



The GLOBE Academy

GLOBE Board of Directors Meeting

Date and Time

Monday April 30, 2018 at 7:00 PM EDT

Location

2225 Heritage Drive NE, Atlanta, GA 30345

Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			07:00 PM
A. Record Attendance and Guests	Discuss	Sharon Camara	
B. Call the Meeting to Order		Sharon Camara	
C. Vision, Mission and Core Values	Discuss		5 m
<p>Vision: To develop globally minded citizens who have the knowledge, skills, and attitudes to effect positive change in our world.</p> <p>Mission: The GLOBE Academy fosters Global Learning Opportunities through Balanced Education for children of all backgrounds. With a focus on dual-language immersion, an experiential-learning model, and a constructivist approach, GLOBE inspires students to be high- performing lifelong learners equipped to make a positive impact in the world.</p> <p>Core Values: The GLOBE Academy's core values are expressed in the acronym, CREST: Community, Respect, Empathy, Sustainability and Trust. These values are expected of the governing board, faculty, staff, parents, and students. They are woven into daily life at GLOBE and incorporated into the curriculum.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community: We are inclusive, and we nurture and support one another. • Respect: We treat ourselves and each other with kindness and dignity. • Empathy: We strive to understand and share the feelings of others. • Sustainability: We aim to conserve our resources for optimal use in the present and future. • Trust: We are committed to honesty, transparency, and respectfully sharing our thoughts and encouraging others to do the same. 			
II. Public Comment			07:05 PM
A. Public Comment	FYI	Sharon Camara	5 m

- Limited to 10 speakers. Each speaker is limited to two minutes.
- Speakers may sign up via email at boardofdirectors@theglobeacademy.net or at the meeting.

III. Consent Agenda **07:10 PM**

A. Approve Agenda	Vote	Sharon Camara	5 m
B. Approve Minutes	Approve Minutes	Sharon Camara	5 m

Approve minutes for Board of Directors Meeting on March 26, 2018

IV. PTCC Report **07:20 PM**

A. PTCC Report	FYI		5 m
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V. Administration and Committee Reports **07:25 PM**

A. Head of School Report	Discuss	Christi Elliott-Earby	5 m
B. Academic Committee Report	Discuss	Ryan Hudak	5 m
C. Finance Committee Report	Discuss	Chip White	5 m
D. Facilities Committee Report	Discuss	Juan Archila	5 m
E. Development Committee Report	Discuss	Will Acree	5 m
F. Communications Committee Report	Discuss	Anita Patel	5 m
G. Governance Committee Report	Discuss	Stacey Moore	5 m
H. Strategic Planning Committee Report	Discuss	Sharon Camara	5 m
I. Diversity Committee Report	Discuss	Monique Hudson	5 m

VI. New Business **08:10 PM**

A. Board Class Designations	Discuss	Sharon Camara	5 m
B. Open Meetings Compliance Audit	Discuss	Sharon Camara	5 m
C. Kiwanis Club and DeKalb Chamber of Commerce Participation	Discuss	Sharon Camara	5 m

VII. Closing Items **08:25 PM**

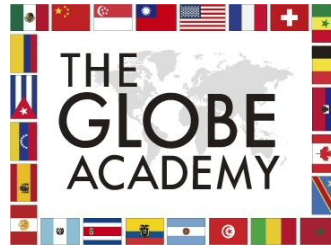
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote		
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Approve Minutes

Section: III. Consent Agenda
Item: B. Approve Minutes
Purpose: Approve Minutes
Submitted by:
Related Material: Minutes for Board of Directors Meeting on March 26, 2018

APPROVED



The GLOBE Academy

Minutes

Board of Directors Meeting

Date and Time

Monday March 26, 2018 at 7:00 PM

Location

2225 Heritage Drive NE, Atlanta, GA 30345

Notice of this meeting was posted at campus and on the GLOBE website in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1.

