
STRAIGHT FROM THE BOARD...



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RMCA's Board of Directors



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Two Open Board Seats

At the end of this school year, two board members will no longer have children attending RMCA due to being relocated by the military.

According to RMCA's bylaws, Mr. Stevens and Mrs. Norsky will no longer be eligible to serve on the Board once this occurs (Article II, section 2.3. Vacancies and section 2.7 Resignation and Removal).

Once dated resignation letters are turned into the Board by Mr. Stevens and Mrs. Norsky, the Board will begin accepting applications for these two open seats. This process is tentatively scheduled to occur at the next Board meeting, with the new Board members being appointed at the regularly scheduled Board meeting in May 2012.

Applications will be sent home via email. In order to be eligible to apply, applicants must have completed 20 hours of volunteer service during the previous school year and paid in full any applicable student fees (Article II, section 2.1 Number and Qualifications).

Highlights from Last Month's Meeting (1.26.12)

For official minutes from the meeting, please consult the RMCA website under the Board of Directors link. Please note, minutes need to be approved before they can be posted. This typically occurs at the next month's Board of Directors Meeting

Item 6.02

Each calendar year, the Board declares the official posting location for each meeting's agenda. During the 2012 calendar year, the agenda must be posted 24 hours before the scheduled meeting at the entrance of the Piros, Pony Tracks, and Home School campuses.

Item 6.05

Dr. Cathey has been taking bids for fixing the roof at the elementary campus. The Board's policy requires three bids; however, given the fact that only contractors recommended by the roof's manufacturer are being utilized, only two bids have been gathered. The Board will decide between these two bids and the roof will be fixed as soon as possible.

Item 6.06

Free, full day kindergarten will be offered at RMCA for the 2012-2013 school year. 34 spots will be available and will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. Half-day kindergarten will also still be available.

Item 6.13

The leadership of the Board has decided to implement one Principal for all three campuses; with a Vice Principal at the elementary campus, a Vice Principal at the middle school campus, and Director at the Home School campus.

Item 6.14

The Board has approved Ms. Fogler and Mrs. Witmer to look into the details of pursuing a SPED program outside of D-49. This process is in the initial, exploratory stage. Findings will be reported at the next Board meeting.

Q & A with the Board

Q: What is the starting salary for a member of the Board of Directors?

A: As defined by the by-laws of Rocky Mountain Classical Academy, under Article II, section 2.6. Compensation/Reimbursement, the following is stated:

Members of the Board shall receive no compensation for their services as members of the RMCA's Board of Directors. Directors may be reimbursed for mileage and other expenses pursuant to the conduct of duty authorized Board business, to include training in the methods and practices of charter school governance.

Meaning, Directors are strictly unpaid volunteers and his/her commitment to RMCA is motivated by his/her desire to serve RMCA.

Do you have questions about the Board? We would love to answer them! Please submit all inquiries to Jessica Norsky at jnorsky@rmcacs.org

Next Board of Directors Meeting

Please consider joining us, the Board of Directors, for our next regularly scheduled meeting on **Thursday, February 16th at 6:30 p.m.** at the Piros location. We will be discussing and voting on issues pertinent to RMCA.

Neat Happenings at RMCA

The Elementary Campus will host another fantastic math night on Friday, February 17th from 5-7:30 p.m.

The Middle School, in collaboration with the elementary school, is offering a Jeans for Dreams day to raise support for a family who is struggling with breast cancer. Students can wear jeans, red and pink polo shirts or red and pink t-shirts on Tuesday, February 14.