



## Governance Board Meeting MINUTES

11/8/2023

Location: Valley New School / Zoom

<https://zoom.us/j/7831034684>

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### Attendance

Tanya Rosenbaum, Nicole Luedtke, David Debbink, Reeder Luedtke, Shannon Rabas, Grainne Kelly Beckett, Becky Johnson, Jacqueline Neerdaels

### Call to Order

5:08

### Community Input/ Sharing

Becky is joining the AISA meeting in the morning.

VNS is having an AI enrichment day on November 17th. It will be an immersive AI experience for the whole school.

David attended the Charter Council meeting. There was a discussion about what the district does to promote all of the charter schools it has. The AASD has been highlighting different charter schools on the district website leading up to the charter fair.

### Committee Reports

Finance- They have not met as of yet.

Community Partnership-Had their first meeting today. Discussed the charter fair and using student passion to get the public passionate about VNS. There was discussion about having board member representation at the charter fair and how many student ambassadors should be there. There were many good ideas on how to make VNS as accessible as possible for people to get information and a good sense of how the school serves the community. They discussed the possibility of bringing in industry experts to discuss alternative options in jobs. There was also a



discussion on the potential to start a parent group to enhance the community at VNS.

AISA-They will be discussing the student discussion group responses from evaluation day and the growing pains the school went through at the beginning of the school year. Becky Johnson will be discussing promoting alumni to students and the power of using alumni as a live source.

**Old Business**

AASD Assistant Superintendent Mike H came in and updated the advisors on the VNS space for next year. Considerations are to remain in the current space or look for another permanent space.

**New Business**

AEF wants to know who will be serving on the VNS scholarship committee. David will check his old emails to see who served last year and reachout to see if they would like to serve again.

**Next Meeting**

Wednesday, Dec 6th, 5pm, on ZOOM

**Adjourn**

6:08