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Birchtree APC

Board Meeting Date: February 5, 2014 Time: 6:00 PM Place: Birchtree Charter School

Mission of Birchtree Charter School: to nurture and promote the development of healthy, responsible, and creative human beings.

The Birchtree Learning Plans includes:

- that the personal behavior of adults and teachers at BCS will be an example to the pupils.

- that each class will be a learning community for respect, tolerance, and understanding.
- that BCS is designed to function as a living system that balances initiative and accountability. All teachers, staff, and participants will be asked to make a commitment to develop him or herself along with the pupils.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Approval of the Agenda

III.Standing Agenda

- A. Approval of January 8th minutes
- B. Principal Report Cathy Busbey
- C. Pedagogical Council Report- Donna Levesque
- C. Treasurer's Report Rob Catlett
- D. BPG Liaison Report Anna Folsom
- D. Committee Reports
 - -Communication and Bylaws
 - -Building Expansion Lee Budde
 - -Charter re-write Cathy Busbey
 - -Principal Evaluation Lori Berrigan

IV. Persons to be Heard on non-agenda items

- Sign up before meeting begins.
- Each person will have two (2) minutes to talk.
- Comments shall be respectful, tolerant and civil.
- Comments will not be addressed by the Board at this time

V. Old Business

- A. Streamline the board meetings
- **B.** Board development

VI. New Business/Action Items (Persons to be heard)

- A. Budget Transfer Request
- B. Feedback from the Alliance Conference
- C. Review strategic plan
- D. Upcoming charter school legislation
- E. Confirm Next Regular Board Meeting Date and Time

VII. Future Items/Future Business

A. Next Meeting Items – discussion of common core and Waldorf philosophy for Birchtree

Board of Directors

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