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SEATTLE'S JESUIT COLLEGE
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

SINCE 1891

LEVEL THE FIELD

RAISE THE BAR

Prep's campaign for program equity and excellence.

PHASE 2



We've Levelled the Field!



THANK YOU!

Thank you to the entire Prep community for completion of Phase 1 of our *Level the Field, Raise the Bar Campaign*. Over 3 million dollars was raised to transform campus spaces into equitable programming. A special thanks to our lead donors, the Lico Family (pictured below), for their transformational gift. The new Lico Athletic Complex is now proud host to our winning Panthers as well as a multitude of community events.

Here's what we accomplished in Phase 1.



PHASE 1 NOW PROVIDES

modern athletic spaces
and locker rooms

- **New girls' and boys' locker rooms** that are now equal in size, a reflection of our student body evolution from 400 all boys to a current coed enrollment of 760.
- **New and expanded** athletic trainers' room and coaches' offices.
- **Renovated lobby and Athletic Hall of Fame** for McHugh Gymnasium.
- **Renovated Panther Place** (Panther apparel and snack shop).

PHASE 1

NOW PROVIDES

learning resource center

- **New windows and ventilation system** in Prep's Melonson Learning Resource Center (LRC). The LRC is a vital resource that serves close to 150 students every year.



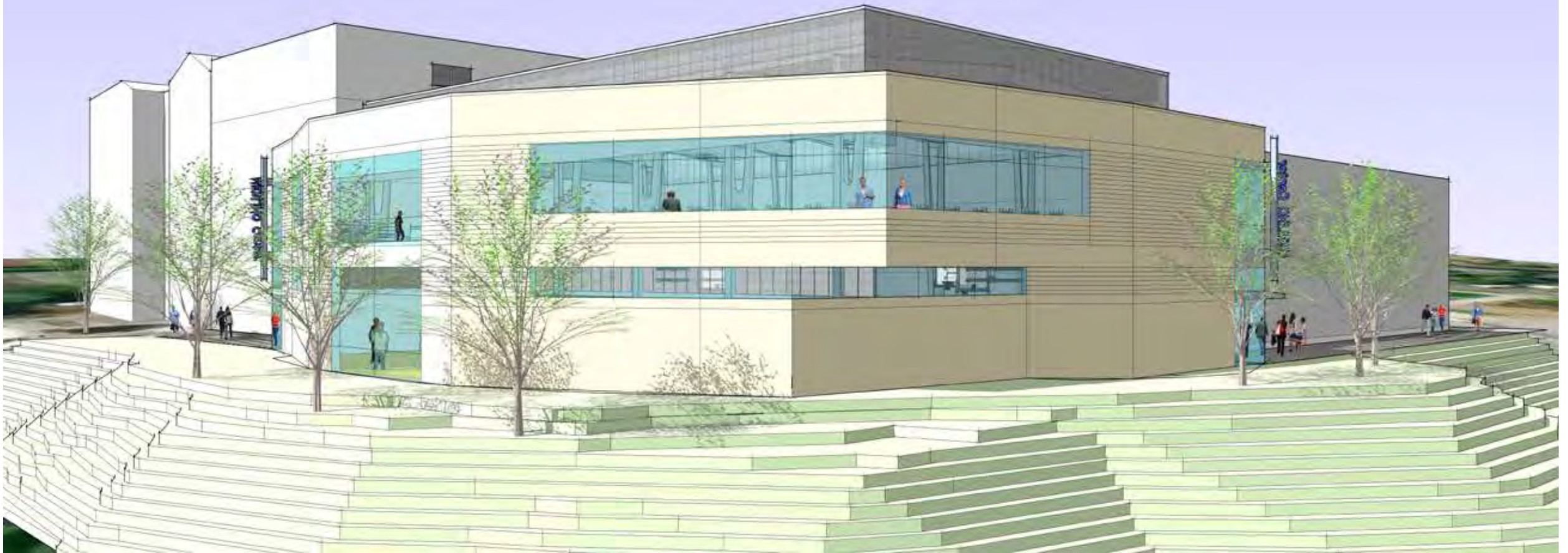
the arts

- **Renovation of an underutilized space in the Lee Family Arts Center** serves as a new studio for individual projects, pottery classes, and even a make-up and wardrobe space for Prep's outstanding theater program. With eight additional arts courses added over the last 10 years, the space is being put to good use.
- **New air conditioning system** in the Healy Chapel and Theater now provides relief for not only drama and choir performances, but for all community events.



