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Annual Report

Academic Philosophy

We impart to our students that learning is a lifelong process that begins with serious individual effort and continues through class work, home studies, tests, and applying what is learned to life. We provide a college-preparation environment characterized by high expectations and respect for academic excellence. Marquette students and staff seek to instill a strong catholic attitude in the entire school environment. Marquette Academy is a K-12 Roman Catholic learning community that strives to promote spiritual, academic, social/emotional, and physical growth. We believe in developing critical thinking skills, a lifelong love of learning, and preparing our students to enter into an increasingly interconnected society.

Mission Statement

Marquette Academy exists to cooperate with parents in educating and forming joyful disciples of Jesus Christ. Traditions are embraced. Dedication is the norm. Excellence is the expectation.

2021-22

Official Logo of Marquette Academy (Unveiled on February 5, 2010)

The Circle

A dark blue circle with the words ‘MARQUETTE ACADEMY’ in white on the upper half and ‘Catholic Education Since 1859’ in white on the lower half is the main symbol of unity for the Catholic parishes who belong to the Marquette Academy family. With regard to the name, it is justly chosen as there are 16 letters in the name of Marquette Academy and 16 parishes and missions who are a part of the Academy’s service area. Between the words are two small Jerusalem crosses, one on the right and one on the left. The Bible, the foundation of our faith, includes the Old and New Testament. Fittingly, these crosses are reminders of our Catholic educational purpose. They symbolically support the words Marquette Academy, just as the Catholic community will do with the school.

There are three gold rings that surround the dark blue circle. The two closest to the blue circle, one on the inside and one on the outside, serve as reminders of God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. The third ring of gold, often seen last, and possibly the most important, completely encompasses all aspects of the Academy and student and is symbolic of God the Father.

The Shield

The shield is a heather style shield similar to those carried by the Crusaders of the Middle Ages. The cross on the front of the shield, a Jerusalem cross, is the same style cross which adorned the Crusaders’ shields. The cross has the French fleur-de-lis at each of its four points. The fleur-de-lis used here has many important meanings both to our Catholic faith and to us locally. The words translate from French as "lily flower". In the early church it was often seen as a symbol of Mary, as she was referred to in the Song of Solomon as the “lily among thorns”. This symbol was again used in 14th century France as a religious symbol representing the Holy Trinity, as well as virtues of faith, wisdom and chivalry. One can see the direct connection between our Academy and these virtues as well; our Catholic faith, wisdom from education and chivalry in service to our neighbors and community. The fleur-de-lis’ use and symbolism has expanded locally as the basis of the logo of the Boy Scouts of America, whose founder was from Ottawa. Additionally, in the Academy’s home city of Ottawa, the fleur-de-lis is the center point of its city flag. It represents the heritage and pays homage to the early French explorers. It was Fr. Jacques Marquette and his fellow explorer Louis Joliet who helped to bring the Catholic faith to this area. Thus, it is fitting that we pay respect to this early Catholic missionary and priest with the naming of our new school: Marquette Academy.



HISTORY OF MARQUETTE

Ottawa, Illinois

The history of Marquette High School is one of one hundred sixty three years of service to Ottawa and the surrounding area. It is the history of generosity and concern typical of those who take the gospel teachings in earnest. It is the history of those who value their right to educate their children in accordance with their beliefs.

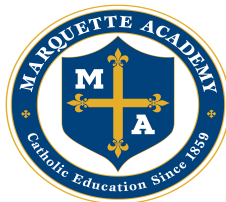
It all began in 1859 with Dean Terry, then pastor of St. Columba Parish. It was he who invited the Sisters of Mercy to open St. Joseph's School on the corner of Paul and Washington Streets to about one hundred young boys and girls in the growing Catholic community.

In 1900, St. Joseph's school was closed and a new five-story structure was erected and opened as St. Xavier's School for girls. In order to provide a secondary education for boys in the area, Bishop Schlarman, in 1945, requested that the building be remodeled and co-education be undertaken. In September of 1946, with thirty boys registered, the school re-opened under the name of Ottawa Catholic High School. Due to rapid growth, during the years 1949-1950, a new two-story building was added to the south, which provided six new classrooms, a gymnasium, and a cafeteria. The name of the school was changed to Marquette High School.

In 1990, the then 90 year old five-story structure was demolished and replaced with a new two story structure, making one large building covering the entire city block. The newest building contains twelve classrooms, 2 labs, a chapel, library and administrative offices. It was dedicated by Bishop John J. Myers on December 1, 1991. The following year, a new grotto was added on the northwest corner completing the campus.

