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tacomaschools.org

February 13, 2017

VIA EMAIL ONLY: info@judicialwatch.org William F. Marshall Judicial Watch, Inc. 425 Third Street SW, Suite 800 Washington, DC 20024

Re: Response to Public Records Request 2406

Dear Mr. Marshall:

This letter further acknowledges and responds to your public records request received by the Tacoma School District on December 5, 2016. It is my understanding that are requesting the following records:

- 1. Any and all records related to expenses incurred by or approved for the inception, maintenance, propagation and advertising of an "After School Satan Club" at Point Defiance Elementary School, including but not limited to purchase orders, contracts, proposals, invoices, receipts and agreements.
- 2. Any and all emails sent between and among Point Defiance Elementary School administrators, teachers, Tacoma School Board officials, and officials of the Tacoma Public Schools regarding the Point Defiance Elementary School "After School Satan Club."
- 3. Any and all emails sent between and among Point Defiance Elementary School administrators, teachers, Tacoma School Board officials, and officials of Tacoma Public Schools and officials, representatives and/or employees of The Satanic Temple of Seattle.

Enclosed is another installment of records, responsive to Item No. 2 of your request. Also enclosed is an updated Exemption Log identifying records that have been redacted and the reason for the redactions.

I continue to search for and prepare any additional records responsive to your request and still estimate that I will have additional records available for you by February 27, 2017. This estimate is based on the number of previously pending public records requests that our office is responding to, the time needed to locate and assemble the records requested, the need to determine whether any of the records are exempt from public disclosure in whole or in part, as well as other work for which I am responsible. I will contact you no later than February 27, 2017, regarding the status of your request and expect to have additional records available for you at that time.

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Sincerely,

Michaela C. Reeder

MReeder

Public Records Manager Email: <a href="mailto:mreeder@tacoma.k12.wa.us">mreeder@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>

Enclosures: Documents Bates No. 000175-486 (PRR 2406)

**Exemption Log** 

# **EXEMPTION LOG**

Public Records Request 2406 February 13, 2017

Date	Bates No.	Description of Document	Withheld or Redacted?	Explanation of Basis for Exemption
11/10/16	000001	Reason Alliance, Ltd. Check	Redacted	Bank account numbers redacted pursuant to RCW 42.56.230
10/13/16	000058-60	Email from Susan Schreurs, General Counsel, to Paul Koch, Facilities Analyst	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000061	Email from Shannon McMinimee, General Counsel, to Neil O'Brien, Principal	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000062	Email from Olga Lay, Principal, to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000065-66	Email from Carla Santorno, Superintendent, to Nikol Cartledge, Executive Assistant including email exchange between Carla Santorno and Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000067	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000070	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

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10/12/16	000072-73	Email from Susan Schreurs to Stephen Story, Executive Director of Operations	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000082-83	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000084-85	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/18/16	000088	Email from Susan Schreurs to Karen Vialle, Tacoma School District Board Member	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000091-92	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000095-96	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000101-102	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000103-105	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000108-111	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/8/16	000115	Email from Susan Schreurs to Joshua Garcia	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

10/12/16	000117	Email from Stephen Story to Paul Koch	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/31/16	000120	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/8/16	000134	Email from Susan Schreurs to Joshua Garcia	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000136-138	Email from Susan Schreurs to Stephen Story	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/15/16	000139	Email from Dan Voelpel, Public Information Officer, to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000140	Email from Rae McNally, Public Information Coordinator, to Felipe Mendez, Deputy General Counsel	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/17/16	000142-143	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000144-145	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000146	Email from Susan Schreurs to Karen Vialle	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000150-151	Email from Susan Schreurs to Daniel Voelpel	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

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8/30/16	000158	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000165-166	Email from Susan Schreurs to Daniel Voelpel	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000168-169	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000171	Email from Karen Vialle to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000175-176	Email exchange between Susan Schreurs, Carla Santorno and Nikol Cartledge	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/22/16	000177	Email from Rae McNally to Felipe Mendez	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000179-180	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Olga Manos	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000182-183	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000185-186	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Olga Lay	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000187-189	Email from Stephen Story to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

8/30/16	000194-195	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000196-198	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000199	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000202	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/15/16	000206	Email from Daniel Voelpel to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000207-208	Email from Susan Schreurs to Rae McNally	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000215-218	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
9/23/16	000227	Email from Felipe Mendez to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000229-231	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000233-234	Email from Susan Schreurs to Paul Koch	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

10/17/16	000250-251	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000252	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000254	Email from Felipe Mendez to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney work product privilege, specific discussion of facts, RCW 42.56.290, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000257-258	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000276-278	Email from Susan Schreurs to Paul Koch	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000279	Email from Stephen Story to Paul Koch forwarding email from Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000297-298	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000300-303	Email from Carla Santorno to Nikol Cartledge forwarding email from Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000310-311	Email from Ray McNally to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000313	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

8/31/16	000316	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien and other administrators	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/9/16	000323	Email from Susan Schreurs to Joshua Garcia	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000327	Email from Daniel Voelpel to Susan Schreurs, Carla Santorno and Joshua Garcia	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000338	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien and other administrators	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/15/16	000341	Email from Susan Schreurs to Dan Voelpel	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000347-348	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Olga Lay and other administrators	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000361	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien and other administrators	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000364-366	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000368-369	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000375	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

11/9/16	000376-377	Email from Susan Schreurs to Daniel Voelpel	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000378-379	Email from Carla Santorno to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/14/16	000386	Email from Susan Schreurs to Paul Koch	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000388	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000390-393	Legal Advice Letter from Patterson Buchanan to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000395	Email from Stepehn Story to Paul Koch with email from Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/19/16	000402	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000406	Email from Rae McNally to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/18/16	000411-412	Email from Susan Schreurs to Rae McNally	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
11/21/16	000414	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

10/13/16	000419-421	Email from Paul Koch to Susan Schreurs	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/31/16	000429-430	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000436-438	Email from Susan Schreurs to Carla Santorno	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000455-456	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/13/16	000457-459	Email from Susan Schreurs to Felipe Mendez	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000467-468	Email from Paul Koch to Stephen Story	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
9/23/16	000475	Email from Susan Schreurs to Felipe Mendez	Redacted	Attorney work product privilege, specific discussion of facts, RCW 42.56.290, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000477-479	Email from Shannon McMinimee to Neil O'Brien	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
10/12/16	000480	Email from Susan Schreurs to Stephen Story	Redacted	Attorney work product privilege, specific discussion of facts, RCW 42.56.290, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)
8/30/16	000485-486	Email from Olga Lay to Shannon McMinimee	Redacted	Attorney client privilege, RCW 5.60.060, disclosure exempted under other laws, RCW 42.56.070(1)

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From: Nikol Cartledge Sent: Thu, 20 Oct 2016 14:18:53 GMT

To: Carla Santorno
Subject: RE: A/C communication
It was sent this am at 7:18 a.m.

# Nikol Cartledge

Executive Assistant to the Superintendent Tacoma Public Schools 253-571-1010



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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Wednesday, October 19, 2016 8:50 PM

To: NIKOL CARTLEDGE

Subject: Fwd: A/C communication

Please prepare for me.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Date: October 19, 2016 at 4:58:51 PM PDT

To: CARLA SANTORNO < CSANTOR@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: A/C communication

Carla,



Carla, please let me know if you have questions/concerns about this.

SUSAN SCHREURS Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: Lisa Boyd Sent:Tue, 22 Nov 2016 01:10:10 GMT

To: Rae McNally

Subject: RE: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

The flier says that they will drop of registrations forms to our office and none have been turned in.

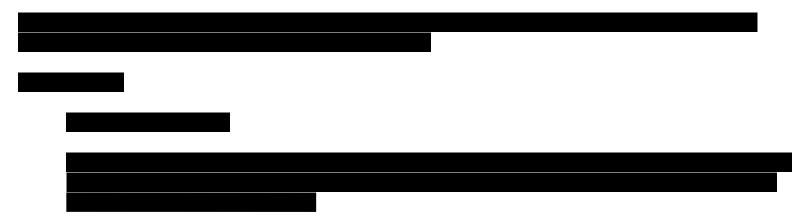
From: Rae McNally

**Sent:** Friday, November 18, 2016 8:51 AM **To:** FELIPE MENDEZ; DANIEL VOELPEL

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Good morning,



I'm available at ext. 1019.

R

### Rae A. McNally

Strategic Communications Manager and Webmaster Public Information Office, Tacoma Public Schools

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From: Wise, Cynthia [mailto:cwise@king5.com]
Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:35 AM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: FW: after school satan club

Rae,

I got an auto-reply from Dan referring us to you. Can you help?

Thank you,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 <a href="mailto:cwise@king5.com">cwise@king5.com</a> follow me on Twitter at cwiseking5







From: Wise, Cynthia

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:28 AM

To: 'DANIEL VOELPEL' < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Subject: after school satan club

Dan,

Good morning.