PHASE 2

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW MULTI-USE MERLINO CENTER





It's now time to Raise the Bar!

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Prep's substantial growth in enrollment, programming, and participation over the last 10 years has forced us to maximize every space on our limited urban campus. Historic highs is a "good" problem to have and, fortunately, an optimal solution is now available to Prep: The construction of a new multi-use facility—the Merlino Center—on the current Rudolf Athletic Field.

With real estate shrinking on campus as well as throughout the city of Seattle, athletic playing fields have also become a premium. The existing Rudolf Athletic Field will be relocated to the undeveloped Delmar property located on the north side of campus.



“This new multi-use facility presents an incredibly exciting opportunity for Prep. Over the last ten years our enrollment has increased by 100 students and we have added over 20 co-curricular programs. Our diversely talented student body will greatly benefit from a new facility that addresses their needs and inspires students to continue to live out the *magis*. The Merlino Center is the perfect solution.”

-Dr. Erin Luby
Seattle Prep Principal



CAMPAIGN GOAL \$14.7 MILLION

PHASE 1 - COMPLETED!

McDonnell Hall Renovations: locker rooms, athletic trainers' room, gym entrance, hall of fame, theater, arts studio, and learning resource center upgrades.

\$3.8 MILLION

PHASE 2 - NEWLY RELAUNCHED

Construction of the Merlino Center on current Rudolf Athletic Field and relocation of the field to the Delmar property.

\$10.9 MILLION

Phase 2 would not be possible without the leadership support of the Merlino Family. Donna & Gary '58 and Joan & Don '60 have pledged a transformational gift of \$4 million in support of this second phase of the campaign.



PHASE 2

PROGRAM IMPACT

Construction of a new multi-use Merlino Center will provide:

- **Athletic practice space** with a surface suitable for multiple sports (volleyball, tennis, track, basketball, and baseball/softball batting cages).
- **Capacity for multiple activities** (PULSE dance team, robotics tournaments, grade-level meetings, lunch overflow, and social events).
- **Additional space** for HEX (Health and Exercise Science) classes.
- **5,000 square foot, two-level weight room and dynamic training area.**





MAXIMIZE PREP CAMPUS

ADDRESS PROGRAM GROWTH



PHASE 2

THE DOMINO EFFECT



It's not only the addition of new space that makes this campaign significant, but also the indirect impact made to our program as a result of the reallocation of space.



- The **Rudolf Athletic Field**, currently on the site where the Merlino Center will be built, will be moved to Prep's undeveloped property on the north side of Delmar Drive.

