



# The Flaget Museum

Xaverian Hall  
St. Xavier High School Campus



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## "FOREE"

Now that the basketball season is over I want to look back at the 1960 Flaget state championship. I want to look at the team as they were seen thru the eyes of 1960 Flaget graduate Robert Foree. Robert entered Flaget with the beginning of the 1956 school year. He came from Holy Cross Parish. Robert had a talent when he started school, he was an artist. A good number of graphic artist attended Flaget, but because of the caricatures that Robert drew of the 1960 state champions we are going to look at his time at the school. As a freshman his first drawing appeared in the April 12, 1957 edition of the Landmark, it was signed with his "R.F." signature. He changed his moniker to "Foree" with the printing of his drawing in the February 1958 Landmark. Other drawings appeared in the Landmark throughout his Flaget career. After the 1960 basketball championship his full page drawing of the Flaget Brave holding the championship trophy appeared and cemented his place in Flaget history. This drawing was the largest ever printed in the Landmark. He went on to produce the caricatures of the 1960 team. Robert graduated in 1960 and won the award for diligence presented by the school. Copies of these 1960 team drawings appear on the table in the front of the room today. Robert now resides in New Mexico.

The museum is seeking vintage school memorabilia for display in the museum. Trophies, paperwork, athletic letters, Landmarks, and most anything which pertains to the school. Bring the items to any luncheon or drop them off at the museum. Pickup service is available if necessary. If you have not stopped by the museum during the last couple years, please drop by and take a look.