I was wondering if any kids/parents had signed up for the club yet. (was reading an article that indicated parents had to sign their kids up for the group)

Thanks,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 cwise@king5.com

follow me on Twitter at cwiseking5



McMinimee Shannon Sent:Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:00:11 GMT From:

OLGA MANOS; Neil Obrien; Lisa Boyd; ERIC KONISHI To:

CC Stephen Murakami; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; Sandra Lindsay-Brown

RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Subject: Olga,



Best,

Shannon McMinimee

**General Counsel** 

Tacoma Public Schools

From: OLGA LAY

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM
To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-

**BROWN** 

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee

**General Counsel** 

Tacoma Public Schools



From: Neil Obrien To: OLGA LAY

RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Subject: Olga,

Will you please call me on 6807?

Thank you,

Neil

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

Sent:Tue, 30 Aug 2016 22:58:49 GMT

Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee

**General Counsel** 

**Tacoma Public Schools** 



From: Andrea O'Brien-Henley Sent: Thu, 25 Aug 2016 15:56:58 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH
Subject: After School Satan

Have you looked at the web page for After school Satan? This is one of the answers on their FAQ page

How do I start an After School Satan Club in my school district?

If there isn't a chapter of The Satanic Temple near you, but you're interested in starting an After School Satan Club in your school district, please contact <a href="The Satanic Temple">The Satanic Temple</a>. Please keep in mind that The Satanic Temple is not interested in operating After School Satan Clubs in school districts that are not already hosting the Good News Club. However, The Satanic Temple ultimately intends to have After School Satan Clubs operating in every school district where the Good News Club is represented.

If they really want to get their message out to kids it seems kind of odd that they would only be targeting schools with a Good News Club; one would think that they would want to start clubs anywhere there is an \*interest\* in them.

### FAQ - After School Satan

Thank you ©

Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Facility Use/Custodial Support 253.571.3313/Fax 253.571.3320 aobrien@tacoma.k12.wa.us





From: PAUL KOCH Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:14:04 GMT

To: STEPHEN STORY

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

FYI . . .

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 4:00 PM

To: OLGA LAY; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Olga,

Best,

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools

From: OLGA LAY

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,	
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Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.	
Best regards,	
Shannon Mc Minimee	
General Counsel Tacoma Public Schools	

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After Schootsated ni€With PRACEPRING by Judicial Watch, Inc.



From: KAREN VIALLE Sent:Mon, 21 Nov 2016 06:37:18 GMT

To: Carla Santorno ; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

------ Original message ------From: Ken Lloyd <lken352@gmail.com> Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB <acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, KAREN VIALLE <KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, CATHERINE USHKA <CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, SCOTT

HEINZE <SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club

out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, "do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



STEPHEN STORY Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 19:37:40 GMT From:

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

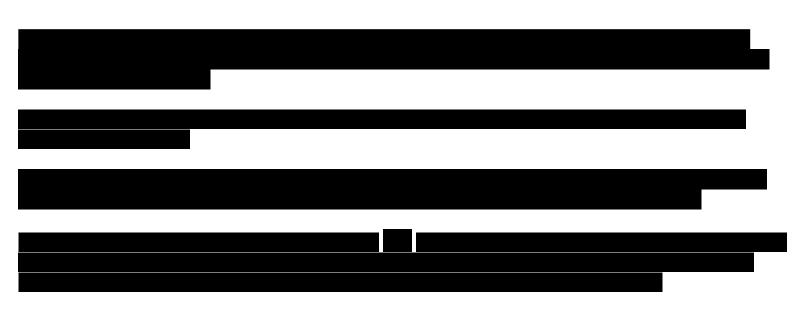
CC Stephen Murakami; Carla Santorno; Joshua Garcia; STEPHEN STORY

Subject: RE: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

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Susan, see our replies to each of your questions.



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Thanks for your prompt assistance.
SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel
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### **General Rules for Use of School Facilities**

- 1. Applicants will provide proof of insurance for \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit comprehensive general liability insurance for bodily injury, with the Tacoma School District named as an additional insured. Certain activities may require additional insurance at the District's discretion based on the nature and scope of use. Contact the Maintenance and Operations Department at (253) 571-3313 regarding insurance coverage questions. The group in whose name the use permit is issued is responsible for damage done to District property and for restitution of such damage.
- 2. The applicant/user organization shall defend, protect, indemnify and hold the District, its officers, employees and agents harmless from any and all liabilities or rights of action directly or indirectly arising out of the use of the premises covered by the Building Use Request.
- 3. The District is not responsible for losses of personal properly by individuals or groups during an approved building activity.
- 4. The Board of Directors reserves the right to revoke any authorization issued for the use of a school building or grounds and if rental has been paid, to refund such rental less expense incurred by the District in connection therewith.
- 5. So long as the District allows outside groups to use its school buildings, grounds and facilities, it will provide equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following district official has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act: Chief Operating Officer, P.O. Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 (253) 571-3300.
- 6. Per Building Use Regulations, requests must be presented at least 30 days in advance of date desired but no more than 60 days in advance. Special consideration may be given to those groups with future calendar deadlines.
- 7. Per Building Use Regulations, no group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- 8. By signing this form, Applicant agrees to be financially responsible for any charges incurred. No requests for reductions in the rental fees or extra costs will be considered.
- 9. The applicant shall notify both the facility and Buildings & Grounds Department of any cancellation of previously scheduled event at least five (5) working days prior to scheduled use. In case of failure to do so, the District may invoice for expenses incurred in preparation for use of the facility requested.
- 10. The use of facilities shall be restricted to those spaces and times specifically covered in the Building Use Request. If a user does not comply with this requirement, the District may charge the user additional facility use fees for which the user shall be responsible. If an applicant has unpaid fees, it may be denied further use of District facilities.
- 11. All applicants/user organization must comply with District rules:
  - Use of language or actions which are offensive or profane to a person of ordinary sensibilities will not be tolerated.
  - Liquor, drugs or use of tobacco products are prohibited on District properly.
  - Weapons are prohibited on District property.
  - In addition, individual schools and facilities may compile and post in a conspicuous location other supplemental special rules which are applicable to specific situations and locations.
- 12. All applicants/organizations using school facilities shall provide adequate adult supervision which shall remain with the group during all activities and be responsible for the group's conformance with all rules and regulations.
- 13. The applicant is responsible for providing emergency telephone access and first aid kit for emergency situations.
- 14. A private, nonprofit youth program, by signing this form, verifies that it complies with the policies for management of concussions and head injuries as set out in RCW 28A.600.190.
- 15. Fire and safety regulations of the Tacoma School District, the City of Tacoma and the State of Washington must be observed at all times.
- 16. In its use of the facility, the applicant/user shall not discriminate in violation of federal or state law or local ordinance.
- 17. All groups shall leave the school facilities in the same order and condition in which they found them.
- 18. Tables, chairs, desks and other furniture and equipment shall not be moved from one room to another unless specifically mentioned on the permit and, by or under, the direct supervision of a District employee. Extra or unusual services for program or activities must be identified in the Building Use Request.
- 19. No decorations or the application of materials to walls, ceilings or floors shall be permitted which will mar, deface or injure these surfaces. No wax or other substances shall be applied to the floors.
- 20. This agreement does not include the right of advertising on school premises other than the right to post signage two hours in advance of an event for the purpose of directing people to the location of the event.
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From: OLGA LAY Sent:Wed, 31 Aug 2016 00:16:25 GMT

To: Neil Obrien ; Lisa Boyd ; ERIC KONISHI

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Talking to Paul Koch right now and they cannot leave fliers or anything in the building. They must go through the peach jar and that is it. They will be charged \$11.00+ an hour and Paul Koch is calling Good News Club to tell them.

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 4:56 PM **To:** NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

So if they are a group that has a form in - we sign the form if we have room for them, it goes to Andrea and they let them know how much they have to pay - correct? I just sign that I have the space to allow them in.....

What if PTA is sponsoring the after school activity?

Thanks for checking with this Neil. Pinky swear that I will not forward to downtown....O

From: NEIL OBRIEN

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 4:24 PM **To:** OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

I am consciously not including the whole entourage on this one and I ask that you not forward this email on to the full group.

I just got off the phone with Andrea O'Brien-Henley 571-3313. She said that she has been in touch with the Good News club and that they know that they will need to pay for use. We should refer all groups to Andrea who will be able to advise them on specifics of usage fees. I just called the rep of Good News who has made applications for Geiger in the past and let her know that she should call Andrea for details. Now I will be calling all groups with facilities use forms and letting them know to call Andrea regarding the details of any fees that might apply to them. If they wish to continue with their facilities use applications, they will need to tell me after they call Andrea and I will send their application forward. I don't really mind making these calls because I do want to connect with each of these groups.