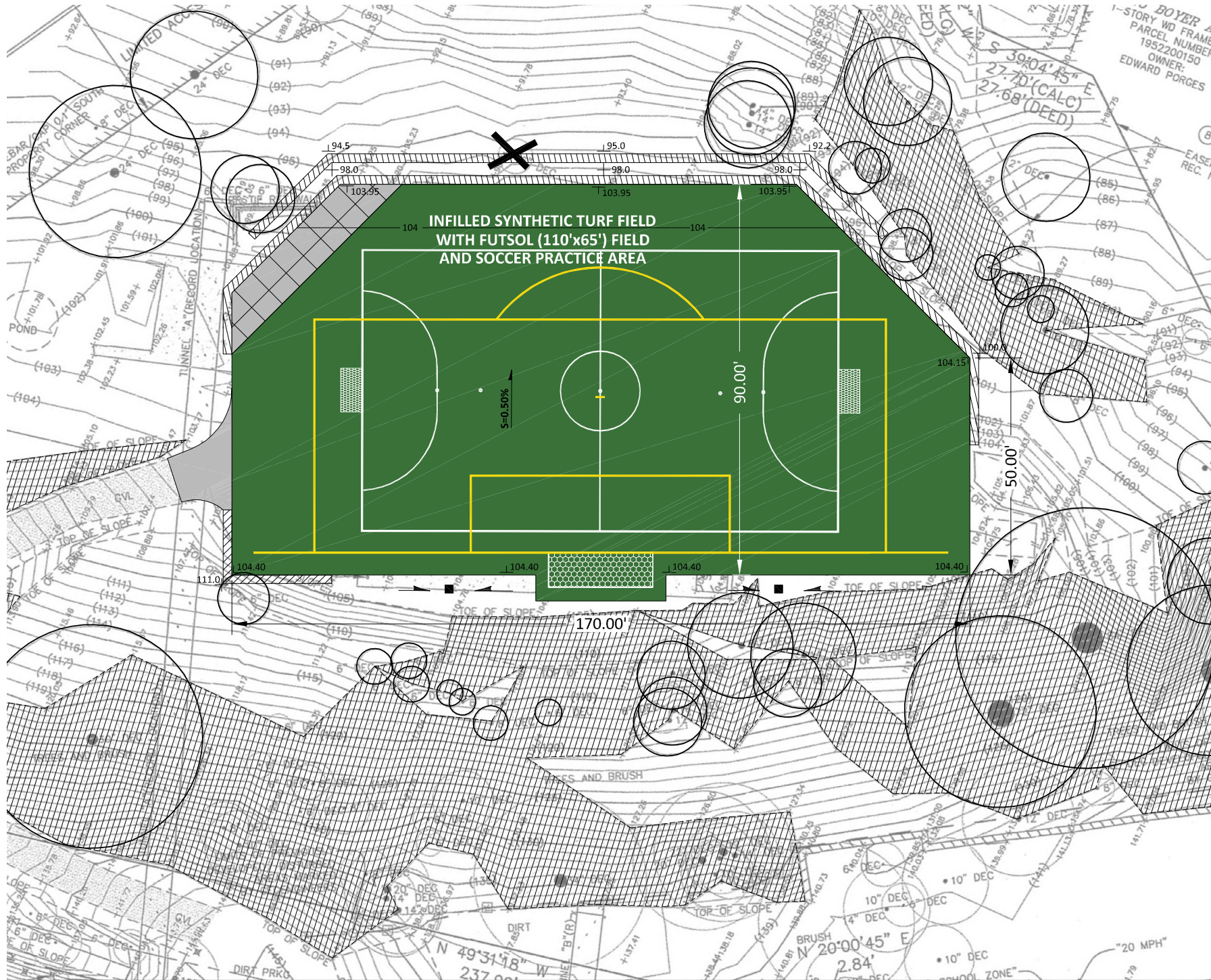
Breathing life into this vacant lot will invigorate curricular (HEX classes) and co-curricular programming (lacrosse, soccer, football, track). Practice space is at a premium throughout Seattle. Prep is fortunate to own this undeveloped property so close to campus; the time is right to develop it for use by our students.

- **5,000 square foot, two-level weight room and dynamic training area.** Once the current strength and cardio programming is moved to the Merlino Center, Aldephia Memorial Hall will make room for three new academic-focused spaces.



