

UPDATE FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

We are pleased to announce that the Sullins Academy Board of Directors has contracted with Southern Teachers Agency to guide us through a professional search for our next Head of School. Southern Teachers Agency is a highly acclaimed firm with whom we have worked in the past, both for search and consulting services. They have successfully completed numerous Head of School searches, focusing on schools in the South.

Mrs. Suzanne Senter has been selected and has agreed to chair the Search Committee on behalf of the Board of Directors. Work on the search process will begin immediately. Our timeline will have a goal of selecting final candidates by early 2014, and if all goes well, we will have the appointment made by March.

Over the next month, we will be appointing advisory groups to ensure input from the various constituents within the Sullins Academy community. Please contact our search chair, Suzanne Senter, if you are interesting in participating in, or have suggestions for, any of the following advisory panels:

- Parent panel
- Alumni panel
- Grandparent / former parent panel

All of our constituents can expect to hear from us frequently. In the coming weeks, you will have the opportunity to fill out a survey so that you can provide your thoughts about the future of Sullins Academy and the traits and qualities of the person, who will lead us there. Please complete the survey so that we ensure the search committee has thorough input and clear direction in the search process.

Finally, as we mentioned at the back-to-school picnic, we are looking for potential committee members for the following committees that report to the board. Please contact us if you have an interest in, or nominations for, any of these committees:

- Academic Affairs
- Advancement (Admissions, Development, Marketing and Communications)
- Audit
- Building & Grounds
- Finance
- Investments

Thank you for your help and support,

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