



## Community Advisory Committee

Date: January 24, 2023  
Time: 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM  
Location: Please click the link to register for this meeting

### Registration

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### Agenda:

#### I. Introductions/ Welcome

Participants: Tanya Gustin (SELPA Coordinator), Sarah Phillips (SELPA PS), Erin Zimmerman (SELPA PS), Dawnlinn Thomas (SELPA PA), Liz Wall (Occupational Therapist), Angelisha Groves (SELPA PS), Jennifer Noah (Parent), Crystal Bennett (Elevate Charter Parent), Carola King (Rocklin Academy Parent), Amanda Verardi (Business Development Officer for LEAF), Michelle Prather (Special Ed Consultant and Parent), Emma Villa (Yosemite Valley Charter Parent), Peter Attwood (Participant), Julie McBride (Cabrillo Point Academy Parent), P. (Participant), LR. (Participant).

#### II. Call to order

#### III. Approval of agenda\*

1. *Michelle Prather (CAC Rep) – Special Education Consultant and parent*
2. *Carola King Second Approval (CAC Rep, – Parent from Rocklin Academy*

#### IV. Public Comment (for items not on the Agenda - comments are limited to two minutes)

1. *Peter Attwood – Shared concerns about registration process regarding the brown act. Reads Government Code 54953.3*

### **Consent Items:**

#### V. Approval of prior meeting minutes (October 4, 2022)

1. *Carola King - First Approval*
2. *Michelle Prather - Second Approval*

## End of Consent Items

### VI. SELPA updates

- Guest speaker Elizabeth Wall, OT Therapist – Described her job as an occupational therapist and explained the difference between a medical, clinic, and school OT. She focuses on playground and participation, self-help skills, social and emotional learning, low-tech technology needs, sensory and self-regulation, and transitional needs. Liz uses activity analysis to weigh strengths and challenges through screenings or evaluations.
- KEY2ED – Supporting Charter Schools to improve IEP Facilitation with Families
- Livingworks – No-cost Suicide Prevention trainings for Students

### VII. Updates from LEAs

- Student Success Stories
  - *Crystal Bennett – Her son goes to Elevate Charter in San Diego and is in 5<sup>th</sup> grade. He has autism and has had the same 1 on 1 aid since kindergarten and has had to say goodbye to her.*

### VIII. Parent Resources

- 2022-23 Online training for Parents, Guardians, and Families of students with Special Needs
- Alternative Dispute Resolution Training for Parents
- Legislative Day (Spring 2023)
  - Collaborate with other families, the SELPA and legislators.

### IX. Future meeting dates: *TBD*

*Meeting details and dates are always posted on the parent resource section of our website. <http://charterselpa.org/parent-resources/>*

- X. Call for Future Agenda Items
  - 1. *Crystal Bennett - A training on how to create a parents support group at school.*
  - 2. *P – A training on parent rights and Procedural Safeguards.*
  - 3. *Carola King – Help understand the difference between a 504 and an IEP. Help filling out applications and implementations.*
  - 4. *Amanda Verardi - would like to share information about LEAF, a provider of wraparound svcs to adoptive families throughout northern CA.*
  - 5. *LR – Would like an agenda item added to discuss a parent committee.*
  
- XI. Questions
  - 1. *Participant P expressed concerns regarding Cabrillo Point Academy*
  - 2. *Participant Emma Villa expressed concerns regarding Yosemite Valley Charter School. Concerns include FAPE, ADA/504 discrimination and civil rights violations as well the integrity of the Special Ed Dept staff.*
  
- XII. SELPA Contacts
- XIII. Adjournment - Requires Motion\*
  - 1. *Michelle Prather – First motion*
  - 2. *Jennifer Noah – Second motion*