

Apple Playschools Board Meeting Minutes

Date & Time: 06.19.2023 (5:45p - 7:30p) | Location: Zoom

Attendance: Etta Heisler, Lilly Connett, Ricky LaFosse, Sam Larson, Katie Pieper, Jeff Wilkerson. Staff: Brittnai Murillo.

Time (EST)	Topic	Who	Key Discussion Points	Decision to be made	Follow-up needed	Assigned	Deadline
5:45	Good News	Everyone					
5:55	Vote to approve April minutes	Everyone		Board voted to approve April minutes - approved unanimously			
6:00	Board Report	Etta	Looking to hire minor through JCOR, working with Paychecks HR partner for logistics New Admin has started, and is going through orientation Enrollment for 2023-24 is moving, but slow due to backlogged waitlist Grant Updates: Awarded \$10k licensure grant, using at 503 Miller for specific uses Should be hearing back about \$25k grant soon Physical grant update: based on number of grant requests and still being in the queue, not likely to receive the grant in this round Staff exploring grant opportunities Watch for survey link		Review and tag Etta with questions (once finalized, will be ready before Community Meeting)		
6:10	YTLM Financials	Etta/Jeff	Reviewed YTD financials and 2023 projections				
	Committee Updates/Discussion:						

6:15	Board Recruitment	Etta covering for Patricia	Patricia (Board President) to step down at the end of August 2023. Succession planning: Nominations - Jeff (president) & Sam (treasurer)	Discuss; motion for vote.	Align on timeline and onboarding.	Patricia to book follow up call with Etta, Sam, Jeff (week of July 10th).	
			Recruitment efforts: 1. Board Lead - accepted into the program, waiting on matching notification on the 23rd. 2. Vetting several prospective board members Note: Discussed when certain board members will be rolling off the board, and will email family list of schools they represent.		Board Recruitment Email Template - Review Strategy and Revise the Email. Review prospects list / add any others.		
6:25	Site Expansion	Jeff/Etta	 Updates on progress at 503 and challenges/unknowns Discussion of expansion timeline and needs for backup planning 				
7:05	Mud Day	Katie	Reviewed status of raffle donations, ticket sales, and volunteers needed.				
	Project Updates:						
7:20	Employee Handbook (still under construction)	Patricia	Draft progress can be reviewed in board materials online.		Etta to review before emailing out for vote.		
7:25	Executive Director Evaluation	Lilly/Sam	Lilly & Sam to align on a plan to get this completed before Fall session begins.				