

December Board Highlights

Dear TCA Family and Friends,

The TCA Board of Directors would like to share the following highlights from our December 14, 2020 Board Meeting:

Educational Alliance

Board Members Teri Goin and Rob Moulton discussed their continued efforts to work with other local charter school boards and administrators to develop ways to inform and mobilize parents to positively affect charter schools and educational choice, with the newly formed Education Alliance of Colorado. Our Board approved a second allotment of \$5K for their membership which is based on school student count, joining 11 other local schools. Look for more information in the coming months regarding ways to get involved in Alliance actions.

Registrar Report

Kayla Harper, TCA's Registrar, presented our annual Registrar report. During this unprecedented time, student attrition was up and enrollment for kindergarten was down – with a number of unfilled kinder seats this year. One factor was a larger number of withdrawals with a desire to homeschool. As we work to reinvigorate our kindergarten enrollment, we understand that word of mouth is our best advertising tool, so please share with your friends that we anticipate openings in Kindergarten and 1st grade next year. Waitlist applications are available [here](#). Please contact TCA's Registrar at tcaregistrar@asd20.org with any questions.

District 20 Monitoring Report

Dr. Sojourner discussed his recent Monitoring Report presentation to the D20 Board of Education. This report goes to the D20 Board annually, and highlights TCA's successes in the areas of Core Values and Academic Achievement, Operations, Finance, and Governance, with the majority of the presentation this year focused on North Campus Capital Construction (with the remainder of D20 3A bond funds) and TCA's COVID Response. The D20 BOE was extremely complimentary in all areas, and Superintendent Tom Gregory lauded TCA as the best charter school in the state of Colorado. We continue to appreciate our many successes and achievements, as well as our exemplary relationship with District 20.

Celebrate TCA

Even though COVID precautions this year precluded TCA from conducting our annual patriotic assembly for Veterans Day, we still celebrated in creative and virtual ways to those who have served in our armed forces. Videos were shown at the board meeting of 5th grade students reciting the Gettysburg Address, along with a slide show honoring many of our high school staff who have served. We look forward to hosting in person this important Core Values-based celebration next year!

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at talk2tcaboard@gmail.com. On behalf of the entire Board, we wish you a restful and relaxing holiday season and a very Happy New Year!

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Board Secretary

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