

"Sharing the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ, preparing hearts and minds to impact the world for Him!"



Clinton Christian Academy Board Notes

May 10, 2021

The CCA Board of Directors met in the CCA Art Room for their regular monthly business meeting on Monday, May 10. The meeting began with the Opening Prayer given by Keith Carmichael. Kathy Harrison gave this month's devotion about "Everyday Miracles." Scriptures from John 2:11, John 20:31 and John 20:30 as well as Hannah's prayer from 1st Samuel were shared during this devotion. Prayer requests were shared. The minutes from April 12 were approved. The financial reports and bills from the month of April were reviewed and approved.

- Mr. Stevens led discussion with regard to creating a plan for an annual Senior Trip.
 The administration, board and teachers will be brainstorming for ideas so that this can be put into place for 2021-2022 Seniors.
- The Board discussed the CCA Track program with regard to what grade level students would be permitted to participate due to our growing numbers. Thirty-one (31) students in grades 4-12 participated this year. After careful consideration, the Board took no action to make changes for next year. The CCA Track program will continue to include 4-12 grades.
- Mrs. Ritchie reported that Wanda Staley had been hired as a part-time office assistant to replace Shauna Townsend. This position may possibly be paired with a parttime paraprofessional position for Launch once HS course schedules are finalized.
- Mrs. Ritchie reported that Stephen Fisher will not be returning to CCA as custodian next year.
- Mrs. Ritchie reported that the Upper School Band position has been posted and applications are being accepted. Please pray that God will fill this hard-to-fill position.
- Enrollment continues to climb for the new school year with 143 students enrolled and many tours with new families occurring every week.

BOARD ACTION IN MAY

- ➤ The Board revised the contract language for teacher/administrator contracts to read as follows: "I agree to faithfully participate in a local church (Hebrews 10:25). My fundamental beliefs are in agreement with the Statement of Faith of this school."
- ➤ The Board compared group life insurance bids from State Farm and New York Life Insurance Companies. The Board approved awarding the bid to New York Life. Final plans for the level of the life insurance benefit to be awarded to full-time employees will be determined at the June meeting so that this employee benefit is effective for the 2021-22 school year.
- The Board approved the following guidelines for the CCA Soccer program for the 2021-22 school year:
 - Co-ed soccer will continue to be offered for grades 5-8 in the fall. (Conference and Non-Conference Play)
 - Varsity Soccer in the fall will be boys only (9-man team) through MOKAN Conference (grades 6-12)
 - Varsity Soccer in the spring will be girls only (9-woman team) through MOKAN Conference (grades 6-12).

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

The Board began discussion about the importance of long-range planning for future facility expansion due to the growth of our enrollment as a K-12 school. Prayer for God to provide wisdom and guidance as the Administration and Board begin this process is requested by all of our CCA Family! It is an exciting time to be a Patriot!