STRENGTH IN NUMBERS



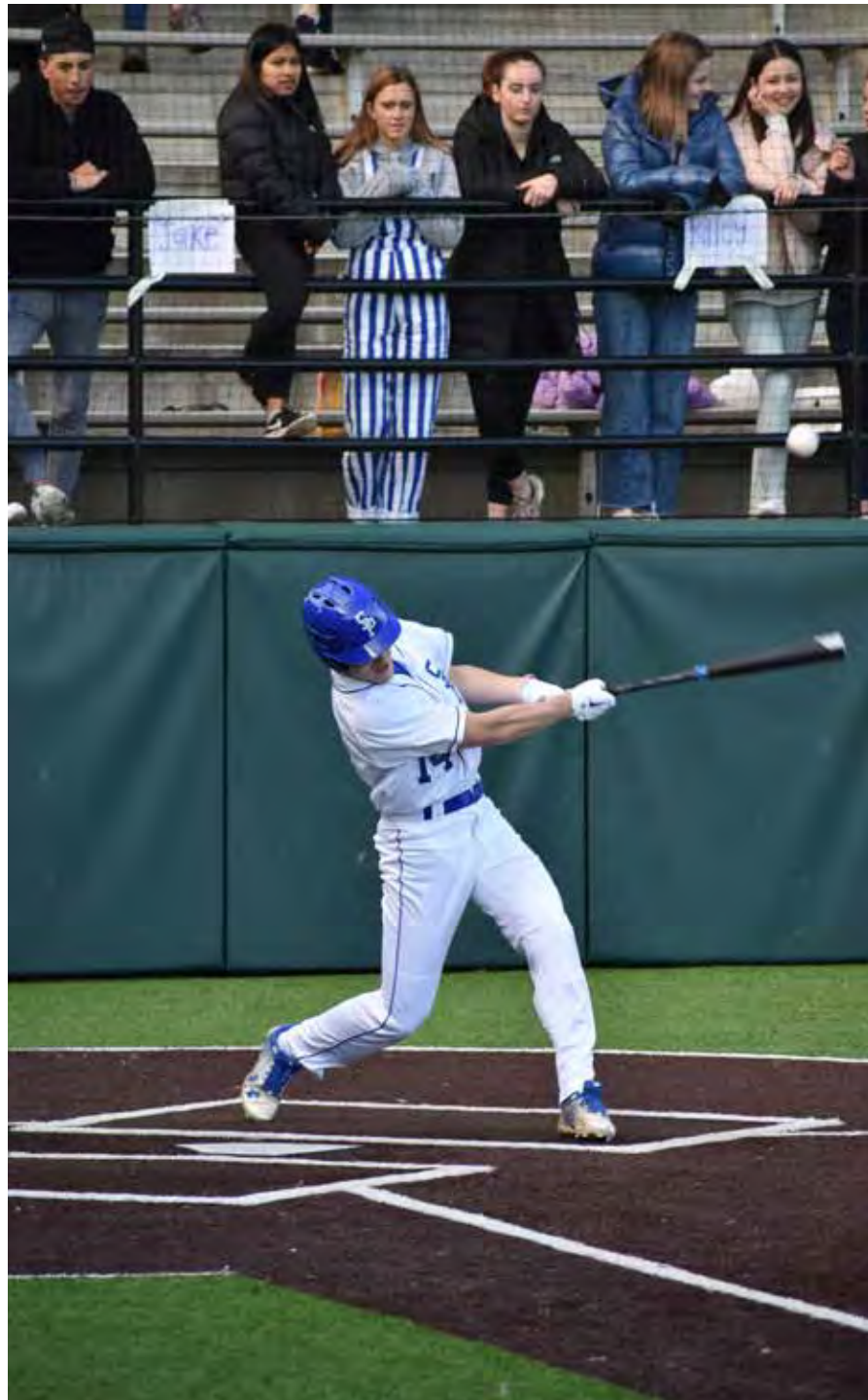


RUDOLF ATHLETIC FIELD

“

The opportunity to
realize potential.”





Student athletics, academics and co-curriculars all benefit in the *Level the Field, Raise the Bar Campaign*.