Neil

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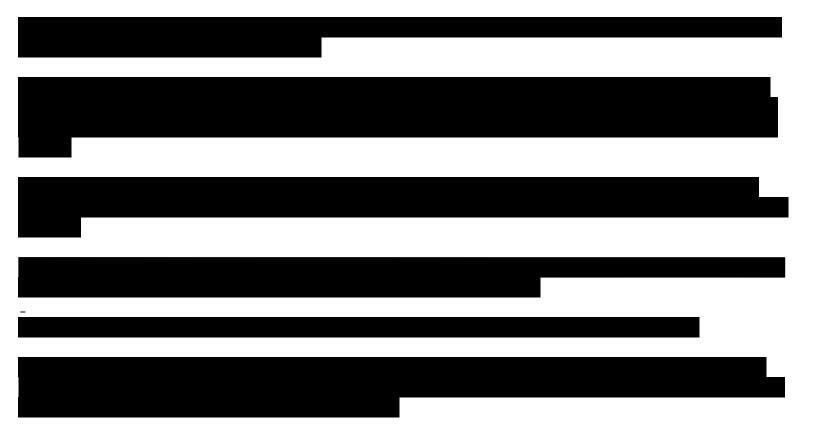
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From: Andrea O'Brien-Henley Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 15:24:55 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH

Subject: RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

GNC pays rental fees in other states. Should I pull news articles and contact the districts to get information on how they classify and bill GNC?

Thank you ©

Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Facility Use/Custodial Support 253.571.3313/Fax 253.571.3320 aobrien@tacoma.k12.wa.us

From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 3:31 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Susan,

Thanks,

Paul Koch X3325

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

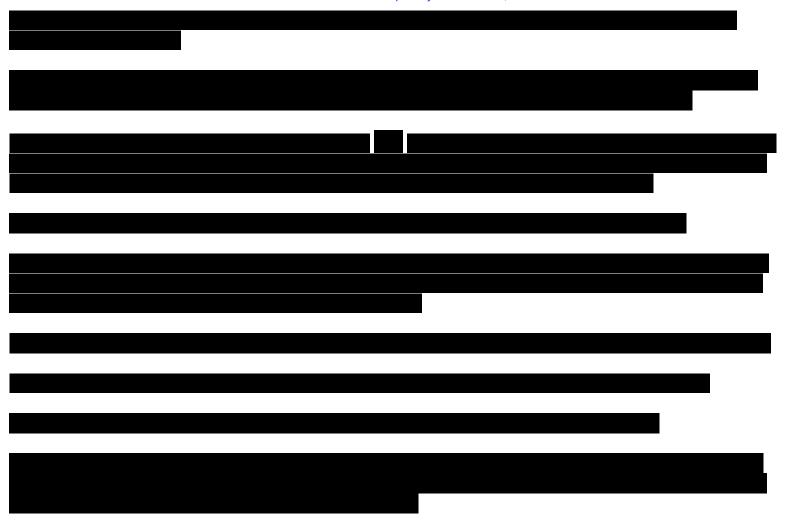
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,



Thanks for your prompt assistance.

SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: Carla Santorno Sent:Wed, 12 Oct 2016 11:32:50 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; Joshua Garcia

CC Daniel Voelpel

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt Defiance. DAN can get them info about Peach Jar?(our distribution method).

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 11, 2016, at 6:14 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Carla,



SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me! Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle < satanictempleseattle @gmail.com >

**Date:** October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: info@tacoma.k12.wa.us, csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us
Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance

Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

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Lilith Starr

Chapter Head

The Satanic Temple Seattle

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



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From: OLGA LAY Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 22:57:06 GMT

To: McMinimee Shannon; Neil Obrien; Lisa Boyd; ERIC KONISHI

CC Stephen Murakami; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; Sandra Lindsay-Brown

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

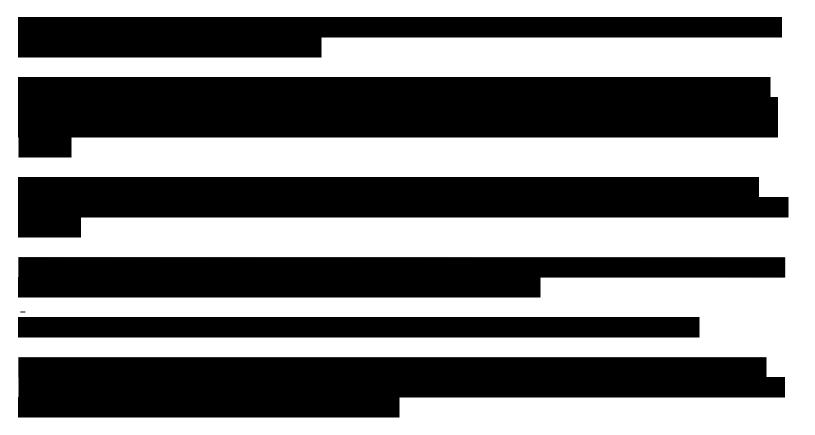
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee

General Counsel Tacoma Public Schools



# Archive Manager Export

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

KAREN VIALLE; Carla Santorno; Joshua Garcia

Subject: RE: CEF - After School Satan Club

I will.

To:

SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10

P.O. Box 1357

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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 18, 2016 12:55 PM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

FYI. Please respond.

Thanks,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org > Date: 10/18/16 11:10 AM (GMT-08:00)

To: LISA BOYD < <u>lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>

Cc: KAREN VIALLE < <u>KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, CATHERINE USHKA < <u>CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, <u>dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u>, SCOTT HEINZE < <u>SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, ANDREA COBB < <u>acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

Sent:Fri, 28 Oct 2016 00:49:13 GMT

Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

# Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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From: Daniel Voelpel
To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Email to the school board

Hi, Susan:

On Nov 14, 2016, at 8:03 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS <SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> wrote:

Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group' or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

SUSAN SCHREURS
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Sent: Tue, 15 Nov 2016 15:22:38 GMT



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SUSAN SCHREURS From:

To: Felipe Mendez

FW: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club Subject:

FYI

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 9:05 AM

To: Rae McNally Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: RE: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: Rae McNally

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:58 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent:Fri, 18 Nov 2016 17:13:14 GMT

Subject: FW: MEDIA Question FW: after school satisfaction by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Forwarding, I see Felipe is out today.

From: Rae McNally

**Sent:** Friday, November 18, 2016 8:51 AM **To:** FELIPE MENDEZ; DANIEL VOELPEL

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Good morning,



I'm available at ext. 1019.

## Rae A. McNally

Strategic Communications Manager and Webmaster Public Information Office, Tacoma Public Schools rmcnall@tacoma.k12.wa.us

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From: Wise, Cynthia [mailto:cwise@king5.com]

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:35 AM Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

To: Rae McNally

Subject: FW: after school satan club

Rae,

I got an auto-reply from Dan referring us to you. Can you help?

Thank you,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 <a href="mailto:cwise@king5.com">cwise@king5.com</a> follow me on Twitter at cwiseking5







From: Wise, Cynthia

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:28 AM

To: 'DANIEL VOELPEL' < <a href="DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>>

Subject: after school satan club

Dan,

Good morning.

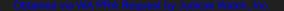
I was wondering if any kids/parents had signed up for the club yet. (was reading an article that indicated parents had to sign their kids up for the group)

Thanks,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 cwise@king5.com

follow me on Twitter at cwiseking5







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From: MAGDA CONTRERAS Sent:Sun, 13 Nov 2016 06:38:51 GMT

To: RUTH

Subject: Re: What in the? After School Satan Club announces first gathering at elementary school in Washington | WPXI

Praying in the name of Jesus!

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 12, 2016, at 2:53 PM, Ruth <rhwizdom515@gmail.com> wrote:

1 Thes. 5:17 reminds us to pray continually. Ephesians 6:17 instructs us to pick up and carry the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God. We who are building God's kingdom need to arm ourselves against the attack of our spiritual enemy, Satan. Our protection is the sword of the Spirit, which is God's Word. Please join with me in praying that this demonic club will not be able to get established in Tacoma or any other city. Pray a hedge of protection around all of our children.

Ruth

----- Original Message ------

Subject: What in the? After School Satan Club announces first gathering at elementary school in Washington | WPXI

From: Kai Haze <khayes253@gmail.com> Sent: Saturday, November 12, 2016, 12:03 PM

To: rhwizdom515@gmail.com,Sissy <c.webb253@gmail.com>

CC:

http://www.wpxi.com/news/trending-now/after-school-satan-club-announces-first-gathering-at-elementary-school-in-washington/466428041



#### Archive Manager **Export**

Felipe Mendez Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 20:17:45 GMT From:

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

CC Renee Hemmasi; Michaela Reeder Subject: Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

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Ltr - to Port Defiance Principal - Tacoma Public Schools.pdf (149Kb) 🔳 ATT00001.htm (0Kb)

This just in....

Felipe Mendez **Deputy General Counsel** Tacoma School District No.10 253-571-1013

---- Forwarded message -----

From: "CHRISTA EROLIN" <cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> To: "FELIPE MENDEZ" <FMENDEZ@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Cc: "LISA BOYD" < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club Date: Tue, Oct 18, 2016 12:57 PM

Felipe,

Here is the letter Lisa received today.

