

MIDLAND SCHOOL

Midland School provides a unique college preparatory boarding school experience to a diverse student body. Through study and work it teaches the value of a lifetime of learning, self-reliance, simplicity, responsibility to community and the environment, and love for the outdoors.





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August 18, 2013

Dear Friends

On behalf of Midland School, it is our pleasure to send this report to you. We want to once again thank the members of the Midland community who value their connection with the School and make it possible for us to continue to provide a unique educational experience to a discerning group of students.

Midland School exists because of the contributions many have made over its more than 80 years of existence. The School benefits from the fact that the generosity of past generations means that Midland operates with no debt, extraordinarily low overhead, and we consistently find a way o provide financial aid to over 50% of our student body. You, our donors, are part of that proud radition of supporting the school so that we can meet our needs and those of our students.

In 2012-13 we graduated one of our strongest classes, a group of twenty four students, each of whom plans to attend college next year. The class showed its leadership and commitment to Midland, as every one of them pledged to make an annual gift to the School each year for the next five years. We are proud of all of our Midland alumni/ae who are "paying it forward."

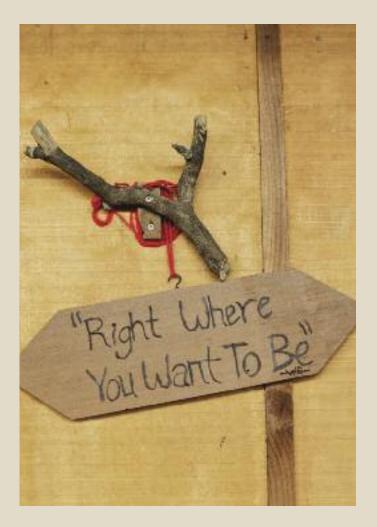
We also completed our first comprehensive Campus Plan. The study and planning effort was undertaken to think strategically about how to ensure that Midland maintains a place-based education on a campus and ranch located at the edge of a remote and wild landscape. The plan addresses critical physical projects and is forward thinking in order to continue to attract well qualified students and provide them with a healthy and functional Midland experience as they prepare for college.

Again on behalf of the entire Midland community, we thank you for your support. We are grateful to the contributors listed within these pages, to our Mighty Oaks legacy donors, and for all of the friends of the school who make it possible for us to continue the Midland tradition.

Sincerely

William L. Graham Head of School

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SCHOOL AND DEVELOPMENT CALENDAR

September 9, 2013 October 5-6, 2013 October 10-11, 2013 October 19, 2013 November 8-10, 2013 November 28, 2013 December 14, 2013 First day of classes Parents Round-Up Weekend Los Angeles Area Gatherings Fall Break Fall Board Meeting at Midland Thanksgiving at Midland Holiday Break

January 5, 2014 February 15, 2014 February 7-9, 2014 February 15-23, 2014 April 5-13, 2014 April 26-27, 2014 May 16-18, 2014 May 31, 2014 School Resumes San Francisco Gathering Winter Board Meeting at Midland Winter Break Spring Break Alumni/ae, Parents & Friends Weekend Spring Board Meeting at Midland Graduation

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Find out what other Alumni/ae are doing. Be a part of our Alumni/ae directory.

We love to hear from you! And we want to keep you posted on what's happening at Midland.

Help us keep our records up to date by providing your current contact information. We send mailings throughout the year, including the Midland Mirror, invitations to events on campus, receptions, and reunions.

Let us know of any news in your life by completing and returning this form. If you are interested in planning a reunion for your class, we are here to help.

> Please email updates to Adele Schopf: aschopf@midland-school.org.

Name:
Class Year:
Address:
Phone:
E-mail:
News:

Do you know of a student that belongs at Midland? If so, please email us their name, telephone, address, and email address to admissions@midland-school.org and we will contact them.

Name: _____

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The community of accepting people. You can't describe it, it's just a feeling of belonging. -Gabe Cruz

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Midland is deeply embedded with traditions that beautifully conflict with the modern world. ~Tasslyn Gester

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A LOVE OF THE OUTDOORS: PROTECTING MIDLAND'S NATURAL HABITAT

Adjacent to both the Sedgwick Reserve and the San Rafael Wilderness Area, Midland's canyons and oak-dotted hillsides have offered refuge for plants and wildlife such as black bears, bobcats, and coyotes. Working with the Trust for Public Land and the Land Trust of Santa Barbara County, in 2010 the school protected the land with a conservation easement that will permanently prevent development of this wildlife corridor.

Midland actively manages cattle grazing by protecting riparian areas in the Alamo Pintado drainage and surrounding springs in the foothills of the San Rafael Mountains. Working closely with ecologically minded cattle lessees and raising our own grassfed beef has helped Midland manage grasslands that had been degraded by invasive non-native grasses and severe grazing over the last 100 years. We are the grateful recipient of multiple grants from the Natural Resource Conservation Service, enabling significant improvements to the Midland property and farm.

We take seriously our role as a steward of these 2,860 acres and work daily to protect our water, air, soil, and cultural resources. We are proud to share our property with guests and friends that join us in our commitment to land conservation, and who enjoy the distinctive opportunity to hike and ride horseback in an unmatched mosaic of Chaparral, Blue Oak Woodland, and Serpentine outcrops.

Midland recently partnered with the Santa Barbara Trails Council to rebuild miles of trails in Birabent Canyon. Unlike any other private ranch in the Santa Ynez Valley, Midland allows hikers free access to more than 35 miles of trails. While visiting, you may have the pleasure of seeing the rare Santa Barbara Jewel Flower.

Our land stewardship practice requires constant work, and we take immense pride in our commitment to protecting and being part of the ecotone where the Santa Ynez Valley meets the San Rafael Range.

When you use the trails, simply fill out a form online at www.midland-school.org under 'About Us' or fill out a permit on campus each time you visit the property.



MIDLAND AT A GLANCE

4 to 1 Student to teacher ratio

8 Number of Heads of School in Midland's history

10 Acres in our organic garder

> 10 Average class size

12 Average number of books read in humanities classes per year

20 Faculty members who live on campus

> 35 Miles of trails and dirt roads on our campus

40-50 Range of yearly percentage of families that receive need-based financial aid

8 1 Years that Midland has been a college preparatory boarding school

400 Heads of lettuce grown each week

2,860 Number of acres on which our campus sits

Midland graduates from the Class of 2013 are attending:

Lehigh University Guilford College California State University, East Bay Allan Hancock College College of the Atlantic Tulane University Wells College Tufts University Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Hampshire College Howard University Wellesley College Kenyon College (2) University Honors Program, Montana State University, Bozeman The Evergreen State College Bates College Humboldt State University Southern Maine Community College Hampshire College College of the Atlantic Santa Barbara City College University of California at Los Angeles



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