Directors Present

A. Patel, B. Williams, J. Archila, M. Hudson, R. Hudak, S. Camara, S. Moore, W. Acree

Directors Absent

C. White

Guests Present

C. Elliott-Earby, K. Holder

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance and Guests

B. Call the Meeting to Order

S. Camara called a meeting of the board of directors of The GLOBE Academy to order on Monday Mar 26, 2018 @ 7:01 PM at 2225 Heritage Drive NE, Atlanta, GA 30345.

C. Vision, Mission and Core Values

Vision, Mission and Core Values were read by board members.

II. Public Comment

A. Public Comment

There were no public comments.

III. Consent Agenda

A. Approve Agenda

The agenda and minutes were passed by consent without objection.

B. Approve Minutes

S. Camara made a motion to approve minutes from the Board of Directors Meeting on 02-26-18.

A. Patel seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

IV. Executive session

A. Real estate matter

Motion made by Ryan to move to executive session to discuss a real estate matter. Motion seconded by Anita. Motion approved by all present. Moved to executive session at 7:15 p.m. Motion to leave executive session made by Anita. Motion seconded by Stacey. Motion approved by all present. Returned from executive session and meeting called back to order at 7:46 p.m.

V. PTCC Report

A. PTCC Report

A formal report was included in the packet. Robyn Brandman reported that unofficial numbers from the PTCC Annual Auction are at or above \$90K. Monique offered to serve as the Board contact for the Golden Globes PTCC Volunteer Celebration.

VI. Administration and Committee Reports

A. Head of School Report

Milestones dates are set for April 11th and April 12th. MAP will be on April 17th. Science is on April 19th and social studies on April 20th. Fifth graders are the only ones who will take science and social studies. Everyone else will do ELA. Sandra Daniel and Christi both attended the Southern Conference on Language Teaching (SCOLT) 2018 Conference held at the Renaissance Concourse Atlanta Airport. Christi presented on DLI. GLOBE is in the middle of hiring new personnel. The current vacancies include the following positions: kindergarten teacher, 3rd grade French teacher, 5th grade Mandarin teacher, part-time middle school French teacher, part-time middle school Spanish teacher, part-time 8th grade science teacher, 8th grade math teacher, part-time PE teacher for UC, full-time Special Ed K-3rd teacher and a full-time Special Ed 4th-8th teacher. Current enrollment is at 777. Kudos to the staff who helped in facilitating coverage for the National School Walkout. Kudos to Sandra Daniel and Rebecca Mashburn for preparing the students who performed for "International Day at the Capitol."

B. Academic Committee Report

A formal report was included in the agenda packet. A discussion was held about making the international trips one of the fundraising priorities. In addition, there was also a discussion regarding engaging corporate sponsors.

C. Finance Committee Report

There is no formal report this month. The committee is working on posting the updated financial documents onto the school's website.

D. Facilities Committee Report

A formal report was included in the packet.

Motion made by Anita to approve next steps discussed for Project Nation Action # 1. Motion seconded by Stacey. Motion approved by all present.

Motion made by Anita to approve next steps discussed for Project Nation Action # 2. Motion seconded by Monique. Motion approved by all present.

Motion made by Anita to approve next steps discussed for Project Nation Action # 3. Motion seconded by Stacey. Motion approved by all present.

E. Development Committee Report

There was no formal report this month. The committee met earlier in the month. Megan Adams has laid the groundwork for the grant-making process. The Annual Fund stands at \$229K, which does not include the numbers from GLOBE Rocks!

Motion made by Ryan to designate any money raised above the \$200K operating gap in the FY18 budget into a fund earmarked for capital projects. Motion seconded by Anita. Motion approved by all present.

F. Communications Committee Report

There is no formal report this month. Meeting will be held in the coming weeks to discuss mascots, branding and colors.

G. Diversity Committee Report

A formal report was included in the packet.

VII. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

Motion made by Juan to set the next meeting for April 30, 2018. Motion seconded by Ryan. Motion approved by all present.

