

WINTERBERRY CHARTER SCHOOL

**AGENDA**

01/20/22

6 pm

Attendance: Sue Armstrong, Paula Doherty, Sarah Glaser, Peter Hest, Jessie Mackay

**I. Opening**

**A. Motto of the Social Ethic by Rudolf Steiner**

*"The healing social life is found  
when in the mirror of each human soul  
the whole community finds its reflection  
and when in the community  
the virtue of each one is living."*

**B. Song**

**C. Excitement Sharing**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**III. Approval of Agenda**

[REDACTED]

**IV. Community Comments [3 minutes each] *Please note: This is the public's time to talk and the board's time to listen. Winterberry Charter Council does not***

[REDACTED]

**V. Informational Reports**

**A. Administrator's Report (Julie Pepe-Phelps)**

The report is attached.

**B. Faculty Report (Sarah Glaser and Lisa Stratford)**

**C. WPG Report (Jessie Menkens)**

**D. Budget Report (Shana Garrels)**

**E. Committee Reports**

**1. Administrative Committees (answers to principal)**

discussed- to advertise Winterberry and explore possibilities for transportation and free and reduced lunches.

**b. Outdoor Playspace**

**2. WCC subcommittees**  
Battle of the Books- 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade teams compete next week. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade team completes the week after that.

**a. Legislative Policy**

The district and union have not agreed on a contract. They are currently

**b. Grant Committee**

3. Elections Committee Board Roster and Openings

Jessie Menkens and Molly Towner met to discuss the election. A notice went out in the newsletter to let community members know that they

a. Voting

1. Seat B (Sarah)
2. Seat D (Marc)
3. Seat F (Peter)
4. Seat H (Paula / vacant)
5. Seat K (vacant)
6. Seat M (Sue / vacant)

VI. Business

A. Set a Date for 3-Body meeting (continued)

Chris Barr brought a request to the Superintendent before holiday break on behalf of the charter schools to find the same

C. Principal Evaluation

D. Gratitude

Peter Host moved to adjourn. Sarah Glaser 2<sup>nd</sup>. Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm.

Principal's Report for WCC  
1-20-22  
Julie Pepe-Phelps

*Winterberry's Mission: Growing the innate potential of each child.*  
*Winterberry's Vision: To receive the children in reverence, educate them in love and send them forth in freedom.*

**HEART**

- So happy to be **back together** after Winter break

Continued gratitude to the families that continue to provide staff meals on

[REDACTED]

**Thursdays**

- Encouraging all families to **read Winterberry Business** newsletter each Thursday- for highlights of each week and upcoming events.
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**HANDS**

- **Outdoor Committee** "Noon Zoom" for community meeting on Wednesday, January 26th
- **X-country skiing** began for gr. 6/7/8 Going strong! Volunteers welcome.
- Parent volunteers needed for **ice rink** creation and maintenance.

Would like to develop promotional material for Winterberry to be used

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"Our highest endowment must be to provide for the education of our youth..."

...the first and most important duty of a government is to provide for the education of its people... the state should ensure that every child has access to a quality education...

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City of Denver  
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- **FY23 Budget**

- **FY23 Budget Projections \$2,820,260**


- Projected 240 ADM (Average Daily Membership)
- Decrease from FY22 Budget projections by \$187,699


**Increase in Salaries**



Admin/BPO

\$ 347,780 \$ 321,016

FY22

16.12%

9.22%

0.5008%

FY23

1.68%

0.00% 0.99%

\$ 28,000 \$ 15,000

Salaries

Benefits

Building Costs

\$ 2,820,360 \$ 3,008,059