Practice Room Building, and your children’s imagination is explored through the world of books in the Kalb Family Library. When the Innovation Center opens the experience will engage them in entrepreneurial thinking and design. Improved academic programming and enhanced playgrounds contributed to benefitting your children, but also set the groundwork for Cushman’s evolution for future generations.

In the upcoming years, the implementation of our Master Property Plan is coming to fruition. Having an enclosed campus and added security with the addition of a Play to Learn athletics and performing arts center will provide additional opportunities for our children to experience the arts and sports competitions in unique ways.

While Ms. Balseiro and the Board of Trustees have developed comprehensive growth plans, they can only come to benefit your children with your support by personal engagement, time, and contributions. As you make the choice to continue to join our efforts, The Cushman School will continue to be recognized as a school with an Identity Linked to Excellence and your children will receive the finest education available.

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Dear Cushman Friends,

We join this year in the spirit of the 80’s—an era most of us can look back on with fond memories—good times and great music. Together we celebrate in the spirit of our own youth, but more importantly we are here to rally around the future of our children. We look around to our fellow Gala Chairs and all of the countless volunteers and staff whose effort made tonight possible; and beyond joining forces and resources for the cause, we forge lasting friendships built around common values. It’s truly a unique joy every year to see the ballroom filled with hundreds of Cushman families and friends. Just like our children forge bonds with their classmates, we also forge unique bonds within the parent community. That is what makes our School so special—the unique sense of community that embraces us—that gives us the strength of a village. Together we can!

And just what can we accomplish with this fundraising effort and the overall PLAY TO LEARN campaign? The realization of a state-of-the-art Performing Arts & Athletic Center is within our reach to enhance our campus and curriculum. Thanks to the generous support of our sponsors and to all of you who have supported in your own special way, be it through ticket purchases, donations or your precious time and leadership, we are close to reaching our groundbreaking goal. This center will be a gift for our own children and for the generations beyond them and our community to enjoy.

So we close with our humble appreciation. Thank you for your support, your passion and your friendship! Rock on Cushman!

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Together, they have contributed toward the Primary School’s facelift in 2010, the fourth and sixth grade classroom renovations in 2011, renovation of the Head of School’s office in 2012 and the renovation of the Primary World Languages Cottage in 2013.

But, arguably the Kalb’s most lasting contribution to date is the creation of the Kalb Family Library in 2014. Inspired by the Kalbs’ steadfast belief that reading books is a developmental necessity that opens the door not only to knowledge, but also cements the foundation for effective writing and communication, the Kalb Family Library was designed to provide an intimate escape from the hustle and bustle of the classrooms and offer a haven for bibliophiles, dreamers and doers.

Should you stumble upon the yellow cottage nestled alongside Cushman’s Primary School, you may feel as though you’ve entered the pages of a Harry Potter book. Alas, it’s not Hogwarts but the cozy Kalb Family Library — an intimate spot where students gather to explore, interact and most importantly, imagine. Replete with a cozy fireplace, dark woods, original Harry Potter artworks, brooms and wands, the library is just as whimsical as J.K. Rowling’s infamous fantasy novels.

This treasure house of knowledge simply could not have come to fruition without the generosity of Stuart and Doris Kalb. Since 2004 — the year the couples’ children commenced at The Cushman School — the duo has been instrumental in The Cushman School’s growth and development.
Envisioned as a welcome reprieve from today’s digital world, it boasts a bounty of books, quiet nooks and even repurposed furniture from the original Cushman School. A movable ladder serves as a staircase to a spate of tomes such as The Giving Tree, Oh! The Places You’ll Go!, Charlie and Chocolate Factory, Olivia! and more.

Buttressing the reference works lining main hall are three well-appointed rooms for the Primary School, Elementary School and Middle School. The Kalb Library is peppered with personal touches, too. Inside the sunny foyer, the students’ colorful artwork is prominently displayed. Lining the ceilings of the Primary School room, an electric train chugs along on its mythical journey to Hogwarts. Inside the Elementary School room, you’ll find a Stuart Little character flying a vintage plane.

Most importantly, the Kalb Family Library is a boon for Cushman students. It’s a delightful place where they can cuddle up with a book and explore. Dr. Suess said it best in his book, I Can Read With My Eyes Shut: “The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.”
An international model and actor, Chris Charles is originally from Pennsylvania. After basing his career in Paris, Milan and New York for over 10 years he now calls Miami home. He has appeared in numerous magazines throughout the world including GQ, Vogue Homme, Uomo Vogue, and Men’s Health; and has a client list including brands such as Christian Dior, Hugo Boss, L’Oreal, Acura, Lincoln, UBS, Bank of America and Johnson & Johnson to name a few.

In addition he has been lucky enough to land small parts in several films and TV shows including “Bad Boys 2”, “Burn Notice”, “Step Up: Revolution”, and the upcoming “Ballers” premiering on HBO in June. An avid practitioner of the martial arts, he currently holds a 4th Degree Brown Belt in Gracie Jiu-Jitsu. But, most importantly, he is the proud father of three Cushman students. His twin sons graduated in 2010 and his daughter is currently in the 4th grade.

He is also known by the alias: “Mrs. Herbert’s husband“.

