

Charter Mission Amendment Request

Charterholder Info

Charter Holder

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Performing Arts

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Mission

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The mission statement, goals, and aims of the New Horizon School for the Performing Arts can be found in the attached information section of this application. The New Horizon School for the Performing Arts is dedicated to providing students with a "back to basis" program of instruction through an application to the performing arts.

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Attachments

Board Minutes –  [Download File](#)

Additional Information*

No documents were uploaded.

Signatures

Charter Representative Signature
Jann Wyler 02/09/2017

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MINUTES:

Posted: Wednesday February 8, 2017
Board meeting: Thursday February 9, 2017
Time: 8:30 AM
Place: Jann Wyler office 446 E. Broadway Mesa, Arizona 85204

Pursuant to A.R.S. sec. 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Governing Board of the New Horizon School for the Performing Arts and to the general public that the Board will hold a *REGULAR* Board meeting open to the public on Thursday February 8, 2017 at the office of Jann Wyler at 446 E. Broadway, Mesa Arizona. As indicated in the Agenda, the Board may vote to go into Executive Session with regular to any matter listed on the Agenda, pursuant to A.R.S. sec. 38-431-03. A.1 regarding personal matters, pursuant to section 38-431. A.2, regarding confidential records, and pursuant to sec. 38-431.03 A.3 and /or A.4 legal advice or with regard to contracts that are subject to negotiations, in pending or contemplated litigation, or in settlement discussions conducted in order to avoid or resolve litigation. Legal advice may be obtained by telephone. If any disabled person needs any type of accommodation, please notify Jann Wyler at 480- 655-7444 at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

AGENDA

Time: 8:32 AM

Roll Call: Bob Aker, Nancine Mason, Linda King, Jann Wyler, Jim Wyler

1. ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF CHARTER SCHOOLS REVIEW OF VISIT

- a. Overview of the Visit January 24, 2017
- b. #1 Copy of what they were looking for the Visit . see outline on #1 attachment.
- c. #2 Welcome notebook for the Representatives - see outline on #2 attachment .
- d. Report of the State Visit : Nancine Mason

1. Three members of the Arizona State Board of Charter Schools were here for the Site Review and three members of our school staff.

- Tammy Mandel – Education Program Manger
- Ericka Ciganek
- Rachel Hannah

School staff:

- Jann Wyler – Superintendent- Director and Co-Principal,
- Nancine Mason , Curriculum Specialist,
- Cynthia Hegarty – Instructional specialist.

2. Jann Wyler report of the day

- a. Mrs. Wyler presented the AZ Board members with a welcome packet.
- b. We toured the school with the Board Members.
- c. We met in Jann Wylers office for the Board to see and review the notebooks listed below:

Jann Wyler's office

- Highly Qualified
- Curriculum Mapping K-6th
- Advisory Board Meetings and Minutes

Teacher's rooms on their desks or close by :

- Grade Level Lesson Plans
- Grade Level Curriculum Maps

Office:

- Resume notebook
- Fingerprint notebook
- ELL Test Scores
- ELL Student Cum Folders

- d. Mrs. Wyler and the AZ State Board of Charter Schools members visited Music, where Mr. Wyler, Co-Principal, Music and Violin Teacher was teaching the 1st graders tone, and pitch.
- e. Visited the Dance room, Mrs. Huffaker the dance teacher of 20 years was working with the 1st graders, who were practicing dance in preparation for the K-3rd Grade school musical, "Come Fly with Me" .
- f. The Board Members had our site map, and went to visit each of the classrooms.
- g. The classroom teachers had their curriculum maps, lesson plans, and teacher handbooks were on their desks or close at hand.
- h. In the afternoon we, the three board members and the three members of our staff, reconvened to review the findings.

The corrections that needed to be made was regarding the school's Mission Statement. It did not match in three locations where it was to be listed:

- School website: www.nhorizon.net
- Parent Student Handbook
- Arizona State Board of Charter Schools website.

- i. **Report from Nancine Mason and her observation of the site visit:**
The board members did visit all of the teachers. They spent about 10-15 minutes in each classroom. They board members looked around
They wanted to see what we used for our Summative and Formative assessments so Nancine and Cynthia went to the classrooms and showed the board.
They did talk about the Mission Statement.
Were able to find everything they needed at our fingertips.
The only thing they noticed was the Mission Statement was different. The AZ Board was very thorough. They counted the number of hours of instruction
And we were way over. They seemed very happy with our school.