Based on our brief conversation, Legal will now communicate with this organization and they should not be contacting Lisa anymore.

Thanks so much,

Christa

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: LISA BOYD < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Date: October 18, 2016 at 11:34:40 AM PDT To: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Cc: CHRISTA EROLIN <cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Subject: Fw: CEF - After School Satan Club

fyi - I'm home ill today but looking at emails periodically. Here is a new one regarding the Satan Club.

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org>

Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:10 AM

To: LISA BOYD

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB

**Subject:** CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

Vicki Barros

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Reply to: Orlando

October 18, 2016

## VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

## Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and TST's video "advertisement" of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely

Richard L. Mast.

CC - VIA EMAIL:

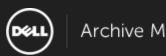
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.youngskeptics.net/about-us.html

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# Archive Manager Export

From: Carla Santorno Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 16:07:48 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Sounds good.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 12, 2016, at 10:30 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Sorry for the confusion Carla. I meant Lisa, the principal at Pt. Defiance. I called and spoke with her about the situation and gathered some information about the information I've learned, my analysis and recommendations.

### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:51 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Lisa's in Orlando at the national human resource conference. I'll let her know what's going on. You can email her.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 12, 2016, at 11:00 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

I also need to talk with Lisa about this and have put in a call to her.

SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 7:53 AM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client

communication

Here's the KOMO story. I am sure that we will have more media attention on this today. <a href="http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma">http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma</a>

Dan Voelpel Public Information Director Tacoma Public Schools 253-571-1015

From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:32 AM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

**Subject:** Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client

communication

Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt Defiance. DAN can get them info about Peach Jar?(our distribution method).

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 11, 2016, at 6:14 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Carla,





SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel
Tacoma School District #10
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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle <satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: <u>info@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u>, <u>csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u> Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision

stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

## Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Lilith Starr

Chapter Head

The Satanic Temple Seattle

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



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CHRISTA EROLIN Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 19:57:37 GMT From:

To: Felipe Mendez CC Lisa Boyd

Subject: Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

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Here is the letter Lisa received today.

Based on our brief conversation, Legal will now communicate with this organization and they should not be contacting Lisa anymore.

Thanks so much.

Christa

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: LISA BOYD < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Date: October 18, 2016 at 11:34:40 AM PDT To: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Cc: CHRISTA EROLIN <cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Subject: Fw: CEF - After School Satan Club

fyi - I'm home ill today but looking at emails periodically. Here is a new one regarding the Satan Club.

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org>

Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:10 AM

To: LISA BOYD

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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October 18, 2016

## VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

## Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and <u>TST's video "advertisement"</u> of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Mast.

**CC - VIA EMAIL:** 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

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Sent: Wed, 02 Nov 2016 18:47:22 GMT Tonya Beattie From:

Andrea Cobb; Catherine Ushka; KAREN VIALLE; Scott Heinze (scott@heinzellc.com); Scott Heinze To:

Correspondence from General Counsel re: Satan Club Subject:

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Response to Mast fr Gen Counsel re Satans Club 10 31 16.pdf (20Kb)

Please see the attached response to Mr. Mast from our General Counsel regarding the after school satan club at Pt. Defiance Elem.

Best Regards,

Tonya Beattie, CAP | Executive Assistant, Board of Directors Office | Tacoma Public Schools PO Box 1357 | Tacoma, WA 98401 | Office: 253.571.1443 | Fax: 253.571.1440 | www.tacoma.k12.wa.us

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October 31, 2016

Richard L. Mast, Jr. Liberty Counsel 122 C. St. N.W., Ste. 360 Washington, DC 20005

Re: After School Satan Club

Dear Mr. Mast:

This letter is in response to your letter to the District's Board of Directors and the principal of Point Defiance Elementary School.

We recognize the legal requirements pertaining to the use of District facilities by non-District groups and will address the potential use of facilities by the After School Satan Club, or any other organization, consistent with the law.

Please direct any further contact regarding this or any other matter to the General Counsel for the District. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Susan K. Schreurs

Interim General Counsel

cc: Board of Directors

Superintendent Santorno

**Deputy Superintendent Garcia** 

Jusan Schreier

Principal Boyd



From: Felipe Mendez

SUSAN SCHREURS; Renee Hemmasi

Subject: RE: FYI

To:

Yes, in part, M & O along with Principal.

I belive the Deputy Superintendent's office was working on notificaitons, but I'm not 100 % sure.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 2:27 PM

To: FELIPE MENDEZ; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: RE: FYI

Yes, I heard this too. I was wondering what attorney was involved. Who deals with approving outside club use here? Is it a maintenance and operations decision or at the local building level? We might want to alert the folks involved about this issue and the need to work with us on it, should they get such a request.

### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: FELIPE MENDEZ

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 11:43 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: FYI

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/education/mount-vernon-school-district-must-allow-after-school-satan-club-district-lawyer-says/

Sent:Fri, 23 Sep 2016 00:14:03 GMT

Felipe M Mendez Deputy General Counsel Tacoma School District No. 10

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From: PAUL KOCH Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 15:34:43 GMT

To: Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Subject: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Thanks for the info! If you have an article, send it to me and we can review.

I'm not sure how Susan Schreurs is looking at this.

PΚ

From: ANDREA O'BRIEN-HENLEY

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 8:25 AM

To: PAUL KOCH

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

GNC pays rental fees in other states. Should I pull news articles and contact the districts to get information on how they classify and bill GNC?

Thank you ©

Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Facility Use/Custodial Support 253.571.3313/Fax 253.571.3320 aobrien@tacoma.k12.wa.us

From: PAUL KOCH

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 12, 2016 3:31 PM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Susan,

Thanks,

Paul Koch X3325

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY
Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

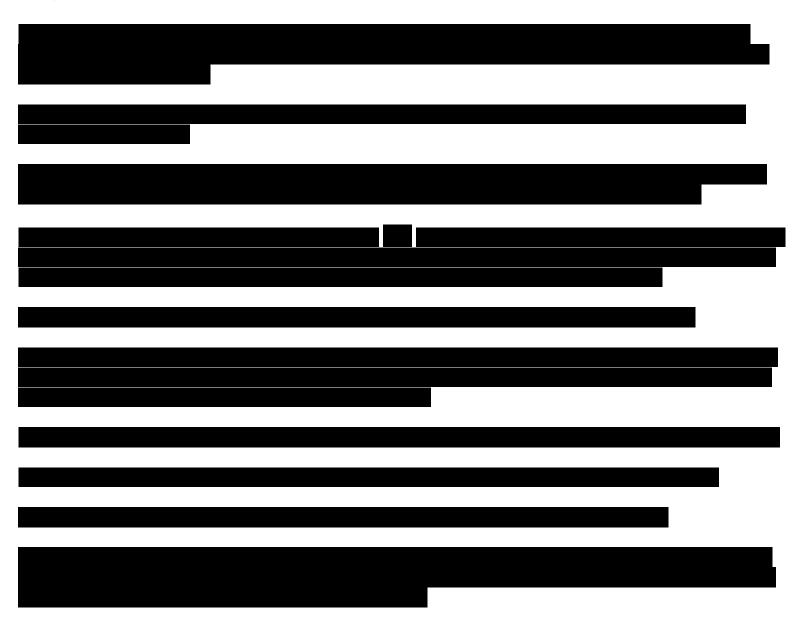
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To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,



Thanks for your prompt assistance.

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To: PAUL KOCH ; STEPHEN STORY

CC Stephen Murakami

Subject: RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

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To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

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Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

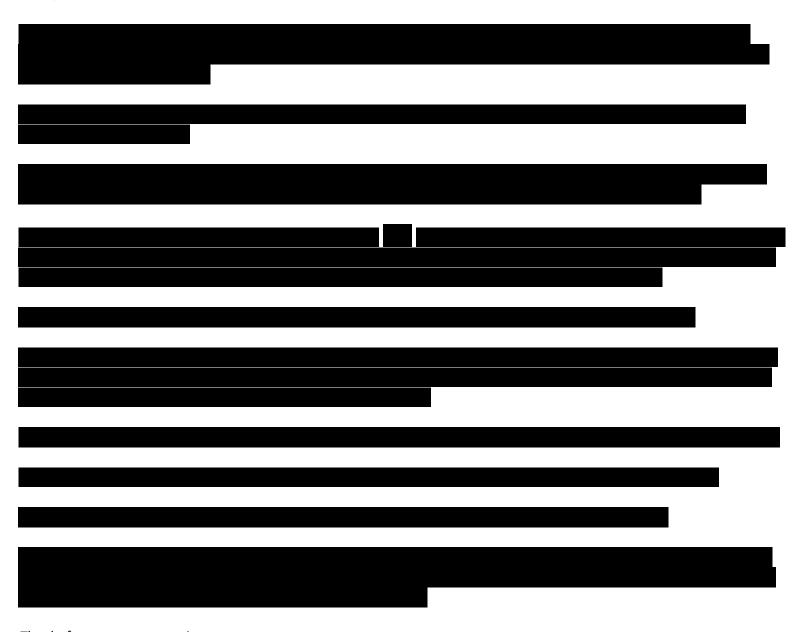
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

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Thanks for your prompt assistance.

## SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: Lisa Boyd Sent: Sun, 20 Nov 2016 23:18:22 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel ; CHRISTA EROLIN

Subject: Fw: Satan Club

Keeping you in the loop with my on-going responses.

From: LISA BOYD

Sent: Sunday, November 20, 2016 3:16 PM

To: Joan Lubischer Subject: Re: Satan Club

Dr. Lubischer,

I have not authorized this club it is not a school-related activity. The district has followed the laws which grant outside organizations to rent space in Tacoma Public Schools facilities.

I've not spoken to one member of this organization. My staff and I do not endorse, recruit are have anything to do with this club. I certainly understand the concern and we have opened up two community forums to answer questions related to this topic the last conversation was just last Friday at 6:00PM. Please feel free to visit http://www.worldreligionnews.com/religion-news/tacoma-parents-protest-after-school-satan-club which is an article that captures more information on the topic. If you have further questions, please feel free to call me at (253) 640-1428.

Thank you for your inquiry and I appreciate your concern.

Lisa Boyd

From: Joan Lubischer <jlubi@centurylink.net>
Sent: Sunday, November 20, 2016 11:31 AM

To: LISA BOYD
Subject: Satan Club

Dear Ms. Boyd:

According to your mission: "Point Defiance welcomes students, families, and the community to a nurturing, learning environment that promotes academic achievement. We have a clear and shared focus to ensure high standards and expectations for all. Together, we provide the knowledge and skills for students to become respectful, responsible, life-long learners and citizens." Given this mission, how can you authorize a Satan Club?

Joan C. Lubischer, Ph.D.



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Sun, 27 Nov 2016 20:06:55 GMT

To: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA

CC HEATHER JONES; Lisa Boyd; Rae McNally; STEVEN LOBDELL

Subject: Re: satan club

Thanks for looping me in, Miguel. I would ask that all staff who receive these please not respond directly. Simply forward them to me, and I will respond on behalf of the district

on behalf of the district.

On Nov 22, 2016, at 12:41 PM, MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA < MVILLAH@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> wrote:

Thanks for bringing this to my attention. We'll see if we can identify although if anything it would just be a conversation.

From: HEATHER JONES

Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 8:31 AM

To: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: FW: satan club

Hello I teach at Point Defiance and I wanted to bring to your attention emails that are coming through the district email. I received this in my inbox at work. This is the second email I have gotten. Not sure who they are coming from.

From: Ziggo mail [mailto:fam.dumon@ziggo.nl]
Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 5:22 AM

To: HEATHER JONES
Subject: satan club

I strongly protest the After School Satan Club to be allowed on your premises.

This is a grave threat to the spiritual life of children and the future of education. "

Our Lord said: "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." (Matthew 19:14)

I urge you to revoke the Satanic Temple's permit. Satan has no place in education. Don't let the devil near our children.

St. Michael the Archangel,

defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,

and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts,

by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan,

and all the evil spirits,

who prowl about the world Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc. seeking the ruin of souls. Amen..

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Sincerely Zita Dumon



From: Carla Santorno Sent:Tue, 22 Nov 2016 07:22:32 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

CC Daniel Voelpel; Nikol Cartledge

Subject: Re: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs" We'll respond- with your letter. Nikol, will you send responses?

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 21, 2016, at 9:42 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Carla,

I don't know if you're responding to this or you want me to. Let me know please. Here's what was said in reply to the last email complaining about this:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group's or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available on after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Sunday, November 20, 2016 10:37 PM **To:** CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

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From: Ken Lloyd < lken352@gmail.com > Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB < acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >, KAREN VIALLE

< <u>KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, CATHERINE USHKA < <u>CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, SCOTT

HEINZE < SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, " do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Thu, 20 Oct 2016 15:01:56 GMT

To: Felipe Mendez ; Renee Hemmasi

Subject: FW: ASSC Response

For your information, should further assistance be needed while I'm out.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Thursday, October 20, 2016 7:19 AM **To:** satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

Cc: SUSAN SCHREURS; DANIEL VOELPEL; STEPHEN MURAKAMI; STEPHEN STORY; PAUL KOCH; LISA BOYD; CHRISTA EROLIN;

**TONI PACE** 

**Subject:** ASSC Response

Dear Ms. Starr:

In response to your request to offer an After School Satan Club at Point Defiance Elementary, you may submit an application on the Request/Authorization for Use of Facilities/Fields form. A sample of the form was previously sent to you. However, the forms are on NCR paper and therefore you will need to use one of the actual forms. You may obtain a copy of such a form from the main office at the school or by contacting Paul Koch at the Maintenance and Operations Department, <a href="maintenance-pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us">pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, or Susan Schreurs, <a href="maintenance-pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us">sschreu@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, Interim General Counsel.

After completing the form, submit it to the main office staff of the school. It will be reviewed to determine if the dates and times you request can be accommodated. You will also need to submit a certificate of liability insurance with the application that complies with paragraph 1 of the General Rules for Use of School Facilities. If your organization is a nonprofit organization, you will need to submit documentation that you are a 501c(3) organization. If the required paperwork is in place and there is availability at the school, the paperwork will be submitted to the Maintenance and Operations Department for final review and a copy will be e-mailed to you.

If your organization is approved for use at Point Defiance, distribution of permission slips would be through the District's online portal, Peachjar, just as it is for other non-District sponsored organizations.

Thank you, Carla J. Santorno



From: Rae McNally Sent:Thu, 17 Nov 2016 22:33:22 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: RE: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes I only received part of the email, but this was helpful.

From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Thursday, November 17, 2016 2:07 PM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: Re: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes

I edited a few spots below. In this case, the school board has not been a decision making body over the club's request. It was handled administratively by our Maintenance and Operations Department, which oversees the facility rental process. The legal department provided guidance to ensure all steps were properly and legally followed.

I also noted that some formal partner organizations do have background checks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 17, 2016, at 11:46 AM, Rae McNally < <a href="mailto:rmcnall@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">rmcnall@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a> wrote:

#### How did we get here?

- · Tacoma Public Schools received an email late in the afternoon Oct. 11 from the Satanic Temple Seattle.
- The Temple asked for information about how to apply for afterschool facility use for Point Defiance.
- · Superintendent Santorno notified the temple by email on Oct. 18 what the application process entails.
- The School District is following the law and has approved the use of space request as it does for other organizations that request to use our schools and facilities.
- The Temple has applied for and been granted permission to use one room, once per month for a total of seven times between December and the end of the school year. From 3:30 to 5:30 pm.
- Parents received electronic fliers about the program with instructions on how to register their children for it if they choose.
- A ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court is clear: Tacoma Public Schools cannot prevent an organization from using available space in our school based on their religious beliefs.
- · I assure you no district leaders nor any Point Defiance Elementary School staff recruited this organization 000241 (PRR 2406)

or endorse its presence at the scind ola WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

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· No one connected with the school or the district recruited or endorses the program.

#### Why are you allowing this?

• Our guidelines are narrow. We are following the law, which is clear that we cannot discriminate against and organization based on its beliefs—religious, political, scientific or other.

#### Why are you endorsing the Satan Club?

• The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. We are following the law, and simply making the facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis.

#### Why are they allowed to distribute information?

 No one connected with the school or district has recruited or endorsed the program. Applications such as PeachJar are provided by the district as an avenue for our schools and non-profit organizations to distribute information electronically to parents.

Who has access to children. (background checks)



From: Susan Anderson Sent: Thu, 20 Oct 2016 21:09:46 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel Subject: RE: ASSC Response

Thank you.

Sincerely, Susan R. Anderson

Administrative Secretary Public Information Office Tacoma Public Schools

P: 253-571-1015



EVERY STUDENT. EVERY DAY.

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From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Thursday, October 20, 2016 2:06 PM

To: SUSAN ANDERSON

Subject: FW: ASSC Response

FYI

From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Thursday, October 20, 2016 7:19 AM **To:** <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

Cc: SUSAN SCHREURS; DANIEL VOELPEL; STEPHEN MURAKAMI; STEPHEN STORY; PAUL KOCH; LISA BOYD; CHRISTA EROLIN;

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#### Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

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Thank you, Carla J. Santorno



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Wed, 16 Nov 2016 02:39:50 GMT

To: Ligia Boyd

Subject: Fwd: Legal response to Satan Club issue

Hi, Lisa:

Interim General Counsel Susan Schreurs sent this communication to a family who emailed the school board regarding the club. Susan said you and PIO can use her reply to share with other parents and community members who raise concerns about the club's presence.