The next scheduled meeting will be held on Monday, April 30, 2018 at 7 p.m. at Lower Campus.

A. Patel made a motion to adjourn the meeting.

J. Archila seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
K. Holder

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PTCC Report

Section: IV. PTCC Report
Item: A. PTCC Report
Purpose: FYI
Submitted by:
Related Material: 2018.04.30 PTCC Report.pdf

PTCC MONTHLY REPORT

APRIL 30, 2016

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 7-11 – Teacher Appreciation Week

May 9 – PTCC Compliance Board Meeting

May 17-18 – Field Day

May 23-27 - Lower Campus Book Fair

MONTHLY OVERVIEW

PTCC Annual Auction

Raised \$97,000

Fund a Project raised funds for new science materials
Teacher Treasures raised \$18,000

Earth Day Celebration and Screen on the Green

Campus gardening event at LC

Hip Waders stream clean up

Screen on the Green community building

Annual GLOBE Wish List Finalized

Finalized wish list for purchase

Purchasing items over the summer

Working on creating written procedures as well as clarification in bylaws

Golden Globes Volunteer Celebration

Celebration and recognition of all PTCC volunteers

Danita Mank - Parent Volunteer of the Year

Avis Herron – Teacher Volunteer of the Year

PTCC 2018-2019 Leadership Team

Co-Chairs - Kady Weingart and April Green-Fields

Secretary – Christina Waide

Treasurer – Jason Korzan

Classroom PAC - Chaffraix Rowles and Melody Crowley

Communications PAC – Alison Mueller and Nicole Klein

Facilities PAC – Michelle Rios and Paulina Hawkins

Fundraising PAC – Lauren Korzan and Laura Hancock

Global Awareness PAC - Rhea Rajkumar and Melanie Anderson



PTCC GOALS

- Increase PTCC volunteerism; inspire new volunteers
- Pass the 2018-2019 PTCC Budget by August 2018
- May plan 2018-2019 activities; Draft PTCC Year in Review
- June-July orientation for new LT members

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Head of School Report

Section: V. Administration and Committee Reports
Item: A. Head of School Report
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: 2018.04.30 HOS Report.pdf

HOS Report

4/30/18

Updates

Milestones dates - Preliminary data coming in looks great.

FLAG competition was held here Saturday, over 500 people competing.

MAP testing for the next two weeks.

Enrollment

May	Out/+	Aug.	Out/+	Aug.	-/+	Sept.	-/+	Oct.	-/+	Nov.	-/+	Dec.	+/-
K: 144		144		144		144	-1	143		143		143	+1
1: 144	0	144	-1	143	+1	144	-2	142 (twins)		142		142	+2
2: 67	12	132	-1	131		131				131		131	
3: 92	4	63	-1	62		62			-1	61		61	-1
4: 76	13	79	-2	77		77				77		77	
5: 93	7	69	-1	68		68			-1	67		67	
6: 70	+3	96		96		96			-1	95		95	
7: N/A	8	62	-1	61		61	+1	62		62		62	
Total:	686	789		783		784		782		778		778	

Jan.	+/-	Feb.	+/-	March	+/-	April
K: 144		144	-1	143		143
1: 144	-1	143		143	+1	144
2: 131		131	-1	130		130
3: 60		60		60		60
4: 77		77		77		77
5: 67		67		67		67
6: 96		96		96		96
7: 62	-1	61		61		61
Total:	780	779		777		778

Kudos

Avis Herron was the Teacher Volunteer of the Year from the PTCC>

Becca Mashburn and Brian Gay took the middle school band and orchestra to Six Flags for a very competitive competition.

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Facilities Committee Report

Section: V. Administration and Committee Reports
Item: D. Facilities Committee Report
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: 2018.04.30 Facilities Planning Report.pdf



The GLOBE Academy

Facilities Committee Report

April 30, 2018

Committee Chair: Juan Archila

Report Type: Meeting Report. Board Action Required.

