Running Against the Clock to Finish the Dream!

The Sprint to Victory Project has met its goal of $1.5 million in cash and pledges to replace our football field turf at Sid Cichy Stadium and build an 8-lane track for our track team. Thank you to all who made this first goal possible. Now comes the final push to turn this track and turf project into the best field complex possible for our students. Facilities do matter. Now football, track, and soccer athletes will have the very best.

We want to share with you the work we still need to do to fully complete both of these projects. After meeting with architects and engineers and inviting bids for our turf and track projects we now have the final cost numbers to make this project fully complete and 100% paid for!

Beyond Turf and Track - The Final Fundraising Goal

After all bidding was completed for this project, we have determined the necessary equipment to make the track, a fully equipped track program. We have evaluated the bids for the turf to create the highest quality, longest lasting field with all the needed enhancements for safety and playability for football and soccer athletes, and for all physical education students. To add all of the necessary equipment for turf and track will cost $1.9 million bringing the total project cost to $3.4 million dollars. With a total of $2.1 million in our expansion fund it leaves us with a $1 million goal in cash and pledges to raise by 9/30/23.

The Necessary Extras

The additional funds to be raised cover the following:

- Moving existing lighting and adding new lighting for both the turf and track.
- New drainage systems/materials needed after turf is moved to extend turf life.
- Upgrading turf covering to extend turf warranty from 10 years to 12+ years.
- Creating a track surface that increase track life from 10 to 20 years of use.
- Providing the necessary finishing landscaping of both track and turf when completed.
- Purchasing all needed track equipment to create a full competitive track program including (nearly $400,000):
  - High and low hurdles
  - Pole vaulting pits, poles and related equipment.
  - Long jumping pits and related equipment
  - Throwing equipment for discus, shotput, and javelin.
  - Starting blocks, timing and measuring equipment.
  - Dry storage facilities for all track, soccer, and turf equipment.
- Purchasing new soccer goal modules that will be compatible with the new turf.
- Purchasing turf field maintenance equipment to care for the turf and extend its life beyond the 12 year warranty!
- Drainage engineering for city zoning requirements including a retention pond for field drainage.

See Other Side
**Remember and Honor a Family with Naming Opportunities**

We have special naming opportunities available for special major gifts from individuals and businesses as well as an all-weather project plaque for all donors. It’s a great way to honor your family or business legacy! Contact John Klocke, director of advancement to discuss these opportunities.

- **Turf ($500,000) -** Naming rights to Scheels
- **Track ($500,000) -** Naming Opportunity **AVAILABLE**
  - An excellent 20+ year business or family recognition opportunity

**How to Give to the Sprint to Victory Project**

Making a one-time gift or pledge of up to five years is simple. Gifts can be: cash, stock, real estate, other property, or IRA.

**Sprint to Victory Gift Levels**

- **All Star -** $500,000+
- **Leader-** $100,000 to $499,999
- **Varsity-** $25,000 to $99,999
- **Pacesetter-** $5,000 to $24,999
- **Sprinter -** $1,000 to $4,999

**How to Make Your Gift**

You can make a one-time or multi-year or monthly pledge gift online by scanning the QR Code below. Scanning this code will take you straight to the Sprint to Victory Project giving page for safe and convenient credit card gifting.

Want to make your gift by Check? You can do that too! Make all gift checks payable to JPII Schools, put Sprint to Victory in the memo and mail to:

**Att’n: John Klocke to JPII Schools, 5600 25th Street South, Fargo, ND 58104**

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**Scan this code to make your gift!**

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**Build it so they can run!**