

**Board of Directors Monthly Meeting Agenda**  
**Pine Lake Preparatory, Inc.**  
**Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at 6:30 PM**  
Upper School Seminar Room

**Attendees:** Sarah Phillips (Chair); Fred Shilmover (Vice-Chair), Bobby Peterson (Treasurer), Chris Cody (Secretary) Dorothy Powers Gorman, Manish Jain, Brie Leggat Johnson, Arlene Mu, Bryan Thurtle-Schmidt

**Absent:** None

**School Leadership Present:** Andrew Mocerri, Sherri Fletcher, Shelly Sims; Jennifer Liberatore, Timothy Hoffman; Lori Reuter; Brant Hyatt

**1) Call to Order and Conflict of Interest Reminder (6:30 PM)**  
**per NCGS 138A-15(e)**

In accordance with the State Government Ethics Act, 138A-15(e), it is the duty of every Board member to avoid both conflicts of interest and appearances of conflict. Does any Board member have any known conflict of interest or appearance of conflict with respect to any matters coming before the Board today? If so, please identify the conflict or appearance of conflict and refrain from any undue participation in the particular matter involved.

No conflicts

**2) Mission, Vision and Values (6:31 PM)**

Mission - Pine Lake Preparatory prepares students for college, career, and a purposeful life.

Statement of Affirmation - At Pine Lake Preparatory, we recognize our collective responsibility to model growth and acceptance as we build a community of trust and courage. Each day, we strive to practice empathy through meaningful experiences and appreciation for each student, staff member, and family to create a sense of belonging for everyone in the PLP community.

Community Values - Perseverance, Respect, Integrity, Drive to Excellence, and Empathy

**3) Public Comment (6:32 PM)**

No public comments.

**4) Board Business (6:32 PM)**

- a.) Approval of Meeting Minutes 8.28.24 (For Approval)

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*

*Second motion made by: Brie Leggat Johnson*

*Motion passed: Yes*

*Anyone abstained: Arlene Mu*

- b.) Approval of Meeting Minutes 8.28.24 (For Approval)

Motion to approve closed meeting minutes on 08.28.24 and withhold it from public view per §

143-318.10(e).

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*  
*Second motion made by: Brie Leggat Johnson*  
*Motion passed: Yes*  
*Anyone abstained: Arlene Mu*

- c.) Board Committee Update(s)
  - a. Finance Update
  - b. Fundraising Update
  - c. Academic Excellence Update
  - d. Governance Update

**5) Financial Matters (6:39 PM)**

- a) August 2024 Financial Dashboard
- b) August 2024 Fundraising Dashboard
- c) State Budget Update

**6) Administrative Matters (6:50 PM)**

- a.) Good News
- b.) Student Enrollment Update
- c.) Student Achievement Report

**7) Executive Session (7:24 PM)**

- a) Motion to move into Executive Session b. § 143-318.11(a). *To consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, conditions of appointment, or conditions of initial employment of an individual public officer or employee or prospective public officer or employee; or to hear or investigate a complaint, charge, or grievance by or against an individual public officer or employee.*

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*  
*Second motion made by: Brie Leggat Johnson*  
*Motion passed: Yes*  
*Anyone abstained: None*

**8) Resumed Open Session (7:59 PM)**

- a) Motion that the minutes of the closed session held on (9/25/24) be withheld from public inspection in order to protect and preserve the purpose of such closed session, pursuant to section 143-318.10(e) of the Open Meetings law.

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*  
*Second motion made by: Brie Leggat Johnson*  
*Motion passed: Yes*  
*Anyone abstained: None*

- b) Board Business
  - . Vote to approve new hires
    - 1. Juli Gardner as an Accounting Manager

Motion to hire:

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*

*Second motion made by: Brian Thurtle-Schmidt*

*Motion passed: Yes*

*Anyone abstained: None*

**9) Move to adjourn (8:02 PM)**

*Move to motion made by: Sarah Phillips*

*Second motion made by: Manish Jain*

*Motion passed: Yes*

*Anyone abstained: None*