



**Sarasota Academy of the Arts
October 21, 2025
Monthly Meeting of the Governing Board of Directors
582 McIntosh Rd- 9:00am
Administration Office**

Monthly Governing Board Meeting Minutes

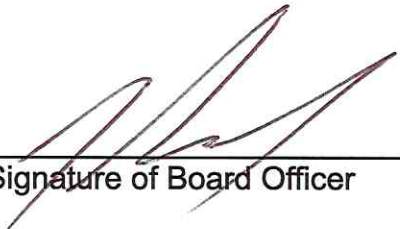
- I. Call to order: **9:02am by President Kennedy**
- II. Determination of a Quorum: **Quorum present. President Kennedy, Vice President Mizak, and Treasurer Dembicki in attendance**
- III. Approval of Minutes: **Approved unanimously**
- IV. Finances-Financial Report: **Approved unanimously**
 1. Review and Approve Financial Reports
- V. Principal's Report:
 1. Fall shows were outstanding at every grade level. Next up is our Winter Shows.
 2. Academically, SAA just completed the first quarter which ended October 10th.
 3. SAA October events include: Fire Safety (k-5) 10/17, Afterschool Drama Kids 10/17, Trunk or Treat 10/23, Fire truck (k-2) 10/23, International Fair 10/24, Der Dutchman Pie Fundraiser, Musical Theater and Dance Thriller Performance at Benderson 10/28.
 4. Sarasota County School District Enrollment meeting for 2026-2027 on Monday, October 27th.
 5. **12/4 Nik Wallenda Event**
 6. **Several events scheduled for week of December 15**

7. Bryan Egan nominated for Teacher of the Year

- VI. Old Business:
 - 1. Phase 2 Build-Out: Continuing discussion - **Five banks have been identified as possible financing partners**
 - 2. New Board Member recruitment
- VII. New Business:
 - 1. **Discussed the perception of charter schools in Sarasota County.**
- VIII. Public Comments:
- IX. Adjournment: **Meeting adjourned by President Kennedy at 9:51am**

Respectfully Submitted,
Pat Mizak, Ph.D.
Vice President and Acting Secretary
Governing Board of Directors
Sarasota Academy of the Arts

Approved by vote of Board: 11/18/25
Date


Signature of Board Officer