

## Season's Greetings

### From the Desk of the Chief Executive Officer



With the holiday season upon us, I want to express my gratitude and appreciation to each and every one of you. Thank you especially to our teachers and staff for their unwavering support of our students and each other.

Together we have weathered a very difficult year at the school and in the wider community. We have been incredibly successful in keeping our students safe and healthy while maintaining a high-quality education whether in person or through distance learning. That is due, in large

### League School to Conduct All Learning Remotely from January 4th-8th



Out of an abundance of caution, League School has made the decision to make the week after the holiday vacation break (January 4th-8th) a remote learning week for all of our students.

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### Reimagining the Vocational Program for Continued Success



Prior to COVID, students worked at over 30 offsite locations. Many of the vocational programs were indoors; state rules limit the number of students allowed in a van; the culinary arts

kitchen and Hawk's Nest store were too small to allow social distancing; and the school needed to repurpose the vocational center for larger classroom space. Therefore, it was critical to find new options. [LEARN MORE](#)

### MIT Research Opportunities for League

part, to the commitment and dedication of our entire team.

While it looks like there may be a light at the end of the tunnel in the next few months, we will remain vigilant and continue to follow the strict safety protocols and procedures that have guided our community since April.

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## School Students and Their Families



Massachusetts Institute of Technology®

Families of League School students interested in participating in autism-related research have a new potential opportunity through the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Department of Brain and Cognitive Sciences and Media Lab. This research seeks to improve understanding of autism and enhance daily life for people with autism and their families. [LEARN MORE](#)

## Consider Making a Gift to League School before December 30th



The past few months have been challenging for us all. Yet as we continue to deal with these adversities, our amazing teachers and staff continue to redefine "Excellence in Autism Education".

It was with your past support, we were able to ensure our teachers and staff had the resources to help our students and families get through these difficult times.

Please consider making a donation to League School before December 31st. Your gift, at any level, will enable us to continue providing learning opportunities for students to achieve their educational goals and ultimately reach their fullest potential in all aspects of life.

Thank you in advance for your support. Best wishes for a Happy and Healthy Holiday Season!

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## What Else is Happening at League School?



**#LEAGUESTRONG**  
BIKE-A-THON

On November 14th and 15th, more than 50 teachers, staff, friends and families participated in the inaugural #LEAGUESTRONG Bikeathon. A virtual event that helped raise over \$11,000 for our Outdoor Learning Area project.

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Still looking for that perfect gift for someone?

Check out League's Holiday Marketplace, filled with incredible gifts made by League School Students.

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**PARENT  
WORKSHOPS**

League is holding a variety of virtual programs to improve collaboration with parents while it's not possible to meet in person.

We encourage parents to take advantage of these opportunities.

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