



**BRONX ACADEMY OF PROMISE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD HELD
November 19, 2024**

Location: BAOP 1349 Inwood Avenue, Bronx, NY 10459

Present: Rev. Dr. Michael Carrion, Carlibi Rojas, Kevin Kearns, and Glenn Corwin

Excused:, Dennis Sze, Milca Meyer, and Agatha Akyere

Minutes: Rev. Dr. Michael Carrion called the meeting into session at 7:00pm

I. The minutes of the Board meeting held in October 2024 were adopted by the board.

II. **Opening Remarks** - Rev. Dr. Michael Carrion

III. **Principal Nicholas Parrino presented the School Leader's Report**

- A. Total Enrollment - 603 Students 652 Total with Pre K +6 (49) +6 October, +17 September
Special Education - 131 - 23%
ELL - 137 Students - 23%
Attendance For October: ALL Students: 93.33% SpED Students 93.06%

B. Staff Updates

- Released –
 - a) None
- state ■ Hired –
 - a) 7th & 8th Sp. ED ELA/SS Teacher: Ms. Pepper
 - b) 2nd Grade Gen. Ed: Ms. Rabeje
 - c) PK Teacher Assistant: Ms. Wright
 - d) 5th Grade Teacher: Ms. Vushaj
 - e) 6th Grade Sp. ED Teacher: Ms. Aquino
- Positions To Be Filled –
 - a) Kindergarten Gen. Ed, 6th Grade Gen. Ed
 - b) 7/8 SS/ELA SpED Teacher, Math/SCI

C. School Updates

- Areas that needed to be addressed
 - a) Parent engagement
 - b) Marketing of BAOP Brand
 - i) Partnerships with Community Organization
 - c) Response to Increase
 - i) ENL students
 - ii) CBT Grades
 - d) School Culture

CI. School Celebrations/Events

- November 4th & 5th: Parent Teacher Conference: 480 Families in attendance
- November 8th: Parent Breakfast: NYSDOH Asthma
- November 15th: Fall Ball 6th to 8th Grade: 130 Students in attendance

CII. Upcoming Events:

- 11/22 & 11/25: BAOP Food Drive
- 11/28 - 11/29: HAPPY THANKSGIVING SCHOOL CLOSED
- 12/06: Staff Holiday Mixer: 2PM - 6PM at The Alley Pizzeria & Lounge
- 12/10: December Board Meeting

- 12/12: Parent Breakfast Club: Living Redemption CBO Presentation
- 12/12: PTO Event @ Night Gingerbread House / Literacy Hall Decoration
- 12/17: BAOP Holiday Concert 6P
- 12/20: Half day 12/21 to 1/1: School Closed: Happy Holidays

IV. Executive Directors Report

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V. New Building

A. None at this time

VI. Business Office Report

A. None at this time

VII. Unfinished Business

A. None at this time

VIII. Public Expressions

A. None at this time

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm