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## **ARTS ACADEMY**

### **Board Meeting**

Minutes for

Wednesday, August 19, 2020 at 6PM

Component	Agenda Items			
Opening Exercises	<ul> <li>Call to Order: 6:06 PM</li> <li>Notice of Meeting         <ul> <li>Proper notice was published in <i>The Morning Call</i> on Monday, July 21, 2020.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Flag Salute</li> <li>Roll Call</li> </ul>			
	Administrative Member	Attendance		
	David Rank, President	Present		
	Robert Sirmans, Treasurer	Present		
	Brian Taylor, General Counsel	Present		
	Danny Youssef, Secretary	Present		
	Bradley Schifko, CEO	Present		
	Tom Taylor, Accountant	By phone		
Old	Approval of board meeting minutes from July 15, 2020:			
Business	Motion to approve: Danny Youssef			
	Motion seconded by: Rob Sirmans			
	■ Unanimously approved.			
	Apprecial of July 2020 financials			
	Approval of July 2020 financials:  o Motion to approve: Dave Rank			
	<ul> <li>Motion to approve. Dave Rank</li> <li>Motion seconded by: Rob Sirmans</li> </ul>			
	■ Unanimously approved.			
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Executive	Enter Executive Session to discuss pending legal matters	and personnel matters at:	6:18 PM	
Session				
Return to	Return to Regular Session at: 6:22 PM			
Regular Session				
Enrollment				
Update	End-of-year enrollment (-graduates): 549 - 41 seniors = <b>508</b>			
opuate	Current number re-enrolled: <b>409</b>			
	Current number of definite non-returnees: <b>72</b>			
	Current number of remaining potential re-enrollments: 33			
	Current number of new enrollments: 106			
	Current number of new enrollments in 6th grade: 54			
	Current total enrollment for '20-'21: <b>516</b>			
Chief				
Executive	Marketing, Recruiting, and Branding			
Officer	<ul> <li>Enrollment Event was held 8/10/20, from 9:00</li> </ul>	AM - 5:00 PM		
Report	<ul> <li>Next Enrollment Event tentatively scheduled for the week of 8/17/20:</li> </ul>			
	■ Day / Time: TBD			
	<ul> <li>Individual enrollment appointments have been held throughout the summer to accommodate</li> </ul>			
	families.			
	Curriculum and Academics			

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- IAA Administrative / Consulting team finalized IAA's Health & Safety Plan for the reopening of school on August 31, 2020.
  - Plan has been submitted to PDE
  - Plan has been shared with CASD, our authorizing district, as well as the various home districts of the students we serve
- o The following options for School Reopening Plan are being offered:
  - Virtual (synchronous)
  - "Blended / Hybrid"
- PPE / COVID-19 mitigation measures are being put into place for the protection of all teachers / staff, school visitors, students, as well as their families.
- More planning and preparation will be taking place over the next couple of weeks.

#### Logistics and Operations

- Capital improvements being considered, but currently on hold:
  - Cafeteria
  - Gymnasium:
    - Current estimate to repair / resurface the gym floor is approximately 11.5k. Further estimates are being sought.

#### Charter Renewal Process

 IAA is consulting with AltEd Solutions for expertise in the areas of curriculum, Human Resources, operations, student discipline, etc.

#### Human Resources

- All current vacancies have been identified / posted and interviews / hiring has begun:
  - Interview prospective candidates to ensure that highly-qualified professionals are in place to educate our students for the 2020-2021 academic year.
- IAA will look to maintain its partnership with Substitute Teacher Service (STS), to temporarily fill any vacancies for the 2020-2021 school year, until a permanent teacher has been identified / hired, should the need arise.

#### New Business

- Approval to recycle / dispose of outdated (1950's) Hobart cafeteria stoves that are currently inoperable, obsolete and unable to be repaired:
  - Motion to approve: Dave Rank
  - Motions seconded by: Rob Sirmans
    - Unanimously approved.

### • Approval of IAA Health and Safety Plan:

- Motion to approve: Danny Youssef
- Motion seconded by: Dave Rank
  - Unanimously approved.

### Approval of IAA School Reopening Plan:

- Motion to approve: Rob Sirmans
- Motion seconded by: Dave Rank
  - Unanimously approved.

#### Approval to extend employee contract to the following: 9405731

- Motion to approve: Danny Youssef
- Motion seconded by: Rob Sirmans
  - Unanimously approved.
- Acceptance of the resignations of the following employees: 1572413 and 8078086
  - Motion to approve: Danny Youssef

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	Motion seconded by: Dave Rank		
	<ul><li>Unanimously approved.</li></ul>		
	<ul> <li>Approval of the following School Policies: Board Policies and Administrative Regulations; Suspension and Expulsion; Finances Title Federal Fiscal Compliance - Allowability of Costs; Disposal of School Property:         <ul> <li>Motion to approve: Rob Sirmans</li> <li>Motion seconded by: Danny Youssef</li> <li>Unanimously approved.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
Public	Members from the public are invited to comment on items that are listed on this agenda.		
Comment	Each member from the public will have up to two minutes to address the Board of Directors. The board may choose to hear public comment without providing an immediate response. The two-minute time allotment per public member may be shortened if comments are made about items that are not listed on		
	the agenda for today's meeting.		
Next	Wednesday, September 16, 2020, at 6:00 pm.		
Meeting			
Adjourn	Approval to adjourn board meeting:		
,	Motion to adjourn: Danny Youssef		
	<ul> <li>Motion seconded by: Rob Sirmans</li> </ul>		
	Unanimously approved.		