

THE St. Joseph PROJECT

Our Faith, Our Future.



UPDATE: Fall 2016



SEPTEMBER SUCCESS!!!

WHEN IT COMES TO LARGE-SCALE projects of this size there are a million and one obstacles ready to upset even the best laid plans. Going from flat earth in June 2016 to an operating school in less than 3 months simply isn't done in the real world - until now.

Sept. 2016 saw our St. Joseph students back at school in BRAND NEW CLASSROOMS for the first time in almost fifty years! Britco LP has confirmed that our SJS project is the largest (and fastest) modular build ever done in the city of Kelowna. As amazing as this milestone may be, it only happened due to the many committed, creative and just plain generous individuals involved in this incredible project from the very beginning. From our earliest donors, to our parish communities - our pastors, the Knights, the CWL, our Bishop and so many, many more. We've seen dedicated parents and volunteers working overtime just to make this dream a

reality. Even our teachers put in hundreds of extra hours just to make sure their students started the year in the same organized, welcoming surroundings they left at the start of summer. We've seen our amazing tradespeople and site workers go above and beyond countless times, putting forward their best efforts in service of our school. We are truly blessed.

While the overall project is far from complete - due to the monies left to be raised - we still expect to see the admin offices, welcome atrium and more ready for use by mid-Fall. And while it's tempting to start patting ourselves on the back for a job well done we are only now making the turn to the home stretch. It's time to lock this project down!

To properly finish all that's been started we need to raise the final \$1.2 million as soon as possible. For us to properly plan and fund the new site re-organization, Doyle infrastructure upgrades, building demolitions, drop-off areas plus courtyard completion we absolutely cannot stop moving forward. The new school is wonderful but the best is yet to come. Help us complete this project so St. Joseph can shine once more!



JOSH GORGES SCORES \$57,000 FOR SJSP

The Josh Gorges 4 on 4 Street Hockey Tournament held at IRHS over the summer was a huge hit! Not only did we see tons of fans, families & players (plus over 170 volunteers!) having a great time in the Okanagan sun but we raised a tremendous amount of \$\$\$ for the St. Joseph Project too. Special thanks to all who gave so generously of their time, talents and treasure. We can't thank Josh and his NHL friends enough for the time they spent playing with kids (and adults) of all ages. These great folks put themselves and their families out there for our community in a way that will not soon be forgotten. Have a great season Josh! We're cheering for U!

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