

Hello TCA Community! I'm James Fradette, a father of three Titans, and want to thank you for letting me serve on the board for the past 3 years. I'm seeking re-election to a second term so I can continue highlighting the importance of TCA's mission and use my experience and skill to help our community transition into new leadership.

As our community moves towards a new TCA President, it's essential to keep our mission within tight focus – "TCA exists to assist parents in their mission to develop exemplary citizens, equipped with analytical thinking skills, virtuous character, and a passion for learning, all built upon a solid foundation of knowledge."

I'm seeking your vote and will highlight two points to consider.

First, I've spent hundreds of hours building critical relationships across our community and learning how TCA functions. I've learned a lot about classical education and charter school governance. Over the past three years, these conversations have given me insight into what makes our school special.

- TCA Founders sharing stories about their dedication to TCA and vision for our school.
- Early families sharing the concepts and philosophy that drew them here.
- Parents and families that reinforce lessons at home and intentionally create the community feeling that keeps us all with TCA.
- Teachers and staff who role model the core values that leads to loving and shaping of our children.

This has provided me with the foundation to be a strong, knowledgeable Board member for the next three years.

Second, over the past three years I've conducted myself as a stable, level-headed board member that seeks various viewpoints and guidance before making a decision. I've taken this position very seriously and am vested in the future of our school. I have and will commit again to hear all stakeholders and understand all critical aspects of TCA. This means parents, students, teachers, staff, and our D20 community have a say. I will also commit to seeking guidance from our administration experts in critical areas like operations, security, academics, activities, HR, and finance.

Each piece needs attention for The Classical Academy to function at its highest potential.

The TCA Board is the most amazing volunteer position. Everyday, I'm amazed by the people I meet and happenings around our campuses. Board Members must ensure our mission and core values are sharply within focus.

I have incredible respect for The Classical Academy and desire to keep it special for my kids and future students. It would be a privilege to serve as a Board member for another 3 years.

Sincerely,

James Fradette

TCA Board - Chair (2021-2023)

TCA Board - Treasurer (2020-2021)