



Thursday, July 13, 2023 5:45pm

**Barlow Park Charter School Mission:**

Barlow Park Charter School's responsive environment will encourage all learners to reach their fullest personal potential and become well-balanced, compassionate, curious citizens.

**Barlow Park Charter School Vision:**

Setting a positive trajectory for lifetime learning.

- I. Call to Order 5:47, Katie Grady
  - a. Mission and vision- Read by Katie
  - b. Attendees- Katie Grady, Cathy Scheier, Jason Kauffeld, Ashley Dodson, Jean Rigden
- II. Review & approval of minutes from June 2023 meeting Minutes were not approved.
- III. Community Input - None
- IV. New Business None.
- V. Treasurer's Report- None
- VI. Administrator and Teacher Reports
  - a. Admin Report End of year report needs to be completed with end of year goals by July 31. Will need passive permission outside of this meeting, to be submitted on time. We spent some time discussing the goals and helping Chrissy Damm to complete.
  - b. Teacher Report
    - i. Update on Australia trip- Rachel Mextoxen reported that teachers have been meeting to utilize ideas used from Australia. Using groups of three. Mixing reading groups together- to get kids all in different groups. Security and safety- allowing kids to have more freedom. Teams of three have not been assigned, but will be done after testing and then grouping will begin. Second grade testing will be doing BASS teaching. Chrissy added that this testing may change. Using a phonics scope and sequence. Only 23 students switched levels between grade levels. There was a lot of testing, perhaps this year less testing but using more observation/ play based learning. Idea of using 8 teachers for Math, with one teacher as an interventionist teacher to help students needing more help. Circled back to the idea of doing specials on Monday, to allow teachers more prep time. WRCCS Conference teachers will present on play and walk through their journey through play. Utilizing the idea of pop up libraries because the building is shared with Journey and the logistics of how this might work.
- VII. Council Sub-Committees
  - a. Member Development - Discussion about shifting this back to the full-group.
- VIII. Old Business & Additional Discussion Items
  - a. Possible public communication through presentation at August board meeting .  
Chrissy spoke about how other experiences have updated the public. An update needs to be brought to the board. August 21, 6 PM,
  - b. Public communication through letter to the paper

IX. Adjourn adjourned Move to adjourn at 6:47 by Cathy Scheier and second by Jean Rigden.

**Future Meeting Dates:**

August 8, 2023

September 12, 2023

Annual Meeting: October 10, 2023

**Council Members:**

Katie Grady (Chair) - Cathy Scheier (Treasurer) - Kaitlin Boscaljon (Secretary) - Bailey Patterson - Jason Kauffeld - Ashley Dodson - Jean Rigden