Dan

Sent from my iPad

#### Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group's or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

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Lisa Boyd Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 18:34:40 GMT From:

To: Daniel Voelpel CC CHRISTA EROLIN

Fw: CEF - After School Satan Club Subject:

Attachments may contain viruses that are harmful to your computer. Attachments may not display correctly.

Ltr - to Port Defiance Principal - Tacoma Public Schools.pdf (149Kb)

fyi - I'm home ill today but looking at emails periodically. Here is a new one regarding the Satan Club.

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org>

Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:10 AM

To: LISA BOYD

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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Reply to: Orlando

October 18, 2016

## VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

## Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and TST's video "advertisement" of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Mast.

CC - VIA EMAIL:

Karen Vialle, President Catherine Ushka, Vice President Debbie Winskill Scott Heinze Andrea Cobb kvialle@tacoma.k12.wa.us cushka@tacoma.k12.wa.us dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us sheinze@tacoma.k12.wa.us acobb@tacoma.k12.wa.us

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.youngskeptics.net/about-us.html

<sup>†</sup>Licensed in Virginia



From: PAUL KOCH
To: SUSAN SCHREURS
CC STEPHEN STORY;

CC STEPHEN STORY; Stephen Murakami Subject: Please review A/C communication

Susan,

Sent:Mon, 17 Oct 2016 20:19:42 GMT

Call if you want to discuss further.

#### Paul

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Friday, October 14, 2016 3:03 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

**Cc:** STEPHEN MURAKAMI; STEPHEN STORY **Subject:** Please review A/C communication

Paul,



Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.	

Thanks Paul.

SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: PAUL KOCH Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:14:38 GMT

To: Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

FYI . . .

All this is getting routed through Steve Story.

PK

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent: Mon, 28 Nov 2016 23:52:14 GMT

To: Nikol Cartledge

Subject: FW: EMAIL THE SCHOOL BOARD

Here's another one. And I think there may have been a couple of others that came in that I didn't forward. I'll look.

Dan

From: MK Maley [mailto:mkmaley52@gmail.com] Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 3:49 PM

To: CATHERINE USHKA; ANDREA COBB; SCOTT HEINZE; KAREN VIALLE

**Cc:** TONYA BEATTIE; DANIEL VOELPEL **Subject:** EMAIL THE SCHOOL BOARD

#### Dear board members;

If you wish to instill positive values in the students entrusted to your care, you cannot approve an after-school Satan Club. That is the very antithesis of goodness. Do you want bullying? Violence? These are what Satan promotes. Don't believe that Satanism is values - neutral. It is far from harmless.

Sincerely,

Mary K. Maley Condon, Oregon



From: Felipe Mendez Sent:Fri, 18 Nov 2016 17:10:37 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Felipe Mendez Deputy General Counsel Tacoma School District No.10 253-571-1013

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From: "Rae McNally" < rmcnall@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

To: "FELIPE MENDEZ" <FMENDEZ@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, "DANIEL VOELPEL" <DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Cc: "LISA BOYD" <lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Subject: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Date: Fri, Nov 18, 2016 8:51 AM

Good morning,

I'm available at ext. 1019.

Rae A. McNally

Strategic Communications Manager and Webmaster Public Information Office, Tacoma Public Schools rmcnall@tacoma.k12.wa.us

P: 253-571-1019 C: 253-533-0201



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From: Wise, Cynthia [mailto:cwise@king5.com] Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:35 AM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: FW: after school satan club

Rae,

I got an auto-reply from Dan referring us to you. Can you help?

Thank you,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 <a href="mailto:cwise@king5.com">cwise@king5.com</a> follow me on Twitter at cwiseking5







From: Wise, Cynthia

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:28 AM

To: 'DANIEL VOELPEL' < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Subject: after school satan club

Dan,

Good morning.

I was wondering if any kids/parents had signed up for the club yet. (was reading an article that indicated parents had to sign their kids up for the group)

Thanks,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 cwise@king5.com





From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Wed, 12 Oct 2016 15:00:37 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel; Carla Santorno; Joshua Garcia

Subject: RE: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

I also need to talk with Lisa about this and have put in a call to her.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357

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From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 7:53 AM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Here's the KOMO story. I am sure that we will have more media attention on this

today. http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma

Dan Voelpel
Public Information Director
Tacoma Public Schools
253-571-1015

From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:32 AM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt Defiance. DAN

can get them info about Peach Jar?(our distribution method).

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 11, 2016, at 6:14 PM, SUSAN SCPRETURS & SCPRET

Carla,



SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel
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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle < satanictempleseattle@gmail.com >

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: <a href="mailto:info@tacoma.k12.wa.us">info@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, <a href="mailto:csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us">csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, <a href="mailto:csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us">csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a></a> <a href="mailto:sub.us">Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club</a>

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

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In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you

you for your kind attention to this matter.
Sincerely,
Lilith Starr
Chapter Head
The Satanic Temple Seattle
satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

consider this program and we dook forward to receive in go un positive response. Thank



Daniel Voelpel Sent: Mon. 28 Nov 2016 23:25:35 GMT From:

To: Rae McNally

FW: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames Subject:

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FYI. Reply from Keller Group.

**From:** Carol Lucas [mailto:carol@thekellergroup.com]

Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 3:09 PM

To: Lee Keller; Margo Jasukaitis; DANIEL VOELPEL; SUSAN SCHREURS **Subject:** FW: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

We see a low risk of conflation of the issues here, especially if this is submitted with a strong headline like "Post-Election Harassment Has No Place in Tacoma" which is, like the first sentence of the statement, tightly focused on the election.

Carol Lucas | Senior Strategist <u>carol@thekellergroup.com</u> 7826 Leary Way NE, Suite 201 Redmond, WA 98052

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From: DANIEL VOELPEL [mailto:DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US]

Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 2:53 PM

To: Lee Keller < Lee@thekellergroup.com >; SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Cc: Deborah McGrath < <u>Deborah@thekellergroup.com</u> >; Margo Jasukaitis < <u>Margo@thekellergroup.com</u> >; Carol Lucas

<carol@thekellergroup.com>

Subject: RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

#### Hi, Margo, Lee and team:

We have one more thing. Superintendent Santorno wants to send out a statement of tolerance to our community primarily in response to the spike in hate-related activities around the country in the wake of the presidential election. We had several people representing various underrepresented groups speak at our board meeting last week about their safety fears and the need for the district to take a strong stand for the safety of students.

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The reason I'm sending this is because we see the potential for some people in the community to confuse this issue with the after school satan club issue. Because this draft statement (attached) talks about not discriminating based on a variety of factors, including religion, it's possible folks will think we're telling them to tolerate the satan club.

Will you read this through and see if you see that same potential and have any advice on how we can keep the issues separate? The superintendent was hoping to submit it to The News Tribune Tuesday or Wednesday to see if they would run it. Thanks,

Dan Voelpel
Executive Director of Communications
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253-576-4201 (cell)
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From: Lee Keller [mailto:Lee@thekellergroup.com]
Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 10:50 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

**Cc:** Deborah McGrath; Margo Jasukaitis; Carol Lucas; DANIEL VOELPEL **Subject:** RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

We'll do it at 2 and deb will send conference line information.

Thanks!

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS [mailto:SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US]

Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 9:32 AM

To: Lee Keller

**Cc:** Deborah McGrath; Margo Jasukaitis; Carol Lucas; DANIEL VOELPEL **Subject:** RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

Lee, sorry, I'm not available at 1 today.

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From: Lee Keller [mailto:Lee@thekellergroup.com]

Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 9:28 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

**Cc:** Deborah McGrath; Margo Jasukaitis; Carol Lucas; DANIEL VOELPEL **Subject:** RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

Susan,

Could you and Dan do 1pm today? I need to leave at 2 for mtgs in Seattle...

thanks

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Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 8:37 AM

To: Lee Keller

Cc: Deborah McGrath; Margo Jasukaitis; Carol Lucas; Melissa Milburn; DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

Lee, Dan Voelpel and I would like to have a conference call with you on this. I understand that he gave you info on his availability today to talk. I'm open 2-5 today, or we're both open on the 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9-1:30. Please let us know what works for you.

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Sent: Sunday, November 27, 2016 10:20 PM

**To:** SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: Deborah McGrath; Margo Jasukaitis; Carol Lucas; Melissa Milburn; Lee Keller

**Subject:** RE: Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

Hi Susan,

I apologize that I was out and off all last week.

Shall we set aside a time to talk tomorrow, Monday? I'm back and would love to catch up and get our strategy in place with

I'm copying Deb in my office, who can help us calendar this as well as 3 of my colleagues that will be great on this initial strategy with us.