Committee Meeting Date: April 17 (via conference call)

Attendees:

Juan Archila, Josh Gregory, James Minderhout, Delilah Wynn-Brown

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Mr. Archila called the meeting to order at 6:31pm.

II. Public Comment

No one spoke.

III. Task List Review

A. Lower Campus Fall 2018 Modulars:

1. Still no word from Dekalb County on the Land Disturbance Permit. We have connected Pond & Company with a plan expeditor to keep pushing on our behalf.
2. We received three quotes from the following contractors: Mark Howell, Inc., Lefko Construction, and Lichty Construction. Mark Howell, Inc. is the apparent low bidder and I am seeking Board approval to move forward with them.

B. Operations and Maintenance:

1. We have been approved to proceed with yardwork for the house at 4069 Briarcliff Road. We will discuss a regular maintenance contract in our next meeting.

IV. Adjournment

The committee voted to adjourn the meeting at 7:08pm.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 1, 2018 at 6:30pm in the Lower Campus conference room

End of Report

cc: Jason Bitar, Denise Clayton-Purvis, Doreen DeFlavis, Christi Elliott-Earby, Darren Fagan, Josh Gregory, Ryan Hudak, Brad Jones, James Minderhout, Elizabeth Oliver, Amy Stone, Denise Procida, Chip White, Mira Williams, Anna Witte, Delilah Wynn-Brown

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Diversity Committee Report

Section: V. Administration and Committee Reports
Item: I. Diversity Committee Report
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: 2018.04.30 Diversity Committee Report.pdf

Diversity Committee April 2018 Report
 Monique W. Hudson, Committee Chair

Last in person meeting held March 21, 2018 Lower Campus at 8:15am.

Next in person meeting at 8:45am Wednesday May 9th, 2018. Lower Campus.

Committee deliverables presented in lieu of April meeting. Deliverables captured in objectives table below.

Objectives from Diversity Plan as included in final Charter Renewal document.