The son of two teachers, Kyle Mullan was born in Detroit but moved to Saint Augustine, Florida at the age of two. Growing up, he was active in sports such as golf, tennis, basketball, lacrosse and skateboarding. Upon graduating from Allen D. Nease High School, Kyle decided to take his talents to the University of Florida where he earned a degree in Political Science.

Kyle then made his way “across the pond” to Dublin, Ireland receiving his M.A. in Political Theory from University College Dublin. Having spent a few years within the educational world, Kyle transitioned to the Cushman School at the beginning of the 2013-2014 school year. When he is not facilitating a classroom discussion, you can find Kyle traveling or performing stand-up comedy.

Our four 8th grade performers have entertained the Cushman community since Pre-Kindergarten. Under the direction of Lisa Herbert, Director of Performing Arts and Alex Woods, Elementary Music teacher, these students have found their passion for theater.

We are thrilled to announce that Christina Caralis, Alex Ley, and Madison Winn will be attending New World School of the Arts in the Fall for musical theater and Mariel Schultz will be attending American Heritage.
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The building on the corner of 62nd Street and Biscayne looks a little bit different these days. It has been gutted, painted and outfitted with plenty of electrical outlets. The administration is still waiting on a few permits, but it’s just about ready. When the doors open, technology will be everywhere: touch-screen computers, 70” monitors, web-cams, 3D printers, and even a “smart table,” which will allow up to eight users.

Until then, Astrid Hedge, the Director of Cushman’s new Innovative Center, has been meeting with the sixth grade classes twice a week. So far, the students have been introduced to coding through software programs such as SCRATCH and JAVA, and with those new skills, they have created their own video games and birthday cards. Recently, after discussing aerodynamics, Ms. Hedge brought into the classroom a pile of traditional materials such as paper, cardboard, straws, and an unlimited supply of masking tape. “Now it is time,” she had announced, “to use what you’ve learned to build your own rockets.”

In today’s times, although our children may benefit enormously from their familiarity with technology, their relationship with their iPads or Xboxes can be somewhat passive: They are using the products while not necessarily understanding how or why this technology works. The Innovation Center at Cushman addresses this need for students to be more active participants in the technological fields. The Center will offer the opportunity for them to explore technology in a creative atmosphere while being continuously engaged in project-based lessons.

It’s not only just state-of-the-art computers the students will be exposed to. There is another component to the center that is just as essential: Once a student has been introduced to the technological aspects of a subject, it becomes time to build, independently, a model or prototype based on these principles. Through the hands-on nature of creating something with raw materials, the students are actively engaged in, and experiencing, technology’s practical applications. Project-based instruction such as this allows students of all ages to control the direction and pace of their learning.
Topics would complement whatever the student is studying in the classroom. While the third graders are engaged in their examination of birds, Ms. Hedge can explore and map out migratory patterns with students. If a class is studying electricity, the next step would be to design circuits and switches. This introduces engineering, aviation, architectural design, mathematics, robotics, and coding as an integral component of design.

Even artistic endeavors can be enhanced by the Center. If a student loves fashion, for instance, this interest would be a gateway to introduce the technological components involved in the field. Using computers to understand the angles and curvature of the body, the student can create, and then print, patterns he has created himself before using the raw materials of fabric and thread to see how it all comes together.

And through this experience of developing handmade products that are technologically based, the students gain more than just intellectual experience; they have the opportunity to create something through trial and error. Being given free-range to play and tinker with raw materials, they learn about the world through making mistakes, something that may not be integrated in their lives due to the easy availability of ‘reset’ buttons.

Ms. Hedge feels this is important. “Kids need the opportunity to push through frustrating moments during projects, an integral component of creativity. If the rocket a student built does not launch into the air, the student has to step back and ask, “What aspect of my design was faulty?” The student needs to go back to the drawing board to revisit and study her process, and then, most importantly, to try it over again. Risk is an essential life skill and a building block of creativity. It is only through failed experimentation that true innovation comes about.”

Ms. Hedge is a former student, and, for several years, a first grade teacher at Cushman. Her enthusiasm for technology came about from a personal interest in solar panels she was eventually able to build and use in her gardening projects. Through her experience as a first grade teacher, she noticed more and more students were becoming visual learners due to technology in their lives, and she saw the students craving more touch and movement during the acquisition of new skills. She wanted to tap into that and began teaching Junior Robotics Club after school. Being a student of technology herself, Ms. Hedge grew in confidence that even people who feel they are not technologically empowered can learn and utilize these skills in their everyday lives.

In Fall 2015, the Innovation Center will be in every student’s curriculum beginning with the preschool. Not only will it be incorporated into weekly classroom schedules, it will also be available through after-school clubs, while a revolving door will allow students to come in at any time and work individually on their projects.

But Cushman believes there are more people to benefit than just its student body. The Center will also be open to the community at large, offering summer and weekend sessions available for people of all ages. For those having a hard time making ends meet, there will also be scholarship seats reserved in each of these sessions.

“Cushman wants to provide opportunities for everyone to learn technology,” says Head of the Cushman School, Ms. Arvi Balsero. “We have a responsibility to all of the people who live and work in our community.”

In the meantime, Ms. Hedge can’t wait for the limitless projects in the future. “I have some interesting projects I can’t stop thinking about,” she says. Among many other things, she has plans for the students to design their own cars, boats, and model homes that incorporate green energy. “And soon,” she adds with a smile, “we will be designing and making our very own skateboards.”

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