



**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD HELD  
November 15, 2022**

**Location:** Online via Zoom.com

**Present:** Milca Meyer, Rev. Dr. Michael Carrion, Glenn Corwin, Carlibi Rojas, and Kevin Kearns

**Excused:** Dennis Sze, and Aggie Akpalu

**Minutes:** Rev. Dr. Michael Carrion called the meeting into session at 7:04pm

- I. The **minutes** of the Board meeting held on October 18, 2022 will be adopted in the December 2022 meeting
- II. Principal Schiraldi presented the School Leader's Report:

**Enrollment**

Current Enrollment— 557 Total Students  
 Special Education – 126 students – 22.6%  
 ELL – 83 students – 15%

Oct attendance Rate - 92.7%  
 Oct attendance Rate - 92.1%

**Staff Updates**

New Appointments (as of November 15,2022)
<b>Position</b>
SETTS Teacher (Special Education) Hired as of 11/15/2022
Openings
<b>Position</b>
2 - 7th/8th Grade Special Education Teachers
3rd-6th Grade Math AIS Teacher
7th Grade TA
School Chef
Released
1 teacher

### **Curriculum and Instruction**

- Board focused on the ELL numbers and enrollment numbers - seeing a % increase from previous months
- Chair of Board requested a report on the results of the test
  - 6th grade struggling the most and largest gaps
  - Intentional efforts in place to address the students most in need
  - Focus on previous unlearned content (impact of Covid)

### **School Celebrations/Events**

- Parent teacher conferences well attended (82% rate of attendance)

### **Exec Director Update**

Ms. Jackvony has been working with Z (Architect) in preparation for the building

PreK - Early Childhood department of DOE has been visiting the preschool and BAOP has been addressing all requests that come up from this office.

### **IV. Public Expression**

- Mr. Brenden Check - 7th Grade teacher
  - Mr. Check express that he loves being at the school and would like to work at BAOP for the the rest of his teaching career
  - It was stated by Mr. Check that update letter outlining BAOP's good faith effort during the Union negotiation process. He was offended by the letter about the reference that teachers were asking for additional money
  - Response given by the board is that although we respect his comments, he had a different interpretation of the letter then intended and we continue to work diligently for a fair contract
  - Mr. Check expressed that Non Teachers raises appear to be better than the teachers

### **V. Executive Session**

***The Board voted to adjourn at 7:27 pm and move to Executive Session***