

**CRISTO REY ALUMNI NETWORK**

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**Working Group**

*Thursday, February 22, 2007*

*8:00PM*

**MEETING NOTES**

**Meeting Started:** 8:10PM

**Attendance:** Guillermo (Memo) Cruz (CR '03)  
Javier Hernandez (CR '01)  
Vanessa Robledo (CR '02)  
Rocio Robledo (CR '02)  
Octavio Gonzalez (CR Alumni Relations)

- 1) Group went around the table and introduced themselves.
- 2) Octavio went over why this group is coming together and outlined two thoughts: a) consistent meetings times; b) perhaps setting as a goal for the group to work on one alumni programming event before CR's graduation (June 8). The group agreed that that was a feasible goal and we should start small and build up. Memo reiterated the importance of having a definite purpose. Rocio agreed and mentioned that a sense of purpose would increase alumni turnout at any events.
- 3) It was mentioned that alumni events need to be more than just "information gathering" events for Cristo Rey.
- 4) Javier brought up that the group should serve a networking purpose.
- 5) Any events proposed would have to get approval from the CR Leadership Team.
- 6) **Alumni Programming Brainstorm:**
  - a. *Alumni-Senior Brunch* – start a new tradition. Have a morning mass then an alumni-senior brunch hosted by the junior class for the senior class.
  - b. *Alumni Retreat* –
  - c. *Spring Social Event* – hosted at the school for alumni sponsored by alumni. Networking possibility.
  - d. *JAV-Alumni Reunion*
- 7) The group set two meeting dates: **March 8** and **March 29** at **7:00PM** in Fr. Gartland's Conference Room.

**Meeting Adjourned 9:10PM**

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

March 8 – Alumni Network Meeting, 7:00PM

March 22 – Pre-Viva Event, Third Rail Tavern (Madison & May), 6:00PM (21+)

March 29 – Alumni Network Meeting, 7:00PM

May 17 – Viva! Fundraiser (Tickets on sale through CR Website [www.cristorey.net](http://www.cristorey.net))