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EXCELLENCE –  
DARE TO DREAM

## CHAIR

RICHARD HAWLEY

# ANNUAL GIVING 2009-2010

## *Dream Big - Give Big*

Fall, 2009

Dear Holy Trinity Episcopal School Supporters:

Thank you for supporting Holy Trinity Episcopal School, whether a faculty or staff member, director, parent, grandparent, alumni parent or grandparent, or community friend. The School is a rising star in northeast Harris County, a beacon of academic excellence for the Houston area, and you have played a part. Never before has there been an opportunity such as this for students in this quadrant of the Houston area, the last frontier of the area waiting for the utmost in private university preparatory education.

In 1994, a group of parents and other interested people in the Atascocita-Kingwood area met to discuss plans for a superior quality private school for northeast Harris County within the discipline and care of the Episcopal Church. After incorporation, the school opened in temporary facilities adjacent to Christ the King Episcopal Church of Atascocita for the 2000-2003 school years, and in 2004, the school moved to its permanent location.

Now in its tenth year of operation, the School enrolls 170 students from ten school districts. The rich opportunities provided students in technology, academic competition, athletics, travel, and service add to the rewards of being more than well prepared for college life. From the Class of 2024 (our current Pre-Kindergarten three-year-olds) to the Class of 2013 (our newly formed ninth grade) emphasis is placed on the future and the success in life that will come so easily to our students. Their preparation for universities around the world and their life's journey is what drives every decision made for their education at Holy Trinity Episcopal School, producing people of wisdom, connections, and influence.

The Titan, our mascot, represents a person of enormous strength, power, and influence. Holy Trinity Episcopal School provides an opportunity for each student to reach his or her maximum spiritual, intellectual, social, and ethical potential. The Titans have shown their excellence in many areas, and they are important reminders of the School's vision for their futures – we do *Dare to Dream*. The School is taking big steps to make all dreams a reality for our students now and for those in the future.

The Annual Giving Fund, *Dream Big – Give Big*, needs your financial support. This year, more than ever, we hope to increase the percentage and amount of giving. The annual giving fund and grants help meet all expenses of operations, facilities, and scholarship assistance. It will cost approximately 40% over and above tuition and fees to educate each child. The expenses associated with the new buildings and the fire code requirements are expenses that are not included in our budget. By making our annual giving gifts now, we will be helping an immediate need.

With your help, the School will continue to provide a quality education for our exceptional students. Prayerfully consider your donation, and thank you for *Dreaming Big – Giving Big* as we start our school year.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Richard Hawley'.

Richard Hawley  
Chair

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Shirley Ellison, Ed.D.'.

Dr. Shirley Ellison  
Head of School