Mountain Sage Community School - Board of Directors' Agenda 11/27/18

Location - MSCS, 5:30-8:30 PM

Intro Session 5:30 pm

- A1. Call to Order:
- A2. Attendance:
- A3. Approve Minutes:
- A4. New Business:
- A5. Approve Agenda:
- A6. Our Mission: Cultivating the Creative Mind
- A7. Public Comment 3 minutes per person limit 20 minutes total

Education

B1. Financials Refresher (Amanda)

Business Session

- B2. Updates and Discussion
 - B2.1 Financial Update- Mary and Amanda (moved to the top)
 - A. October 18 Income statement, balance sheet, monthly ratios Reviewed by board. Update from Mary on the progress for fee collection
 - B. <u>Budget</u> Reviewed by board with Amanada
 - B2.2 Consent Agenda
 - A. Policy approval FE & FEAA Moved to approve: Cyril, Second: Eric
 - B2.3 Director's Report-Liv
 - A. Recent events
 - a. Loss of student
 - i. PSD support was well appreciated
 - ii. Grateful that everyone worked as a community to support each other
 - iii. Scheduling a celebration of life for the student in December
 - b. Aftercare licensure was submitted, waiting on response
 - B. Looking ahead
 - a. Alumni Q&A
 - b. Homeschool enrichment
 - i. Tough to work all grades together
 - c. Recommitment with staff
 - i. Happening in January
 - ii. Contracts in April
 - iii. Hiring needs after January conversation
 - d. Upcoming Professional Development
 - i. Trauma informed care 30 minute video for staff
 - ii. Mindfulness workshop in January with staff
 - iii. Diversity and inclusivity training later in year
 - e. Partnerships

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- Discussion on how we can work to fill our large enrollment for MSCS for 2021 with Riversong. This will not change our enrollment policies.
- C. Student Council and Parent Circle updates
 - a. They are working together for winter gear drive

B2.4 Board Logistics- Melinda

A. <u>MSCS Bylaws</u> - Reviewed and board agrees that these are ready for Liv to take these to PSD for approval by the District. Liv will work on a draft correspondence and bring to next meeting

B. Review of election documents - Feedback was collected for next revisions, Melinda will compile this information and get first solicitation to Liv. This will be a stand alone solicitation.

Board Candidate Solicitation - Verbiage that will be used for solicitation

Board Member Election Process - Goes online

Board Candidate Requirements - Goes online

Board Member Requirements - Goes online

Board Election Calendar - Internal use

Election: April 1st at 8 am - April 8th 4 pm

B2.5 Fund Development Committee- Eric

- A. Scrip School wide adoption. Targeting \$9,000 income for the year
- B. Grants Not hitting the desired number.
 - a. Barrier for grants is teachers to get comprehensive information to writer
 - i. Solution may be early in the year training that would include fundraising forms.
 - ii. Make a working session for the staff through the grants
- C. Spring Social Looking for a venue in April
- D. Capital Fundraising Colorado Gives fundraising

B3. Strategic Planning

B3.1 Parent Circle

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B3.2 Financial Business Model

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B3.3 Outreach Program

- A. Fund Development Committee Refer to above
- B. <u>Donor calls</u> All board members to complete their lists by Dec 3rd. Greg taking Jon & melinda calls. Hilary taking Mary calls. Mary taking Hilary cards
 - B3.4. Marketing Strategy
 - A. Making progress with Jeremy to build a solid foundation
 - Suggestion to include how did you hear about us on intent to enroll forms
 - B. Post school policies online Mary and Liv will meet on policies online
 - C. School solicitation via email- Jon

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B3.5 Integrated Standards

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Closing Session 8:15 pm

- D1. Review All Consent/Action Items
 - D1.1 Board Rotation/ Leader for next meeting-
 - D1.2 Follow up on thank you cards
- D2. Move to Adjourn 8:35 pm
- D3. Closing Verse: Steadfast I'll stand in existence. With certainty I tread life's path. Love I cherish in the depths of my being. Hope I place in every deed. Confidence I place in every thought. These five guide me through existence. These five guide me to the goal.