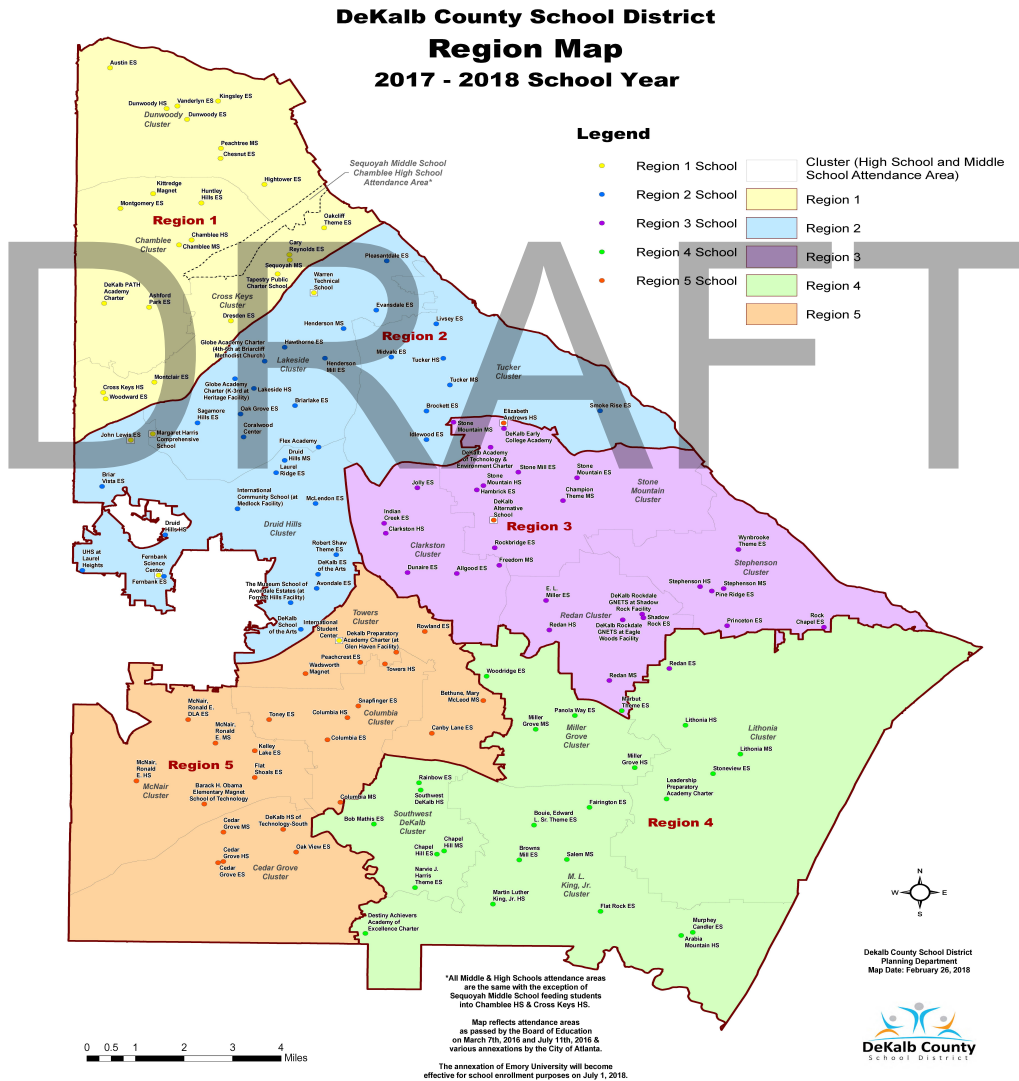
Develop a recruitment plan for 2018-2019 so that the diversity of our student body meets or exceeds the diversity of the population from which our students are drawn. Plan is to focus on recruitment of students with greater economic diversity. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Includes online and hardcopy materials in languages served by the school (English, Spanish, Mandarin and French) - Includes holding at least three public sessions where resources are available to discuss the school in the four languages and where assistance with applications is offered - Includes disseminating flyers in the four languages to pre-K and Headstart programs near GLOBE - <i>See list of pre-K and Headstart programs and additional recommendations in Appendix B below</i> 	Diversity Committee Supported by: Registrar	9/30/17	Recruitment Plan completed and presented to BOD for review at September board meeting Diversity Committee to monitor progress on recruitment plan monthly from November through March 4/29/18 Note: Recruitment plan closely monitored through reports from Registrar regarding recruitment efforts and applicant data.
Establish an ongoing diversity-related goal which includes training for faculty, staff and board	Diversity Committee	9/30/17	Revised Diversity Action Plan by 9/30/17 4/29/18 Note: Cannot be revised until Equity Audit

			<p>completed. MWH has followed up with group referred to see if it can be completed by the end of the school year. Considering pushing audit until next year with audit being completed after first few months of 18-19 school year so that community can be engaged.</p> <p>OR administering “Educational Equity Needs Assessment” survey similar to COD schools.</p>
<p>Define training requirements for employees and board members. Select vendor if necessary and offer diversity training to all employees and board members beginning in the 2017-2018 school year <i>See additional recommendations in Appendix D below</i></p>	<p>Diversity Committee</p> <p>Supported by:</p> <p>HOS and assistant HOS</p>	<p>Requirements: 10/31/17 Training complete: 5/31/18</p>	<p>Diversity Committee to receive progress reports on training implementation</p> <p>3/3018 Note: Diversity training quarterly. Second staff retreat. Beginning of school year for parent trainings. Board level training. Faculty and staff trainings will not be optional.</p>
<p>Committee determine baseline of current multicultural activities at GLOBE and establishes goal</p>	<p>Diversity Committee</p>	<p>11/30/17</p>	<p>Committee submits to November BOD meeting</p> <p>4/14/18 Events reported: By staff and PTCC see below.</p>
<p>Committee creates goals to mentor, promote and retain a diverse faculty (may include outreach to HBCUs or other teaching schools with diverse student base), staff and board of directors that is committed to the values of diversity, inclusion, equity and multiculturalism and thrives in all areas of teaching, scholarship and service. Consider a goal to increase the number of diverse faculty and staff employed by the school by 10% by the end of the charter term <i>See additional</i></p>	<p>Diversity Committee</p>	<p>12/31/17</p>	<p>Committee submits to December BOD meeting HOS to provide written report. Oral summary provided during March 2018 committee meeting. Report to include expected vacancies, methods/places of recruitment, known applicant demographics.</p>

