



A *love* for God.
A desire to *learn*.
A commitment to *serve*.

Association Membership - Information

A logical question one might ask is: “Why should I want to be a member of the San Jose Christian School Association?”

The answer to this question lies in an understanding of what the Association is and an understanding of how your membership serves the school.

What is the Association?

The Association is the official governing body of our parent-organized Christian school. It began with a group of Reformed Christians who wanted to establish a Christian school built upon the infallible written Word of God as interpreted by the Reformed credal standards. These people formed an association, formulated a constitution, and began the process which has resulted in the existence of San Jose Christian School.

How Will My Membership Benefit the School?

You have been given opportunity to participate in the financial support of the school through church offerings and financial drives. Your generous support in these ways is certainly appreciated. In addition to providing financial support, you also can have a voice in decisions relating to the future of the school and Christian education in our area. Association membership provides the opportunity to:

- Nominate and elect board members
- Vote on proposed constitution/by-law changes
- Initiate action on issues concerning the school
- Influence the future direction of the school
- Vote on budget issues

Why Should I Be an Association Member When I Don't Have a Child in the School?

As Reformed Christians, we believe that parents are primarily responsible for the training and nurture of their children. However, we also believe that the broader Christian community shares a responsibility for all of our covenant children.

You hear news about San Jose Christian School through bulletin announcements, the *Newsletter*, the weekly *Tiger Tracks*, and through parents, teachers, and students. Perhaps you have thought to yourself, “Why did the school do that?” or “Why don't they do this?” Association membership provides you with the opportunity to influence the school and with an avenue to ask and receive answers to your questions.

How Do I Become a Member?

Read and sign the membership application form on the other side of this sheet and send it to the school office along with your \$10.00 per person annual membership dues. Don't put it off. Become a member of the San Jose Christian School Association **today!**