Beginning in 2010, Bishop Daniel Jenky made sweeping changes in the structure of the catholic schools in the Peoria Diocese. In Ottawa, the two grade schools of St. Patrick and St. Columba closed and were merged and consolidated with the high school. The new entity, a Pre-K through grade 12 school, was re-named **Marquette Academy** and is a part of the Ottawa Catholic Community. The current Academy consists of two campuses with one administration. The grade school, K-8, is housed in the old St. Columba grade school building. Two blocks down the street, the high school, grades 9-12, remains in its original location on the corner of Paul and Washington Streets.

With the experience of these years, Marquette is a blend of the old and the new with the vitality of generations of Crusaders whose cry will always be:

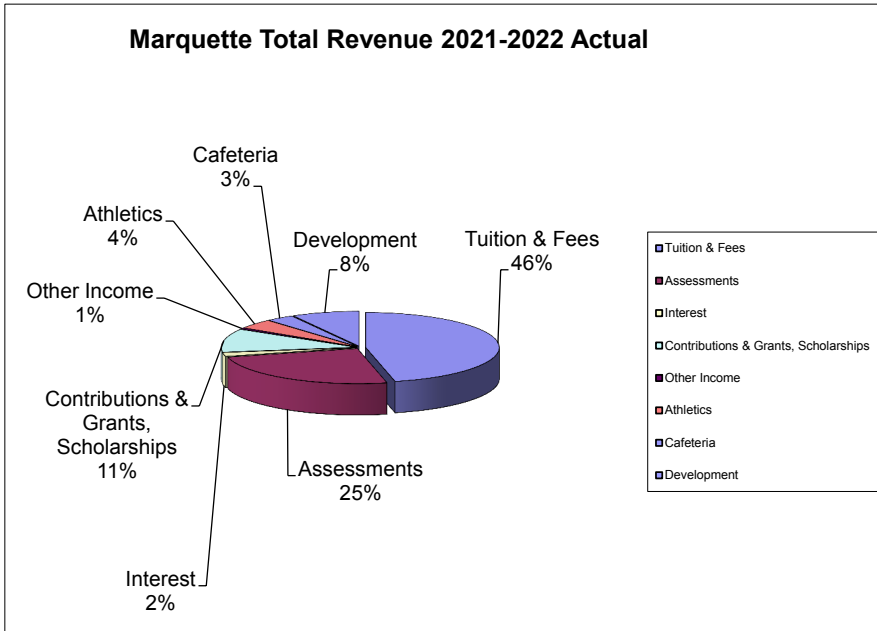


“WE ARE MARQUETTE”

**MARQUETTE ACADEMY
REVENUE & EXPENSE ACTUAL 2021-2022**

2021-2022 Actual

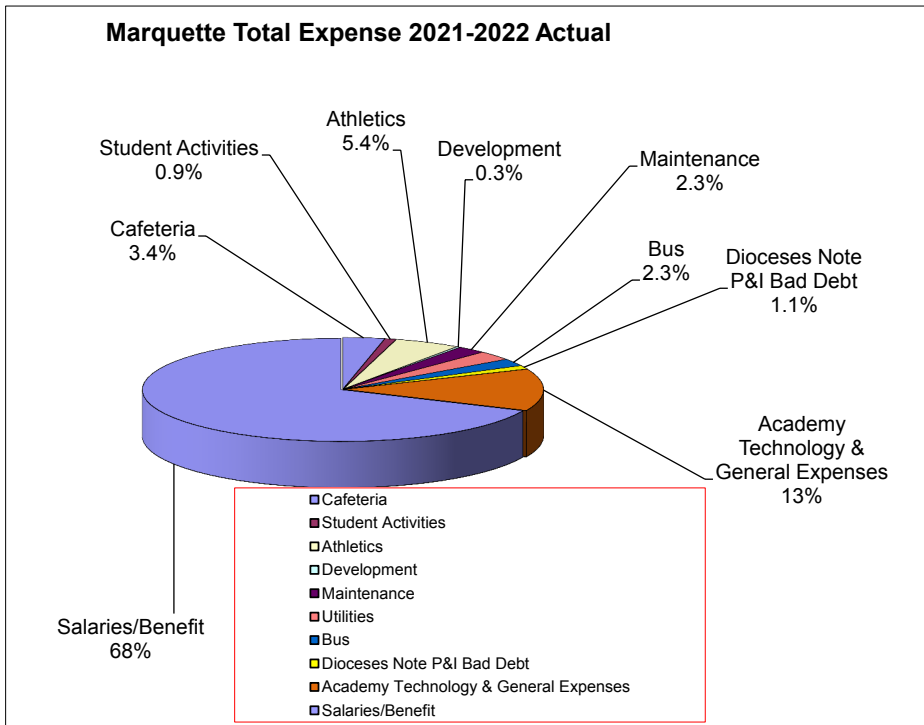
Total Revenue \$3,769,446.51



REVENUE

Tuition & Fees	1,751,584.57
Assessments	925,262.74
Interest	64,767.30
Contributions & Grants, Scholarships	407,197.69
Other Income	19,445.57
Athletics	166,956.79
Cafeteria	126,000.55
Development	308,231.30

