

Board Meeting of Kaleidoscope APC

Date: March 23, 2022	Location: Kaleidoscope, Library in person + Zoom
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Attendance Log:

Board Members				Staff	
P	Todd Boonstra	P	Julie Laker (Chair)	P	Dawn Grimm, Stacey Weeks, Robyn Zinszer, Sarah Boersma, Lisa Atchley, Cindy Hurst
P	Nicole Shelden	V	Tony Munter		
P	Kelsey Short	P	Erin Sansotta	Guests	
	Joe Rizzo (Comm. Rep.)		Vacant (Comm. Rep.)		Mr. Nichols, Dan Castimore

Legend: P - present E - excused absence T - teleconference V - video conference X - exempt

Topic	Information - Finds - Conclusions - Recommendations
Call to Order	6:08
Mission Statement / Introductions	Kelsey Short read Kaleidoscope's Mission Statement
Approval of Minutes	Nicole Shelden motioned to approve February 21, 2022, meeting minutes. Kelsey Short seconded the motion to approve February 21, 2022, meeting minutes.
Approval of Agenda	Nicole Shelden motioned to approve March 23, 2022, agenda. Kelsey Short seconded the motion to approve the March agenda.
Board Acknowledgements	Julie Laker recognized the Artist in Resident Jason Leslie form J. Leslie Studio that we had for a week and the PTA for the funding. 5 th grade Wax Museum that happened and they did a wonderful job. 3 rd - 5 th grade went ice fishing. Nicole Shelden also wanted to thank Robyn Zinszer her work to get the artist in resident. The Wax Museum was great, and 1 st and 2 nd grade had a great time. Dawn Grimm also said thanked the PTA for paying half of the artist in residence and it was great to have him here. Mr. J had a lot of great things to say about our students. Tony Munter just joined on Zoom.
Public Comment	Robyn Zinszer wanted to thank you to the PTA and the beauty of that residency. We were able to build students skills while he was here with us. It felt awesome to put our money where our mouth is. Hope we can figure out a way to get some more PTA /Grant funding to have another Artist in Resident. Cindy Hurst: Mr. J had already taught here, and we can tie that into our Seward trip with tying into what we are learning about.
Principal's Report	<p>a. Staff Updates: Megan Coleman accepted the Secretary I position. Mrs. Krimmel is resigning and is going to stay home with her family. Mrs. Atchley is retiring, and Mr. Gordon is taking a leave of absence. Current posted positions to the KPBSD website are Music, Resource Teacher, Primary and Intermediate (Anne Hays position).</p> <p>b. Enrollment: Currently 232 we lost students last months for a variety of reasons; Enrollment for 2022-2023 school year, no lottery was held because we did not enough applications to meet the 260 as well. Numbers that have accepted K-37, 1st - 2, 2nd -5, 3rd -1, 4th -3, 5th -1 plus calls out and we are waiting to hear after the 24-hour deadline. Our goal is still to get to 260 so we can keep our current staffing for certified teachers since those contracts went out and then we can look at configurations. Nicole Shelden: What is enrollment the total so far for next year? Dawn Grimm: We are looking at 250 right now. However, Aurora has not had their lottery yet and we lose some to Aurora every year that is just how it works. We will work together as a staff to do class configurations we will look at when we have</p>

	<p>more confirmed numbers. Current staffing with the 260 students=12 classroom teachers, 1 resource, and 3 specialist. If enrollment does not allow another teacher, we will have to look at it as a staff.</p> <p>c. Budget: Remaining funds to get to our rollover and we are at 75,000 by June 1st. This does not reflect payroll and sub pay.</p> <p>d. Events: New Student Registration and State Testing is coming up April 4th-8th, April 6- KMS Visit, April 15 is now a school day, make up from our snow day, April 18- APC meeting, April 27- 5th grade is going to Kenai Fjords, May 3rd-Kindergarten's Spring Concert, May 12- 5th play/promotion at KCHS. Other grades have trips planned but we do not currently have busing secured.</p>
Committee / Project Reports	<p>a. Greenhouse: Meeting March 24th at 4PM, to discuss maintenance, garden club, other ideas for the greenhouse with 1 year, 5-year, 10-year plans.</p>
Discussion Items	<p>a. Elections: BIOs request out to parents and due March 29th so that we can get the ballots out and them seated at the May meeting. Nichole Shelden has sent it out to the staff twice but did not know when to close it. Close it the same day the parents are due. If we do not have applicants, then we appoint or we will try again.</p> <p>b. New Student Registration Week: April 4-7 Kindergarten Visits would be wonderful opportunity to meet new parents and let them know what the PTA/APC do.</p> <p>c. APC BBQ: APC will get food, cook, and serve the food. Look at ways to have families bring sides. A-L sides? Or M-Z deserts. Nicole Shelden: Who buys the food? APC buys it and gets the grill. Nichole would be great if we could assign this. Todd will pick up the Grill and Dawn will check on getting one from APOA. May 13 @ 5:30-7:00. A check list of things that will need to get done will be sent out.</p>
Public Comment	<p>Lisa Atchley, I missed the Friday meeting and would like to listen to the meeting on the recording. Kelsey Short said that Stacey does the minutes and then will post them on the website. Nicole Shelden: How does the school board post their recording? Dan Castimore said they have a service that posts them. Nicole Shelden: Is there a way to get it so that they can listen to them. Stacey Weeks: I am still working on those minutes. Julie did do a snippet of the meeting however I am on 40 minutes of a 2-hour meeting so it might be a little bit before it will be available. Lisa Atchley: So, the answer is no but I can read the minutes. Kelsey Short: The answer is that we do not know. Lisa Atchley: Do I have to request to get the minutes? Stacey Weeks: As soon as the minutes are approved by the APC, I will post them to the website. I am not sure how we do the special meeting minutes. Dawn Grimm: We will have to approve the minutes at the next APC meeting.</p> <p>Lisa Atchley: I did not know about the meeting, how was I to know about the meeting? Dawn Grimm: It was posted 72 hours before the meeting on the APC board and since the agenda was posted under the wrong date it might have been confusing. Robyn Zinszer: What is the best way to let staff know when the special meetings are held? Is there a more in your face way to know about special meetings? Nicole Shelden: A staff representative can send out an email to the staff about special meetings. Kelsey Short: Yes.</p> <p>Cindy Hurst: Peter Michicci was a great resource for the BBQ. Dawn Grimm: He uses the APOA one.</p> <p>Mr. Nichols: Can we post the video/recording to an unlisted YouTube? Dan Castimore: The city uses that to post meetings.</p>
Board Comment	
Executive Session, if needed	
Notice of Next Meeting & Adjournment	<p>Next Meeting April 18, 2023 @ 4:15 6:48PM</p>