

Aberdeen Christian School

Board Meeting Minutes

August 21, 2023

The monthly meeting was held in the Chapel at 6:00PM.

Members present: Becky Kaiser, Linda Shoup, Karen Edwards, Larry Inches, Betsey Dinger, and Michelle Ramirez

Along with: Amy Beaner and Sherri Stahl

Good News Items: The Chiller project is done. The last amount of \$22,600 has been donated to finish paying for the project. The roof repair project is also finished. A “Big Thank you” to many people who have been helping with moving items and cleaning the school building. Looking forward to more volunteers to help with the All-School Clean tomorrow. We are also happy to be able to get some of the carpets cleaned and the lunchroom floor cleaned also.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes were emailed to the Board members earlier. A motion was made by Linda to approve the amended minutes. Karen provided a second to the motion and they were approved by the Board.

Persons wishing to address the Board: None

Administrative Report:

Enrollment: 215

Athletics: The fall sports season is underway and going well. Adam Franken has been hired to coach Cross Country. The Board read a letter from Talmage Ekanger. He has decided to no longer video the boys’ basketball games. We are thankful for his talent for video over the last few years.

School Improvement and Accreditation: Information will be shared at the September Board meeting.

Strategic Plan-Goal #1: There is a plan in place to find a new Bible Curriculum. Amy received a sample curriculum from Summit Ministries.

Policy Review: None

Committee Reports

Finance: Financial reports were emailed out prior to the meeting.

Facilities: The Facilities Committee met. They discussed getting 16 cement barriers for the parking lot in front of the gym. They also discussed starting to get a wish list ready for adding bathrooms to the 3rd floor. The elevator repair project is on hold for now.

Boosters: Didn't meet. Their next meeting is planned in September.

Fundraising/ Development: The Foundation will be meeting on Thursday. There was a discussion had on designing a new brochure to give to prospective donors. There is also a meeting on September 6 with a potential speaker for the Knight Out.

Education/ Scholarship: Nothing

Public/ Alumni Relations: They will be meeting Wednesday to finalize the Back to School Open house.

Ad hoc updates: August 3- Education Assistant hiring approval.

Final comments, Questions, Concerns- None

Betsey Dinger, Secretary