All the best,

Lee

From: SUSAN SCHREURS [mailto:SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US]

Sent: Monday, November 21, 2016 9:43 AM

To: Lee Keller

**Subject:** Satanists+coming+to+Tacoma;+don't+fan+the+flames

Hi Lee,

The meeting with the Pt. Defiance Elementary PTA on Friday night went ok. Most people seem to understand the dilemma that we're in, although a few simply think we've not tried hard enough to keep the After School Satan Club out, or that we don't understand that they are purveyors of evil and therefore must be kept out at all costs. One parent said she'd go with her child to the meeting to check it out and see what all of the fuss was about, but that was only one person.

Please see the opinion in the Sunday News Tribune on the issue: <a href="http://www.thenewstribune.com/opinion/article115716578.html">http://www.thenewstribune.com/opinion/article115716578.html</a>

I appreciate your advice and look forward to hearing more from you on responding to these issues. There is a school board meeting tonight and I anticipate additional complaints coming to the board. They're pretty solid on how we're addressing this issue thus far I believe.

Thanks.

Susan Schreurs

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Following the recent presidential election, a national advocacy group, the Southern Poverty Law Center, reported a spike in incidents of "hateful harassment and intimidation" across the country.

Tacoma, as a community, has demonstrated an increasing tolerance and acceptance of a wide range of people and perspectives.

We want that dedication to equity, understanding and respect to continue here. That's why I want to assure you that Tacoma Public Schools, as caretakers of Tacoma's children, will not waver in its commitment to preventing and responding to cases of harassment, intimidation or bullying.

You may not know that in 2014 our School Board became one of the first in the state to adopt a formal school district equity policy.

You need only read the opening passage to understand the strength of Tacoma Public Schools' commitment:

The Tacoma School District affirms the inherent dignity and the equal rights of every student. It acknowledges the need to provide for every student a quality education that includes appreciation and respect for human individuality, cultural differences, and similarities that contribute to our democratic nation as a whole.

Every student deserves a respectful learning environment in which their racial, ethnic, religious, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, or disability diversity is valued and contributes to successful academic outcomes. Learning and work environments are enriched and improved by the contributions, perspectives and presence of diverse participants...

The district prohibits discrimination and harassment based on race, religion, color, national origin or ancestry, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, marital or veteran status or disability.

In our schools, we have embarked on what we call the Tacoma Whole Child Initiative. The foundation for this 10-year initiative relies on some key principles:

- Looking after the social and emotional needs of our students, not solely their academic needs.
- Establishing and reinforcing positive behavior expectations.
- Building on students' existing strengths by teaching and reinforcing student self-awareness and self-management skills.

This important work has already become a national model and contributed to an improvement in the climate and behavior in our schools and a meaningful decrease in the need for disciplinary actions.

We want to see this trend continue, because it contributes to one of our School Board's four strategic goals: All schools will create and maintain safe learning environments that promote excellent academic achievement.

All of us in Tacoma Public Schools will continue our focus on creating welcoming environments and keeping all our children safe. We also will continue to follow our standard procedures for receiving and responding to reports of discrimination, harassment, intimidation or bullying.

I want to thank our district staff, students, families and community partners for the continued commitment to our district motto: Every Student. Every Day. We will not allow personal politics—or the reactions to an election—to become either a catalyst or excuse for the mistreatment of any of our students.



SUSAN SCHREURS Sent: Fri. 28 Oct 2016 00:47:53 GMT From:

To: Lisa Boyd

FW: CEF - After School Satan Club Subject:

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Ltr - to Port Defiance Principal - Tacoma Public Schools.pdf (149Kb)

Lisa, I'll respond to this letter. If they call you, direct them to me.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 18, 2016 12:55 PM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

FYI. Please respond.

Thanks.

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Vicki Barros < <u>vicki@lc.org</u>> Date: 10/18/16 11:10 AM (GMT-08:00)

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Cc: KAREN VIALLE < KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >, CATHERINE USHKA < CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us, SCOTT HEINZE <<u>SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, ANDREA COBB <acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Subject: CEF - After School Satan ClubObtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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Reply to: Orlando

October 18, 2016

## VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

## Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and <u>TST's video "advertisement"</u> of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Mast.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

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## Archive Manager Export

From: Catherine Ushka Sent:Mon, 21 Nov 2016 03:47:49 GMT

To: Carla Santorno

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

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Catherine

Begin forwarded message:

From: Ken Lloyd < lken352@gmail.com> Date: November 20, 2016 at 7:28:24 PM PST

To: acobb@tacoma.k12.wa.us, kvialle@tacoma.k12.wa.us, cushka@tacoma.k12.wa.us, sheinze@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, "do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: Michaela Reeder Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 20:05:16 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: RE: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

I will need to send out the documents today since it was received on 10/11. I will have Felipe review to make sure I send the

correct items.

#### Michaela

From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2016 12:46 PM

**To:** MICHAELA REEDER **Cc:** SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

This is the original email – sent to Carla on October 11<sup>th</sup>.

**From:** Satanic Temple Seattle [mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 3:48 PM

To: info; CARLA SANTORNO

Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

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Sincerely,

Lilith Starr

Chapter Head

The Satanic Temple Seattle

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 20:14:55 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH

CC STEPHEN STORY; Stephen Murakami

Subject: RE: Building Use / GNC

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel
Tacoma School District #10

P.O. Box 1357

Tacoma, WA 98401-1357

253.571.1013

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 9:16 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: Building Use / GNC

Susan,

Thanks,

Paul

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

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**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

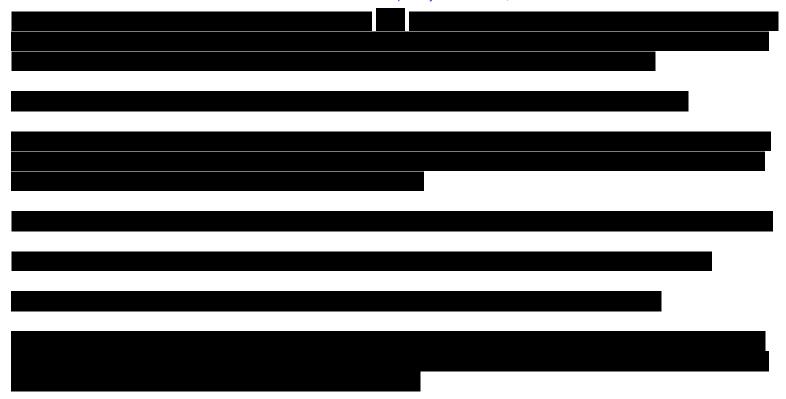
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Importance: High

Steve,



Thanks for your prompt assistance.

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STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS To:

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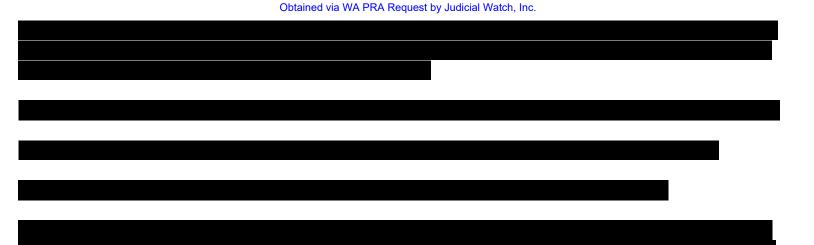
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PLEASE FILL IN ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS

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(School	STOR GROUP: / TSD Department Name / Organization Name)						
3. CONTA	TACT NAME / PHONE:						
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9. OUTSIDE REQUESTOR: Check off and attach necessary documents / requests for services:  □ Certificate of Liability Insurance ( REQUIRED FOR RENTAL ) □ 501c3 (proof of Nonprofit) □ Team Rosters with addresses (proof of 75% District youth) □ Security (must be provided by TSD): Contact 253.571.1288							
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## **General Rules for Use of School Facilities**

