

# Grace Fellowship Academy

## Public Board Meeting May 15, 2023

**1. Call to order-** The meeting was called to order by CV at 4:38 p.m.

Board members present were DL X CS X CV X MD     MO X JH X

Administration present: Bailey Dickinson (BD).

Director of Finance: Caitlin Maupin (CM).

**2. Scripture/Prayer/Pledge** DL read Scripture/ CS led Prayer/ JH led Pledge.

- DL read scripture
- 2 Corinthians 10:1-6

**3. Call to Public/Welcome Guests**

- None

**4. Approval of Meeting Minutes dated 04/24/2023 Public.** Motioned by CV, and seconded by, CS to approve meeting minutes for 04/24/2023 Public. Motion passed.

**5. GFA Financial Report:**

A) GFA General Operating Fund \$121,878.66 as of May 15th, 2023

B) GFA PTF \$128,204.05 as of May 15th, 2023

C) GFA Special Fund (Restricted) \$202,545.04 as of May 15th, 2023

D) Emergency Fund April 30th \$44,403.28

E) Summer Fund April 30th \$82,050.01

**6. Principal's Report**

**a. Enrollment 2022-2023**

	2022-2023	2023-2024	Application in Process for 23/24
PS/PK	8/10	5/7	2/3
Kindergarten	17	15	3
First Grade	10	18	2
Second Grade	11	6	1

Third Grade	14	<u>11</u>	1
Fourth Grade	10	13	
Fifth Grade	11	9	1
Sixth Grade	7	11	
Seventh Grade	18	7	
Eighth Grade	7	18	

Totals: 123; 120; 13

**7. Principal Praise:** The PTF and the parents really came together to celebrate the teachers for teacher appreciation week. The teachers felt loved and appreciated; thank you!

**8. President's Encouragement-** We must pray and have reliance on the Lord. As we mature in faith, our actions (get angry, upset, overreact, etc) need to be slower to react. We must remember who we serve and why we serve Him.

**9. School Update**

- May 18th: Peter Piper Pizza Night @ 4-8pm (Fundraiser)
- May 23rd: 8th grade graduation @ 5pm
- May 24th: PreK graduation @ 12pm and Kindergarten graduation @ 2pm
- May 25th: End of the year Awards @ 10:30
- May 25th: Last day of school; dismissal @ 11:30pm
- May 25th: Buckeye Pool Party for GFA families @ 12:30pm

**10. Safety and Security Update (Security Services)**

- Cameras are continuing to be installed and set up; this will go throughout the summer. BD will have access on her phone.
- Greg Wayne- member of the church serving as security for remainder of the school year
- A Parent (S. Shaffer) found a potential idea: Off Duty Police Officers (local company that rents out security)- \$80/hour + \$10 for patrol car; 4 hour minimum.

**11. Motion to go into executive session** Motioned by CS, and seconded by MO at 5:00pm.