<i>recommendations in Appendix C</i>			
<p>Committee evaluates makes recommendation related to GLOBE retention. Assesses retention and school climate in detail. Clearly define what we want each student's/staff member's/board member's experience at GLOBE to be and then have tools/training plan to implement. Tools include culturally responsive teaching training and support for faculty or diversity training and support for faculty, staff, and governing board members. Annual climate surveys would be a key component of this.</p> <p><i>See additional recommendations in Appendix D</i></p>	Diversity Committee	3/31/18	<p>Recommendation and plan submitted to board</p> <p>4/29/18 Note: Exit surveys and data regarding those who did not complete surveys requested, to include families that did not return between school years rather than withdrawing during the term.</p>
Assess any budget needs related to Diversity Goals and request from Finance Committee	Diversity Committee	3/31/18	Budget request submitted
Explore and recommend transportation options for GLOBE	Diversity Committee	4/30/18	<p>Recommendation and plan submitted to board</p> <p>To be explored by subcommittee with input from BOD RH, MH, and WA.</p>
Committee evaluates and implements mechanism to collect and measure FRL ongoing	Diversity Committee	4/30/18	<p>Diversity Committee confirms plan is implemented for fall of 2018 and ongoing</p> <p>4/15/18 Note: DC Chair to provide revision to the diversity plan and address check list/guide that considers diverse student needs to be referenced by those planning events/making decisions. This should follow the equity audit or survey.</p>

Zip	Region	Part of Town	17-18	18-19
30002		2 Avondale	2.7	2.8
30021		3 Clarkston	2.9	2.5
30030		2 Decatur/Emory	1.5	2.8
30032		5 East Decatur/Gre	3.7	1.8
30033		2 North Decatur	22.8	15.4
30034		5 Southeast Decat	1.5	1.4
30035		4 East DeKalb Sna	1.3	1
30038		4 Panola/Arabia M	2.5	1.4
30058		4 Lithonia	1.9	2.3
30072		3 Pinelake	0	<1
30079		2 Scottdale	<1	1
30083		3 Stone Mtn/Pine L	6.7	6.4
30084		2 Tucker	8.1	7.2
30087		3 Stone Mtn	2.9	3.3
30088		4 East DeKalb/Rec	<1	0
30294		5 Ellenwood	1.7	1
30306		2 Highlands	<1	<1
30307		2 Emory	<1	1
30316		5 South Decatur/G	2.9	1.8
30317		3 East Lake	<1	0
30319		1 Brookhaven	7.1	8.5
30324		2 LaVista Park	<1	1.2
30328		1 Dunwoody/Perim	0	<1
30329		2 North Druid Hills	4.3	4.6
30338		1 Dunwoody	2.1	3.8
30340		2 Evansdale/Dorav	5.1	4.9
30341		1 Chamblee	8.6	7.3
30345		2 Oak Grove/North	12.2	11.3
30346		Dunwoody/Perim	0	<1
30360		Dunwoody	0	1.2

Region	17-18	18-19
1	17.9	22
2	51.3	53.6
3	13	12.6
4	6.9	5.3
5	10	6.2



List of Multicultural Activities

Summer Picnic

International Fest

European Day of Languages Video Competition (GLOBE Overall Winner - Jackson Rosero 7th French) - September 2017

