

# **John and Tashia Morgridge Class of 1951**

**Married for more than 47 years, John Morgridge and Tashia Franfurth met while attending Wauwatosa High School. Both attended the University of Wisconsin, graduating in 1955 with degrees in business and education, respectively. John earned a master's degree in business, and Tashia has a master's in special education. As president and CEO and now chairman of Cisco Systems, the world's leading manufacturer of computer networking systems, John Morgridge advocated for increased technology education. Cisco Networking Academies provide on-line instruction for students, including Wauwatosa. Tashia Morgridge taught for many years and published a book for use in elementary classrooms. John and Tashia invest their time and resources in various organizations and institutions.**

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