



February 28, 2011

Dear Lionsgate Parents, Teachers, Staff and Community Members,

We are excited to announce our second school board election which will be held on May 3, 2011. This election is being held in accordance with state law as well as Lionsgate By-Laws and Policies.

There are nine regular positions on the board and this election will fill five upcoming vacancies. Before making your decision to run for an elected seat on the Board of Directors, we ask that you please read the position details listed below:

- I. Elected terms are 3 years in length
- II. 2011 Vacancies include:
  - a. One Teacher/Staff Vacancy
  - b. One Parent Vacancy
  - c. Three Community Member Vacancies
- III. People running for an elected seat on the Board of Directors are preferred to have expertise in one or more of the following:
  - a. School Finance (Charter and/or Special Education)
  - b. Autism Spectrum Disorder
  - c. Fundraising
  - d. Post-Secondary School Transitions
  - e. School Administration
  - f. Charter School Law and Governance

Lionsgate deserves the highest quality, experienced leaders to work alongside the highly trained and qualified teachers, staff and parents at our school. We hope that you take the above-mentioned qualifications under serious consideration. As our school enters its fourth year, we need to continue our vision, mission and positive momentum which began over five years ago. We look forward to continuing to work with you all.

If you are interested in nominating yourself or others to run for a seat on the Board of Directors of Lionsgate Academy, please complete and return the attached Nomination Biography Form to [jscharlau@silveroakwealth.com](mailto:jscharlau@silveroakwealth.com) by March 13, 2011.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Scharlau  
Nomination Committee Chair  
Lionsgate Academy