

ASC

Board Meeting

*February 15, 2023
Wednesday, 12:00 p.m.*

NO QUORUM

Rescheduled for
February 28, 2023
Tuesday, 12:00 p.m.

Shungnak Gym



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Rescheduled for:

March 6, 2023
Monday 12:00 p.m.

Shungnak Gym



AMBLER SCHOOL

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Advisory School Council
February 7th, 2023

NO QUORUM

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Reorganization of the Council
4. Introduction of Guests
5. Moment of Silence
6. Approval of Agenda
7. Approval of Minutes
8. Public Comments
9. Principal Reports
 - a. Extracurricular Activities Update
 - b. Attendance
 - c. School Improvement Grant Information
 - d. Valentine's Update
 - e. Facility Use Agreements
 - f. Other News
10. ASC Member Comments
11. Time and Place of Next Meeting
12. Adjournment

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The Advisory School Council may not hold executive sessions.

NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

MISSION: To provide a learning environment that inspires and challenges students and employees to excel
VISION: To graduate all students with the knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary for a successful future



Kiana Advisory School Council
Meeting Minutes
February 2, 2023
Approved 3/1/23 ASC Meeting

1. Call to Order:
Meeting called to order at 12:03 p.m. by Chairman Delores Barr.
2. Roll Call:
Members Present: Delores Barr, Teresa Stalker and Jeannette Barr.
Members Absent: Ely Cyrus, Naomi Chappel
MOTION: Motion made by Teresa Stalker to excuse Ely and Naomi; seconded by Jeannette Barr. Motion passed.
3. Moment of Silence/Pledge of Allegiance:
Moment of silence observed, and Pledge of allegiance said in English.
4. Introduction of Guests:
None.
5. Approval of Agenda:
MOTION: Teresa Stalker made a motion to approve the agenda; seconded by Jeannette Barr. Agenda approved.
6. Public Comments:
Delores Barr: She was contacted by a parent with a significant complaint. Delores asked about the protocol was about complaints that are made. Mr. Stewart informed her that the District just had made the protocol on how to handle complaints.
7. Approval of 12/1/22 ASC Minutes:
MOTION: Teresa Stalker made a motion to approve the 12/1/22 minutes; seconded by Jeannette Barr. Meeting minutes approved.
8. Report from Councils:
None.
9. Principal's Report:
 - a. Sports (Basketball): Both our boys and girls basketball teams played against the Noorvik Bears and Kivalina Qaviks. The boys lost both games; our girls won both games. Since our high school students are under the 30 count, 8th grade students are allowed to play with the high school, which will not effect their high school basketball. Since we have so few high school students, and we also have a MS/Coed BB team, some 8th grade students are choosing to play with the HS students. In that case, we

didn't have enough eligible middle school basketball players to travel last weekend. The HS boys and girls teams will be traveling the next 3 weeks to different villages. Because grades are run every 2 weeks and the grades were run 1/30/23, some middle school team did not have enough eligible students to travel to Selawik last weekend. 2/13/23 is the next date to run grades for all ball players. Because the Principal from Noorvik had to help in Kobuk, Mike Ziebell was hired as the Principal in Noorvik. He would like a basketball tournament held in Noorvik sometime this month. Kiana is to host the MS COED games on 2/24-25/23. Mr. Stewart will sacrifice the Noorvik tournament because of the MS COED tournament. Will possibly keep some middle school boys and girls here so they will have enough players for that tournament.

b. Attendance:

8/9/22 to 12/16/22 for PK(4) to 7th grade is at 75.79%. For 8th-12 grade is at 72.57%. Our attendance has been low. We need help with ideas on how to get students to school. With your permission, I will announce on VHF to get your students up to attend school. One incentive is an "Excellent Attendance" award. Will have the award at the Next award ceremony. The parents will also get an award as they helped get their Child/children to school.

c. Parent/Community Involvement:

We have really struggled with this maybe because of the COVID hangover. What are some ways we can get parents involved?

d. Facility Use Permits:

Following permits were approved by a majority of the ASC members, poll vote:

- 1) Christmas Activities, Native Village of Kiana; 2) Viola Barr, Potluck for daughter;
- 2) OPT-In Kiana, Carry the Cure

MOTION: Teresa Stalker made a motion to approve the facility use permits; seconded by Jeannette Barr. Approved.

e. Cell Phones:

Cell phones that students take to school are causing behavior problems which involve Students from the 5th-12th grade. Cell phones are a distraction in the class rooms; it's hard to deal with students that will not give up their phone. Mr. Stewart asked for a Vote on this.

MOTION: No cell phone policy will go into effect sometime next week. Signifying "I" Teresa Stalker, Jeannette Barr and Delores Barr. Mr. Stewart will inform the staff at The 2/6/23 staff meeting. It will go into effect next week sometime.

f. NWABSD Board of Education Actions:

12/20/22 and 1/3/23 News Release was included in the meeting packet for the ASC.

10. ASC Member Comments:

Teresa Stalker: None

Jeannette Barr: None

Delores Barr: Received phone calls from parents that students are getting picked on in the Elementary wing. Mr. Stewart informed the ASC that they are getting help from the DO for The 5th grade class room; some have behavior problems because they do not know how to read.

10. Schedule Next Meeting:

3/1/23, 12 noon.

12. Adjournment:

MOTION: Teresa Stalker made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Jeannette Barr. Meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m.