Total Expenses \$3,564,211.17



EXPENSE

Cafeteria	120,461.09
Student Activities	32,601.48
Athletics	191,046.40
Development	10,418.19
Maintenance	83,076.45
Utilities	102,774.02
Bus	80,929.62
Dioceses Note P&I Bad Debt	40,434.20
Academy Technology & General Expenses	467,935.69
Salaries/Benefit	2,434,534.03
Total Expense	3,564,211.17
Total Revenue	3,769,446.51
	205,235.34

MARQUETTE SOCIETY ANNUAL GIFT FUND APPEAL
10/15/21 TO 6/30/22
(\$92,305.00)

The *Marquette Society* was formed in the fall of 2003. The following Clubs were established, and donors were invited to join the Society to become a member of one of the Clubs. Over the years, many have climbed the ladder and many more have joined the society. There are presently approximately 300 members in the Marquette Society.

Time and time again, Marquette has been blessed with alumni, parents and friends who realize that the advancement of the school depends not only on the vision of the current administration, but also on those benefactors who provide consistent annual support. Thank you for your continued prayers and financial support.

1000 Paul Street Club (\$10,000 and over)

Marquette has changed thousands of lives over its 161 year history. The first structure was a frame building situated at the corner of Washington and Paul Streets in Ottawa, IL. The historic address is used to name this level to recognize those farsighted individuals who have committed to the vision of Marquette into the future.

Mrs. Mary Crowley

Knights of Columbus-Ottawa

Shield Club (\$5,000-\$9,999)

Three outstanding virtues of a Christian Crusader are symbolized in the traditional crusader shield; the drawn sword for courage and fortitude, St. Joseph's staff for purity and family dedication and the lighted lamp for wisdom and knowledge. Finally, the cross is the symbol of our faith.

Mr. James Hoffman

Victory Club (\$2,500-\$4,999)

This level is a nod to the success of those students who have struggled against odds or difficulties in the classroom, on the playing field, in an extracurricular program, or in their personal lives.

Deacon & Mrs. Michael Driscoll

Mrs. Mary O'Brien

Principals Club (\$1,000-\$2,499)

Since 1859, the Principal has been the educational and spiritual leader of our school. This club is dedicated to the alumni and friends who have mirrored this leadership in their Christian lives. Members are acknowledged for advancing the educational opportunities at Marquette.

Mr. Scott Anderson

Dr. Dennis Corcoran

Mr. Michael Olson

Mrs. Joan Bernabei

Mr. & Mrs. Frank McCallum

Mr. Kenneth Peddicord

Mrs. Joyce Buck

Mr. & Mrs. Ed McGinnis

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Mr. & Mrs. Doyle Olson

Sisters of Mercy Club (\$750-\$999)

"...the matter being duly discussed is finally and unanimously agreed upon-that a colony of five should go upon said mission. The Rev. Mr. Terry with the consent of the Bishop of Peoria preparing to make ample provision for the Sisters until such a time as the revenue arising from the school would be adequate to support them." (Words of Sister Xavier, Superior-August 18, 1859.)

None

Ambassadors Club (\$500-\$749)

We are all ambassadors of Christ. We honor these donors for the investment they have chosen to make that secures Marquette Academy High School's place in the forefront of secondary education.

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Crusaders Club (\$250-\$499)

Crusaders zealously strove to win the Holy Land from the Muslims in the 11th, 12th and 13th centuries. The Academy's Knights and Crusaders continue to strive to learn and practice the Christian values and principles for which our ancestors fought.

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Mr. Raymond Swaback
Mr. Joseph Wisniewski*

Mrs. Kathleen Farrell

*Mr. Patrick Kunkel
Mr. & Mrs. John Macbean*

Gold Club (\$100-\$249)

"For the Blue and Gold will always stand, and the laurels that we gain will remain." The lives our students lead after graduation is the true measure of our success. Contributors to the Gold Club insure the continuance of our traditions. Traditions are embraced, dedication is the norm, and excellence is the expectation.

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Mr. Don Wisniewski

Dukes Club (\$1-\$99)

A Duke was a leader in battle. Members of the Dukes Club are recognized for their commitment to the education of young people to be leaders, confident of the future because of the education they have acquired at Marquette.