PULSE DANCE TEAM

ROBOTICS COMPETITIONS

OLYMPIC WEEK COMPETITION



INTRAMURAL SPORTS

SUMMER CAMP

RETREATS

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTING

HEX (HEALTH & EXERCISE SCIENCES) CLASSES

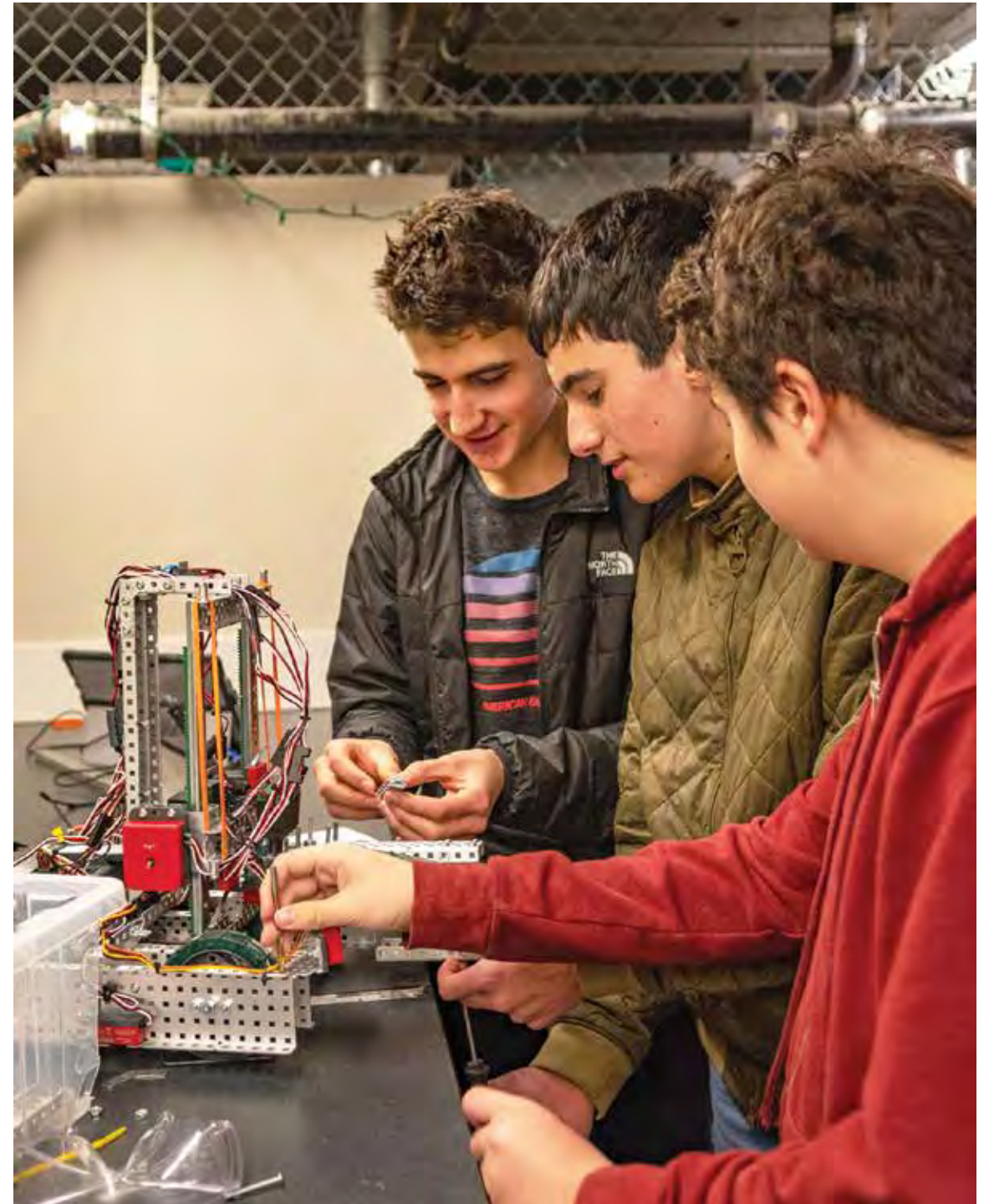




MAKING ROOM FOR LEARNING ▼

Additional spaces in Adelphia Memorial Hall suitable for a reimagined technology center, an additional classroom, and a robotics center:

1. The relocation of the existing **Firmani Flex Tech Space** allows for a larger learning space and additional programming, both academic and co-curricular.
2. Classrooms are at a premium given our expanded offerings and high enrollment. An additional benefit of the Merlino Center is an **additional classroom**.
3. Our **robotics program** is currently relegated to a storage room due to lack of space. Moving the cardio program to the Merlino Center will open up space in Adelphia Memorial Hall for a Robotics Center.





PHASE 2 = MORE OPTIONS = MORE LEARNING





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Early conceptual design of the Merlino Center to be constructed on the northeast corner of campus, on the site of the original Adelpia building and current Rudolf Athletic Field.

LEVEL THE FIELD RAISE THE BAR EXPANDS OPPORTUNITIES FOR EXCELLENCE AT SEATTLE PREP