

MINUTES

FCLA Governing Board Retreat	7:07 am	9:08 am
Type of Meeting	Start Time	Adjournment Time
Tuesday, June 8th	1080	Julia Squier
Date	Meeting Location	Recorded by

- 1. Attendance/Guest Introduction: Gregg Syring, Kevin Tubbs, Kimberly Willems, Julia Squier, Patrick Lee, Kristie Moder, Jean Pynenberg, Gus Maves (virtually), Kelly Camber
- 2. **Approval of May Minutes:** Julia motioned to approve May's minutes; Kelly 2nd; passed unanimously

3. Monthly Reports:

- **a. Enrollment Update/FTE (Lori/Patrick)** Remains steady; Jeannette Syring might have additional numbers
- **b.** Cash Flow Update (Patrick) \$300 banner ordered for school of the year award from US News and World Reports
- c. Curriculum Update (Kristie/Jean) will create senior highlights for website and sharing; create one-page summary based on Patrick's end of the year review for posting on our website and sharing; Patrick will reach out to figure out new charter council/meeting dates, etc.
- **d.** Senior Recognition Follow-up (all) successful always nice to hear from our seniors regarding successes/next steps

4. Year in Review (Patrick):

a. FCLA Summary – focus on CSIP and reporting: completion of Leadership Skills Assessment/Wisconsin Youth Leadership Certification at 22 out of 27; senior exit interviews completed by all seniors (involve board more with formal presentation experiences throughout the year); ACT equal or above Appleton North scores (fewer number of students impacts volatility of average); graduation rate of 100%; Studer survey indicates more positive communication with parents needed – we do attempt but always look to improve; 3 students received transcribed credit for career-based learning thru internships – bring in organizations again to expose students to options – how do not overlap what the district is doing/offering to make us unique; US News and World Report rated

the Fox Cities Leadership Academy one of America's Best High Schools of 2021 & AP Pacesetter Award; DPI rated 81 – exceeds expectations; looking for .2 English position as Tricia Israel is moving fulltime with Wisconsin Connections Academy

b. Charter Renewal – Five-year renewal process solidified this spring

5. Board Retreat – Critical Path Forward

- **a. FTE Loss** .2 loss still remains; possible new numbers will impact over the summer
- b. Enrollment/Marketing Strategy Kim will send over contact info for Andrea focuses on school promotions group that specializes in education based in Minneapolis; set framework/plan month by month for promotions
- c. Board Participation & Support/Recruitment Strategy
 - 1. How does board, staff and district work together best no overlap; charter school committee just started for high schools with Steve Harrison at district level to improve promotion of all high school options in the district integrated model based on career clusters; course catalog changes happening; 3-year plan to implement
 - 2. Need to capture senior documentation/experiences and establish process/plan utilize short video clips
 - **3.** Promote Isabelle's Senior Capstone Project with Trout Museum captures pandemic with photos; reach out to Oliver?; Kim has connection to Ashley
 - **4.** Create 1-page synopsis of year in review and highlight our senior future plans promote on Facebook, Instagram & Twitter
 - 5. Community connections to internship and guest speakers per quarter Board connections to businesses; students complete job shadow; start with listing from 2018 breakfast meeting; Daniel Flaherty Kevin will reach out to Boys and Girls Club contact; Patti Habeck Feeding America; Michael Rohrkaste Fox Valley Memory Project; Kevin Pierce; staff will create engagement letter to introduce our school; Gregg will do 1st quarter guest leader speaking
- **d.** By-law Review no discussion; no immediate concerns

6. Adjourned