Fall Screen on the Green

Hosh Hashanah Celebration - Parents invited students to participate in learning about this event

Hispanic Heritage Celebration - September 2017

Kennesaw State Confucius GA 1st DLI Conference (GLOBE teachers presented best practices) - September 2017

Interview with FOXNEWS correspondent at LC - October 2017

NABE Essay Competition (GLOBE students grades 4-7th participated) - October 2017

Brazilian Consulate and GLOBE - Mobile Library Project to promote literacy and knowledge of languages and cultures - October 2017

GSU World Languages Day - October 2017

Skype pals with China grades 1-2 Chinese track - November 2017

Inaugurated GaDOE DLI Video Diary, GaDOE interviewed teachers, students, and admin - November 2017

Pen pals exchange with students in France, 6-7th grade French - 2017-2018

DLI in a Day inauguration with the GA Department of State - January 2018

Skyping with Costa Rica grades 2-5, 7th grade - February 2017

Hosted Read Aloud training with the French Embassy bringing in French teachers from several area schools - February 2018

Chinese Heritage Celebration - February 2018

GLOBE Lead with Languages Campaign - February 2018

Pen pals exchange with Colombian students, 3rd grade Spanish - March 2018

GAOME Essay Competition (GLOBE won in grades 1 Jayden, 2 Rohan and 5 Natalie) - March 2018

French Drawing Contest with the Alliance Francaise (GLOBE Winners - Alex Purvis, Sophia, - March 2018

GLOBE Auction - International Books / Literature donated - March 2018

International Day at the Capitol (GLOBE students greeted international business leaders visiting Atlanta, UN members, and key policy-makers, state Superintendent) - March 2018

French Heritage Celebration - March 2018

FACE Foundation / French Embassy Grant for Training Teachers in content training - Number Talks - April 2018

Annistown Skype with 3rd Spanish - April 2018

Hosted FLES Language Competition - April 2018 (Several GLOBE students grades 1-5 will participate)

World Language Academy with 3rd Spanish Skype - May 2018

Hispanic Black History Month

Black History Month

Spring Screen on the Green

Trunk or Treat

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Board Class Designations

Section: VI. New Business
Item: A. Board Class Designations
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: Current Board Members.pdf



Current Board Members

Sharon Camara

Elected to the Board: August 9, 2014

Juan Archila

Elected to the Board: August 9, 2014

Anita Patel

Elected to the Board: July 25, 2016

Chip White

Elected to the Board: January 30, 2017

(Motion: election to a three-year term)

Ryan Hudak

Elected to the Board: March 27, 2017

(Motion: election to three-year term, beginning on July 1, 2017)

Monique Hudson

Elected to the Board: June 19, 2017

(Motion: election to three-year term, beginning on July 1, 2017)

Stacey Moore

Elected to the Board: June 19, 2017

(Motion: election to three-year term, beginning on July 1, 2017)

Will Acree

Elected to the Board: June 19, 2017

(Motion: election to three-year term, beginning on July 1, 2017)

Brian Williams

Elected to the Board: September 25, 2017

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Open Meetings Compliance Audit

Section: VI. New Business
Item: B. Open Meetings Compliance Audit
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: Preliminary Report on Open Meetings Compliance Audit.pdf



Preliminary Report on Open Meetings Compliance

Recently, the DeKalb County School District's Office of Accountability sent notification that a monitoring check would be conducted on April 27, 2018 and a final review would be conducted on June 28, 2018 to ensure the school is in compliance with the nine (9) federal mandates of the Open Meetings laws. Each of the mandates must be clearly designated on the school's website. The nine mandates are as follows:

1. Board membership
2. Board meeting calendar
3. Public meetings on proposed operating budget
4. Annual budget
5. Monthly financial statements
6. Annual financial audit
7. Board and committee meeting agendas
8. Summary of Actions by Board
9. Approved Board and Committee Meeting Minutes

An internal review revealed the following findings:

