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A Message From Yu Ming Students

from **Yu Ming Charter School**

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Dates to Remember

- March 16-June 16 - Yu Ming Lower School and Upper School Campuses CLOSED
- April 13-June 16 - Yu Ming Distance Learning School
- Wed April 29 - FSO (Virtual) General Meeting, 6:00pm
- Fri May 8 - FSO Council Meeting, 8:30am
- Fri May 8 - Board Finance Committee Meeting, 1:00pm
- Wed May 13 - Educational Services Analysis Report Town Hall, 4:30pm
- Thur May 14 - Board Education Committee Meeting - 4:00pm
- Wed May 20 - FSO (Virtual) General Meeting, 6:00pm
- Fri May 22 - Deadline for Yearbook Orders (See Below)
- Mon May 25 - Memorial Day - No School

The full calendar is accessible on ParentSquare [at this link](#).

From the Head of School, Sue Park



We hope you are all safe and well.

Yesterday, Yu Ming's Board of Directors made the decision to announce that our campuses will remain closed for the rest of the school year. I know that while this may not be unexpected news for many of you, it may be received with sadness and disappointment by our students who must face the reality that they will not see their teachers, good friends, and the usual school rituals that mark the end of the year.

Although our Distance Learning program provides a solid framework to sustain learning and connection, we know that it can not replace the in-person connections of the school that we know and love. As you help your students manage their feelings over this loss, please know that we will be here to support them and you.

We now turn to considering how we bring our school year to a meaningful close. Some events will continue as usual but go virtual such as our 8th Grade Portfolio Defenses. Others will need to be reimaged or postponed with careful consideration with our community. Please stay posted for opportunities to share your ideas with me and Principal Pascual.

We also have the opportunity to create new events such as Yu Ming's first ever Virtual Spirit Week (see details below - it's next week!) and our **"Go Fund Yu Ming" Campaign**. This is an opportunity to sustain funding for critical school programs and staff. Thank you for your participation so far which has helped us to raise over \$60,000, bringing us a little closer to our goal of \$250,000. There is still more work to be done. So please join us in making a donation today.

Thank you for your steadfast commitment and support. We are grateful for you all!

With appreciation,
Sue

From the School