

Greer Middle College Charter High School
March 10, 2011
Board Meeting Minutes

Present: Tracy Burkhalter, Tami Jacques, Carol McDonald, Julie Styles, Mark Sears, Jeff Bullock, Ted Hoffman

Absent: Sherri Merck, Joel Welch, Kelly Long, David Dolge

Meeting was called to order at 5:50 PM.

Motion was made to approve the Agenda by Jeff Bullock, 2nd by Carol McDonald.
Passed.

Motion was made to approve February minutes made by Julie Styles, 2nd by Jeff Bullock.
Passed.

Principal's Report: Bill Roach: There has been a student transcript issue because of programming problems with the switch from SASI to Power School. The guidance departments from all three charter high schools have been working with the liaison for the district and state to get this issue resolved. After a conference call, it was decided that there would be a meeting during Spring Break for the guidance people and the district to get it all settled.

Sports has had some problems with reserved fields being cancelled at the last minute and teams getting bumped and games needing to be moved or rescheduled. Met Monday with Greenville County Recreation Department and agreed to meet with them early next year so that the fields will be reserved.

Between Greenville and Greer Rec, all of our needs are covered for Spring sports.

Hiring for next year has already started. Assistant principal has already been hired. Technical: three teaching positions have been filled. Interviewing will be completed next Friday.

Mike Sinclair and Skip Snow were elected to the board of South Carolina Association of Charter Public Schools.

Middle College National Consortium has an ambassador program and in April, Ryan Abdelnabi will represent our school, Tabor Barough will represent Brasier campus.

Occupation of Science, Administrative and Bathroom portables should be one to 1 ½ weeks away.

Development Report: Melanie Bargar: We have 282 students currently enrolled, 103 freshmen, 105 sophomores, 74 juniors, and 110 rising freshmen are enrolled for next year.

Five juniors and 5 sophomores tested for Compass to enroll in college classes next year.

We will be charging a supply fee of \$20 for all students next year: \$5 for a school agenda, and \$15 to go for Arts Intercession.

We are scheduled to speak at 2 or 3 more Rotary Club meetings and are attending Chamber events and are starting to be recognized.

Aug 13 from 2-5 PM will be our Fall for GMC event. We have invited Nicki Haley and Mik Zaes.

There are several community service events available for students to get service hours, please check the school web site and emails for notification.

We are signed up to be a recipient for the Hands On Greenville work day April 30.

Old Business:

Facilities Report: Tracy Burkhalter Several inspections have been scheduled for the week of Spring Break. The expectation is to move into the administrative building that week as well. There is still some conduit work needed before they are complete.

Bill, Keith and Tracy will meet to go through a schedule to plan for what will be needed for next year's buildings

New Business:

Request was made to have our teachers publish a reading list at the beginning of each year.

Motion made by Ted Hoffman for the Policy Committee to meet and make a decision regarding this issue.

Seconded by Jeff Bullock.

Unanimously passed.

Ted Hoffman requested that the Board recognize Michael Welch for his hard work and dedication to the baseball team this year.

Motion was made to go into Executive Session at 6:35 PM, by Carol McDonald, 2nd by Tami Jacques.

Passed.

Motion was made to come out of Executive Session at 7:43 PM by Jeff Bullock, 2nd by Tracy Burkhalter.

Passed.

Motion was made to adjourn by Tami Jacques at 7:44 PM, 2nd by Julie Styles.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 PM.