- Currently, there is no posting of the public meetings on the proposed operating budget. This should be remedied this week, as dates are being finalized and the procedures for proper notice will be followed.
- While the Board is in compliance with the Open Meetings laws, the committees are not. The committees are bound by the same statutory requirements as it relates to the following areas:
 - proper notice - O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1(a)(3)(A)(ii)
 - agendas - O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1(e)(1)
 - minutes - O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1(e)
- While the school is in compliance with the federal mandate of providing a summary of Board actions, it is not in compliance with the state mandate of posting a summary within two business days of the adjournment of a meeting - O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1(e)(2)(A)

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin Holder

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Kiwanis Club and DeKalb Chamber of Commerce Participation

Section: VI. New Business
Item: C. Kiwanis Club and DeKalb Chamber of Commerce Participation
Purpose: Discuss
Submitted by:
Related Material: Report on Kiwanis Club and DeKalb Chamber of Commerce.pdf



Report on Kiwanis Club and the DeKalb Chamber of Commerce

30 April 2018

Below you will find information on local chapters of the Kiwanis Club and DeKalb Chamber of Commerce:

Kiwanis Club

The Kiwanis Club has as its express purpose to impact the surrounding communities of its respective local clubs, particularly through local community service and fundraising geared toward positively affecting the lives of children. The two nearest Kiwanis Clubs are listed below – both are within a three-mile radius:

1. Kiwanis Club – Druid Hills, Atlanta
Meeting location: Petite Violette Restaurant
2948 Clairmont Road, Atlanta, GA 30329
Meeting time/day: Noon, each Monday
At the current time, they do not have an active website
2. Kiwanis Club – Doraville
Meeting location: Church of the New Covenant Presbyterian Church
3330 Chestnut Drive, Doraville, GA 30340
Meeting time/day: 6:30 p.m., 2nd Tuesday of each month
Website: <http://www.doravillekiwanis.club>

Their current projects include engaging in community service at Cary Reynolds Elementary School, Sequoyah Middle School and Cross Keys High School. They also host an annual art and music showcase. In addition, they hold fundraisers to support various local charities.

Dues: Each local club has the discretion to set its own dues. As of this writing, initial inquiries have been made with both local clubs regarding their dues, but neither has responded with that information. Kiwanis International member dues are set at \$52 per year for Tier A; \$34 for Tier B and \$23 for Tier C clubs.

DeKalb Chamber of Commerce

The DeKalb Chamber of Commerce is an organization that is focused on furthering the interests of the local businesses in DeKalb County. The DeKalb Chamber of Commerce has at its focus the following key objectives:

- *Economic development* – collaboration with the Development Authority of DeKalb County (DADC), which offers community-based grants and sponsorships
- *Education and workforce development* – partnerships with the DeKalb County Workforce Development Department, DeKalb Technical College and the Governor’s Office of Workforce Development for initiatives such as GA Work Ready, career programs in DeKalb County high schools, dual diploma programs and Quick Start, which offers customized training to employees at little to no cost for eligible businesses
- *Public policy* – The DeKalb Chamber of Commerce monitors legislation at the local and state level and at times, does take positions on issues that directly impact its membership
- *Small business resources* – Through its partnership with the DeKalb County Office of Economic Development, the Chamber offers resources to its member businesses which includes access to support services and capital and procurement opportunities

Meeting location:

Two Decatur Town Center

125 Clairemont Avenue

Suite 235

Decatur, GA 30030

Meeting time/day: varies

Website: <http://www.dekalbchamber.org/>

Dues: The dues are based solely on the number of employees of that respective organization.

The following educational entities are members of the DeKalb Chamber of Commerce: DeKalb County School District, Decatur City School District, DeKalb Preparatory Academy and Ivy Preparatory Academy.

The DeKalb Chamber of Commerce is hosting an orientation for prospective members. See below for the information:

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Government Contractors Association

3190 Northeast Expressway

Suite 120

Atlanta, GA 30341