

Orange County Educational Arts Academy

A California Public Charter School

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MEETING AGENDA

General Meeting

November 11, 2009

6:30 p.m. – Closed Session

7:00 p.m. – Open Session

OCEAA Public Comment Policy

The OCEAA School Board of Directors (Board) welcomes your participation at the School's Board meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Board is to conduct the affairs of the school in public. We are pleased that you are in attendance and hope that you will visit these meetings often. Your participation assures us of continuing community interest in our School. To assist you in the ease of speaking/participating, the following guidelines are provided:

1. Agendas are available to all audience members at the door to the meeting.
2. "Request to Speak" forms are available to all audience members who wish to speak on any agenda item(s) or under the general category of "Oral Communications." Any person may address the Board on agenda or non-agenda items. To be recognized by the Board Chair, an individual must write their name and the agenda item(s) on the cards provided and submit this to the Board Chair or Secretary. The Board Chair will then announce the person's name at the appropriate time during the meeting. Each person will be granted up to three minutes to make his or her presentation. If requested, the Board Chair may grant additional time to individuals, circumstances permitting.
3. "Oral Communications" is set aside for members of the audience to raise issues that are not specifically on the agenda. These presentations are limited to three (3 minutes) each and total time allotted to non-agenda items will not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. Due to public meeting laws, the Board can only listen to your issue, not respond or take action. The Board, however, may give direction to staff to respond to your concern.
4. With regard to the items that are on the agenda, you may specify that agenda item on your request form and you will be given an opportunity to speak for up to three (3 minutes) when the Board discusses that item. Following a presentation on an agenda item by staff, committees or the public to the Board, the Chairman will recognize members of the public who have submitted on that agenda item. This period precedes Board discussion and deliberation.
5. Formal presentations to the Board by members of the public may be scheduled in advance by notifying the President and/or Board Chair in writing two weeks prior to the next regularly scheduled Board meeting. The President and/or Board Chair shall determine whether the citizen request is or is not an item directly related to school business prior to it being placed on the agenda. No citizen-requested item shall be placed on the agenda if it is repetitive of a previous item placed on the agenda and considered by the Board. Scheduled formal presentations shall not exceed 15 minutes in duration.

In addition to the above, any Board member may ask a member of the public to answer brief questions or make comments on an agenda item under discussion in order to gather information before deliberating on a decision.

I. PRELIMINARY

A. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order by the Board Chair at _____.

B. ESTABLISH QUORUM

C. PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION AGENDA ITEMS

D. ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION – Items Scheduled for Closed Session:

Personnel – Appointments/Release (Section 54957(b))
Existing Litigation (Subdivision (a) of Government Code section 54956.9): Arts
Academy Association CTA/NEA v. OCEAA (Case No. LA-CE-5331-E)

E. CALL TO ORDER – REGULAR SESSION

F. ROLL CALL

	Present	Absent
Kristin Collins, Board Chair	_____	_____
Michelle Navarro, Vice Chair	_____	_____
Dr. Kimberly Barraza-Lyons, President	_____	_____
Norman Rogers, Treasurer	_____	_____
Bobbie Kraus, Secretary	_____	_____
Joseph Matthews, Member	_____	_____
Dr. Alfonso Bustamante, Member	_____	_____
Linda Hardman Greene, Principal	_____	_____

G. FLAG SALUTE

H. REPORT OF CLOSED SESSION DECISIONS

II. COMMUNICATIONS

A. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS: Non-agenda items: no individual presentation shall be for more than three (3) minutes and the total time for this purpose shall not exceed (15) minutes. Ordinarily, Board members will not respond to presentations and no action can be taken. However, the Board may give direction to staff following a presentation.

B. FOR INFORMATION/BOARD

Charter Renewal – Michelle Navarro/Bobbie Kraus
Budget Update/Check Register – Norm Rogers

III. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR INFORMATION

FSO report – Gabriela Gonzalez

Principal report – Linda Hardman Greene
Strategic Plan for Academic Achievement
Professional Development Plan
Literacy Coach and Intervention Roles
Classified Staff Employee Handbook
Mind Institute
Donations: October 2009

IV. FOR BOARD DISCUSSION

Charter Renewal
Handbook Revisions
Strategic Plan for Academic Achievement
Classified Staff Employee Handbook
Mind Institute

V. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered by the Board to be routine and will be approved/enacted by the Board in one motion in the form listed below. Unless specifically requested by a Board member for further discussion or removal from the agenda, there will be no discussion of these items prior to the Board votes on them. The Chair recommends approval of all consent agenda items.

A. Approve Check Register for October 2009

It is recommended that the Board approve Agenda Items A.	Motion: ____ Action: ____ Second: ____ Vote: ____
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VI. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION

A. \$25,000 for the Mind Institute (\$6,000 from Tech., \$6,000 from Arts, \$6,000 from ASES & \$7,000 from General Fund)

It is recommended that the Board approve Agenda Item A.	Motion: ____ Action: ____ Second: ____ Vote: ____
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B. Approve Board Minutes from 10/14/09 Meeting

It is recommended that the Board approve Agenda Item B.	Motion: ____ Action: ____ Second: ____ Vote: ____
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C. Classified Staff Employee Handbook

It is recommended that the Board approve Agenda Item C.	Motion: _____ Action: _____ Second: _____ Vote: _____
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VII. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at _____ p.m.

The next regularly scheduled meeting is Wed., December 9, 2009, at 6:30 p.m. – Closed Session and 7:00 p.m. – Open Session.