



## Wilmington Preparatory Academy

Date: December 19, 2024,

Time: 6:30 pm

Location of Meeting: 134 Cinema Drive, Wilmington, NC 28403

Type of Meeting: Board of Directors

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In attendance: (Voting Board) Valerie Galloway, Yolanda Rhodes,  
Voting Board members not present: Ramona Ragin (virtual), Carlette Grissett (virtual)  
Non-voting Board members present: Kevin Johnson,  
Non-voting Board member not present: Mary Rusher (virtual)  
Guest in attendance: Selena Cobb, Joseph Cobb

**Meeting called to order at 6:40pm by Valerie Galloway**

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Lead by Kevin Johnson

**Mission Statement:** Recited by Yolanda Rhodes

**Approval of Agenda:** Motion made to approve December 19, 2024, agenda made by Valerie Galloway, second by Yolanda Rhodes, all in favor, so adapted.

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion made to approve the November 2024 meeting minutes made by Valerie Galloway, second by Yolanda Rhodes, all in favor, so adapted.

**Finance Report:** Mary Rusher gave the financial report (see attached).

**Dean's Report:** Submitted by Kevin Johnson. See attached.

**2023-24 Audit Corrective Action:** Kevin Johnson reviewed the corrective action taken and what measures are being taken to eliminate the significant deficiency.

**Public Comments:** None currently.

**2024-26 Open Enrollment:** Open enrollment dates attached.

**School Update:** NC Smile Mobile Dentist is scheduled to be on-site at WPA February 28, 2025. WPA has been experiencing Chromebook challenges. Kevin Johnson has been in contact with Chrome to explore solutions. Administration will present the proposal for the number and price of Chromebooks to be replaced at the next board meeting.

**Other Business:** The Disney on Ice field trip for the kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students was canceled due to a change in the schedule made by the company.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm**



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# WILMINGTON PREPARATORY ACADEMY

## DEAN'S REPORT

December 19, 2024

### ENROLLMENT

Current Student Enrollment	102
New Enrollment	2
Withdrawals	0

### WPA UPDATE

- No Sunday , December 8, 2024 Wilmington Prep's students, teacher, and parent volunteer participates in the City of Wilmington Holiday parade.
- Our students performed at the Independence Mall on December 11, 2024 at 6:00pm.
- Staff Christmas dinner was held at Rosalie's on December 18, 2024.
- December 18, 2024 was a Pajama Day for staff and students.

### UPCOMING DATES

- Winter break will be December 19, 2024- January 3, 2025. Classes resumes on January 6, 2025.
- Report Cards will be sent home on Wednesday January 15, 2025.
- \* Open Enrollment for the 2025-26 school year begins on January 6, 2025.