

## **ALUMNI HIGHLIGHT: LAUREN KAUFMAN**

We reached out to an outstanding alumni of the Cambrian School District, **Lauren Kaufman**. Lauren graduated from Price in 2001, lives in San Jose with husband Troy, and is the Business Development Manager at Apple Pay at Apple in Cupertino. “Cambrian set the foundation for my love for learning!” Lauren says. “I’ll never forget my middle school teachers, and how special and empowered they made me feel. I never felt like I got ‘lost in a crowd’ – I always had access to educators who were passionate about seeing their students succeed.” Besides her prominent position at Apple, Lauren started a non-profit called Mo4Paws, an organization that seeks to disrupt the animal kill shelter system and help to adopt out cat and dog companions to loving homes. When asked what her message to Cambrian teaches would be, Lauren replied, “The extra time you spend, and late hours with students does not go unnoticed. This is such an impactful time in young learners’ lives, it truly does leave an impact.”