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Mr. & Mrs. Francis Bandura
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FATHER EDWARD DUKE LEGACY SOCIETY

The Father Duke Legacy Society is an honorary society comprised of alumni, parents, and benefactors who have provided for the future of Marquette in their estate plans. The Fr. Duke Society was established in 1997 to honor and recognize people who have remembered us in this planned giving way. The individual's name is included on the plaque at the time the donor states his or her intention to include Marquette Academy in their planned giving. If you wish to honor Marquette with this type of gift, please contact the Advancement Office.

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Benefactor of Distinction	25,000-49,999
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MARQUETTE MAY MERRIMENT

Forty two years ago, Marquette parents and friends Joe and Muriel (Punch) O'Brien had an idea for a fundraiser-a gourmet catered formal sit-down dinner with a silent and live auction of merchandise that was donated by the community. That first event took over a year of planning and a very large committee of volunteers. It was a HUGE success. Bader Gymnasium was transformed into a Parisian experience and packed with nearly 500 guests. Marquette May Merriment and the Marquette Development Office were born. This first dinner-auction netted nearly \$112,000-a substantial amount in 1983. May Merriment became the talk of the town and was considered the premiere social event in the area. We were the first to stage an event like this. Many other organizations have patterned similar events after this one over the years.

Since inception, the gala has consistently raised an average of \$180,000 per year and has netted the Academy well over \$5 million dollars. Many changes have taken place through the years; however, the price still includes an elaborate gourmet dinner with an open bar. It is still held in Bader Gym which is converted into an elegantly decorated themed dining room and auction gallery. Auction items and services range in value from \$10 to hundreds of dollars.

Marquette May Merriment is the largest fundraiser at Marquette and still involves hundreds of volunteers. Formal invitations are sent in April, however, reservations are always open to anyone who wishes to support Marquette Academy and have a fun night out. Those who are not able to attend the event in-person can help by purchasing a Big Cash Raffle ticket for \$100 to win \$5,000, \$2,500, \$1000, \$500 or a Grand Prize of \$25,000.00! Online bidding is available. May 6, 2023 will mark the 41st staging of this event.

Marquette May Merriment-*The Greatest Show-May 7, 2022*

<u>Revenue</u>		<u>Expense</u>
<i>YEAR EVENTS:</i>		
Rips Gift Gathering	4,315	0
Dress Down Week	550	0
Mini Ravinia	5,329	2,478 (Food/Entertainment)
Mum Sale	881	0
Merry Everything	24,559	3,381 (Payouts/Printing)
Wreath/Greens Sale	2,000	0
Alfano's Pizza Sale	5,764	3,499 (Pizza cost)
Berta's Alumni Night	3,356	1,000
Super Bowl Raffle	5,400	2,200 (Payouts)
Stock The Bar	Many donations	
<i>AUCTION NIGHT:</i>		
Module Sponsors	3,450	0
Cash Donors	9,455	0
Catalog Ad Donors	1,900	0
Gold Sponsor	22,000	0
Mobile Sponsor	2,800	0
Website Sponsor	2,250	0
Dinner	17,100	16,544 (Caterer/ Chairs/Linens/Centerpieces/Comp tickets/Vol meal)
Bar		218 (Supplies/Condiments)
Entertainment		450
Big Cash Raffle	68,400	37,750 (Prize payouts/Partner payment)
Grill Raffle	2,100	860 (Purchase)
Chance Raffle	330	0
Generator Raffle	925	1,199 (Purchase)
Games	2,140	100 (Payout)
*Crowd Funding	11,400	(Ongoing effort)
Silent Proceeds	29,984	2,461 (Purchased items)
Live Proceeds	21,075	4,410 (Purchased items)
After Auction Sales	110	
Misc. Proceeds	1,450	
Covered Costs	203	

General Auction Expenses

Licenses-Liquor/Raffle	50
Invitations	766
Decorations	242
Sponsor Banners	123
Postage:	500
Invitations	
Cash Raffle	
Acquisitions	
TY Letters	
Other	
Credit Card Fees	2,323
Software Fees	2,495
Office/Auction Supplies: 343	
Paper-catalog	
Envelopes	
Labels	
Cardstock	
Misc	

TOTAL REVENUE	TOTAL EXPENSE
\$249,226.00	\$83,392.00
\$165,834.00	

*Crowd Funding

As a replacement to the annual May Merriment Fund-A-Need module, this year we introduced the concept of Crowd Funding. This is an ongoing day to day internet effort to raise funds for projects and missions in need on a smaller scale from a larger pool of donors. The donor has the ability through the MA Bid Pal (www.bidpal.net/crowdfunding) site or on the MA Website (www.marquetteacademy.net) to choose and contribute to these particular needs as they see fit. Crowd Funding projects will be time-sensitive and change throughout the year to meet specific goals.