- j. **#3** Email sent to Jann Wyler on February 1, 2017 from Tammy Mandel regarding the corrections that need to be made. Jann Wyler called Tammy Mandel and we went over any thing that needed to be done. She showed me the procedure of how to correct it on the Arizona State Board of Charter Schools web site.

- An Advisory School Board meeting had to be held to correct the Mission Statement and have it approved by our Advisory School Board, this we are doing today.
- Correct it on the Arizona State Board of Charter Schools website and follow the process for that to be accomplished. This will be done today.
- Corrected on the schools website www.nhorizon.net and it has been done.
- **#4** Corrected in our Parent Student Handbook and it has been done.

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Vote to accept the Mission Statement and any changes there to.

1st Jim Wyler motioned that we approve the mission statement, and make corrections where needed such as the website, Parent handbook, and Charter Board.

2nd Nancine Mason

Discussion : The Mission Statement has been updated on the website, Parent Handbook, and today it will be uploaded to the Arizona State Board for Charter Schools.

Vote: All in favor – All

Opposed: None

- 2. #5 ADE State Visit February 23, 2017 / Title I program and Title I Review**
Discussion: Our Accounting department is giving information regarding the Expenditures for the Title I program, Linda King our Secretary has all of the backup receipts. Jann Wyler has the Title I program outline as 21 pages, We are cutting down the Title I Review packet for the parents to 4 pages.
- 3. Continuous Improvement Plan Committee meeting**
Carrie Larson and our School Improvement Committee meet once a month This month it will be February 15, 2017. Our main topic will be to be sure all Items are ready for the ADE Site visit on February 23, 2017 regarding the Title I Program. We are moving toward having the school move from The Targeted Title I Program to a School wide Title I Program for next year. Jann Wyler reviewed the two programs with the Advisory Board and they have copies of the Title I program and the Title I Review for the parents.
- 4. #6 School Calendar for 2017-2018**
We are following the Mesa Public Schools calendar.
Vote to Approve the school Calendar for 2017-2018 and update the website with the 2017-2018 School Calendar.
1st Jim Wyler
2nd Linda King
Discussion: None
Vote: All in Favor
Opposed : None
- 5. Bank changes – National Bank of Arizona**
Jann Wyler: At our last Board Meeting we discussed the change to a new bank, National Bank of Arizona. We changed as to refinance the school saving the payment to almost half of what it was with Comerica which is about \$1,500 a month. We have officially moved banks, banking accounts, all venders were notified etc.
- 6. Enrollment for 2017-2018 begins February 21, 2017**
Jann Wyler reports: The office is working very diligently to update any enrollment forms and the Parent Student Handbook for 2017-2018.

7. **#7 Policy – Discipline –Expel, Suspension, Demerits, Revised Feb. 9, 2017**
1st Nancine Mason
2nd Bob Aker
Discussion: To Revise the Title: Discipline, Demerits, Suspension, Expulsion
Add under Demerits 3- Demerits in one day the child may be sent home.
Jann Wyler will give the office secretary this Policy as changed today for her to
Put it in the Policy Book that is in the office. Add to the Discipline Blue Slip
Red Slip Page at the end Blue Slip explanation add that a Blue Slip = 1/3 of a demerit.
Update the Blue Slip and Red Slip page to be alignment with our School Master site.
Linda King and Nancine Mason will revise the page as talked about and accept.
Vote to Adopt the Discipline, Demerits, Suspension, and Expulsion
Vote
All in Favor: All
Opposed: None
8. Jann Wyler reported an update on the 4th, 5th, 6th Graders Music Camp at
Tonto Rim Camp April 24, 25, 26th. The Students will be going.
The buses and camp have been notified and it is verified. Someone donated
Enough for 10 students to go to camp, we have 51 students + 10 staff.
9. Jann Wyler reported that the Student council Field Trip – Mesa Museum in March/
The Student council has earned money for the field trip through the money earned at the
Friday Student Stores. They have made over \$500 to fund the expenses of a Taco Bell
lunch at the school prior to the Visit at the Mesa Museum. Admission will be paid
through those proceeds.
10. **#8 Fiscal 2015 Revised AFR/ Board Vote on revised budget for 2015 –**
Expenders related to Special Education.
On Page 2 / the Ellen our past Accountant in 2015 overstated what was paid out of the
general fund. We had revise to lower the amount that was spend less than was reported.
1st Nancine Mason
2nd Bob Aker
Discussion: None
Vote: All
Opposed: None

Adjourn 9:18 AM