- 1. Applicants will provide proof of insurance for \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit comprehensive general liability insurance for bodily injury, with the Tacoma School District named as an additional insured. Certain activities may require additional insurance at the District's discretion based on the nature and scope of use. Contact the Maintenance and Operations Department at (253) 571-3313 regarding insurance coverage questions. The group in whose name the use permit is issued is responsible for damage done to District property and for restitution of such damage.
- The applicant/user organization shall defend, protect, indemnify and hold the District, its officers, employees and agents harmless from any and all liabilities or rights of action directly or indirectly arising out of the use of the premises covered by the Building Use Request.
- 3. The District is not responsible for losses of personal properly by individuals or groups during an approved building activity.
- 4. The Board of Directors reserves the right to revoke any authorization issued for the use of a school building or grounds and if rental has been paid, to refund such rental less expense incurred by the District in connection therewith.
- 5. So long as the District allows outside groups to use its school buildings, grounds and facilities, it will provide equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following district official has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act: Chief Operating Officer, P.O. Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 (253) 571-3300.
- 6. Per Building Use Regulations, requests must be presented at least 30 days in advance of date desired but no more than 60 days in advance. Special consideration may be given to those groups with future calendar deadlines.
- 7. Per Building Use Regulations, no group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- 8. By signing this form, Applicant agrees to be financially responsible for any charges incurred. No requests for reductions in the rental fees or extra costs will be considered.
- 9. The applicant shall notify both the facility and Buildings & Grounds Department of any cancellation of previously scheduled event at least five (5) working days prior to scheduled use. In case of failure to do so, the District may invoice for expenses incurred in preparation for use of the facility requested.
- 10. The use of facilities shall be restricted to those spaces and times specifically covered in the Building Use Request. If a user does not comply with this requirement, the District may charge the user additional facility use fees for which the user shall be responsible. If an applicant has unpaid fees, it may be denied further use of District facilities.
- 11. All applicants/user organization must comply with District rules:
  - Use of language or actions which are offensive or profane to a person of ordinary sensibilities will not be tolerated.
  - Liquor, drugs or use of tobacco products are prohibited on District properly.
  - Weapons are prohibited on District property.
  - In addition, individual schools and facilities may compile and post in a conspicuous location other supplemental special rules which are applicable to specific situations and locations.
- 12. All applicants/organizations using school facilities shall provide adequate adult supervision which shall remain with the group during all activities and be responsible for the group's conformance with all rules and regulations.
- 13. The applicant is responsible for providing emergency telephone access and first aid kit for emergency situations.
- 14. A private, nonprofit youth program, by signing this form, verifies that it complies with the policies for management of concussions and head injuries as set out in RCW 28A.600.190.
- 15. Fire and safety regulations of the Tacoma School District, the City of Tacoma and the State of Washington must be observed at all times.
- 16. In its use of the facility, the applicant/user shall not discriminate in violation of federal or state law or local ordinance.
- 17. All groups shall leave the school facilities in the same order and condition in which they found them.
- 18. Tables, chairs, desks and other furniture and equipment shall not be moved from one room to another unless specifically mentioned on the permit and, by or under, the direct supervision of a District employee. Extra or unusual services for program or activities must be identified in the Building Use Request.
- 19. No decorations or the application of materials to walls, ceilings or floors shall be permitted which will mar, deface or injure these surfaces. No wax or other substances shall be applied to the floors.
- 20. This agreement does not include the right of advertising on school premises other than the right to post signage two hours in advance of an event for the purpose of directing people to the location of the event.
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## Tacoma Public Schools Obtained via March Bran Ce ซะอาร์ อาร์ เลย Watch, Inc. 3223 South Union Ave - Tacoma WA 98409 253,571.3313

## REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FACILITIES / FIELDS

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From: Carla Santorno Sent:Tue, 18 Oct 2016 19:46:18 GMT

To: Michaela Reeder CC SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: FW: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club
This is the original email – sent to Carla on October 11<sup>th</sup>.

**From:** Satanic Temple Seattle [mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 3:48 PM

To: info; CARLA SANTORNO

Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

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Lilith Starr	
Chapter Head	

Sincerely

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

The Satanic Temple Seattle



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Alicia Lawver Sent: Wed, 26 Oct 2016 15:34:56 GMT From:

To: Rae McNally

RE: Google Alert - Tacoma Schools Subject:

Realized I had not responded. No concerns from me.

From: Rae McNally

Sent: Monday, October 24, 2016 7:43 AM

To: ALICIA LAWVER

Subject: FW: Google Alert - Tacoma Schools

Any concerns tweeting this?

From: Google Alerts [mailto:googlealerts-noreply@google.com]

Sent: Friday, October 21, 2016 9:06 AM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: Google Alert - Tacoma Schools

# Google Alerts

# Tacoma Schools

Daily update · October 21, 2016

**NEWS** 

## McCarver Elementary's after-hours library takes a baby step **forward**

The News Tribune

Discussions between Tacoma Public Schools and Tacoma Public Library officials have been ongoing for more than a year. The school district has ...









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## Christian Parents Fight 'After School Satan Club' Opening at Washington Elementary School

Christian Post

Christian parents in Tacoma, Washington, are speaking out against plans to launch an "After School Satan Club" at a neighborhood elementary ...









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Tacoma, Washington Students Return from China Visit on "Kung Fu Panda"-themed Hainan ...

PR Newswire (press release)

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From: PAUL KOCH Sent: Tue, 15 Nov 2016 16:17:21 GMT

To: JANET SCHWANZ

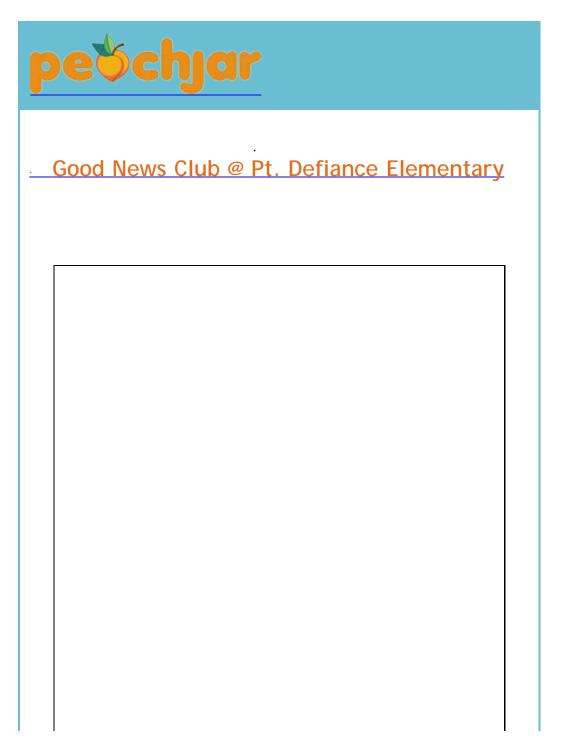
Subject: New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary

FYI . . .

**From:** Peachjar [mailto:school@peachjar.com] **Sent:** Tuesday, November 15, 2016 6:49 AM

To: PAUL KOCH

**Subject:** 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary



## HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at

Learn new and exciting songs, verses and lessons each year.



## Good News Club is an exciting,

fun-filled hour once a week.

It includes:

- \* Dynamic Bible Lessons
- \* Activities Promoting Reading & Writing
- \* Inspiring Missionary Stories
- \* Meaningful Songs
- \* Life-Changing Scripture Memory

#### Your child will learn:

- \* Respect for Authority \* Moral Values
- \* Character Qualities
- \* Biblical Principles

#### ho teaches the club?

Specially trained Christians concerned for the spiritual well-being of your child teach the club. All club workers are screened as required by CEF's child protection policy to ensure your child's safety. Sponsored by: Child Evangelism Fellowship of Pierce County (253) 227-9042

Hosted and Conducted by: Paula Pelletier

253-226-2707

Time: After school 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Date: Every Tuesday starting October 4, 2016 & going to the end of the school year

only on <u>full</u> days of school

Place: Cafeteria @ Pt. Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

Parent /Guardian: Your child must be picked up immediately after the club ends. Our policies do not allow Good News Club teachers or helpers to remain at school after club. If your child is not picked up immediately after club three times throughout the school year, he/she will not be allowed to continue attending the club. Thank you

The United States Constitution requires schools to respect the right of all external organizations to distribute flyers to students at school if the school permits any such organization to distribute flyers. Accordingly, the school cannot discriminate among groups wishing to distribute flyers at school and does not endorse the content of any flyer distributed at school. The school encourages parents to assist their children in making choices appropriate for them. This is not an activity of the school or the School District.

The district does not sponsor this event/activity/offer and the district assumes no responsibility for it. In consideration for the privilege to distribute these materials, the Taccoma School District No. 10 shall be held harmless from any cause of action filled in any court or administrative tribunal arising out of the distribution of these materials, including all costs, attorney's fees and judgments or averaged.

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**Point Defiance Elementary** 

After School Satan Club

## **HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at**

After School Satan Club! Bring your curiosity and have fun!!

After School Satan is an exciting, fun-filled club once a month. It includes:

- Science
- Creative Learning Activities
- Songs
- Art Projects
- Educational Stories

#### Your child will learn:

\*Basic Critical Reasoning \*Problem Solving

\*Character Qualities \*Creative Expression

### Who teaches the club?

After School Satan Clubs are operated by local chapters of The Satanic Temple by volunteer members who have been vetted by the Executive Ministry for professionalism, social responsibility, superior communication skills, and lack of criminal history.

### Sponsored by:

Reason Alliance, Ltd.

Hosted and Conducted by: The Satanic Temple

Time: After school until 5 pm

Date: Every 2nd Wednesday of the month, starting Dec. 14

Place: Art Room at Point Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

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Parent/Guardian: Your child must be picked up immediately after the club ends. Our policies do not allow After School Satan Club teachers or helpers to remain at school after the club. If your child is not picked up immediately after club three times throughout the school year, he/she will not be allowed to continue attending the club. Thank you.

The United States Constitution requires schools to respect the right of all external organizations to distribute flyers to students at school if the school permits any such organization to distribute flyers. Accordingly, the school cannot discriminate among groups wishing to distribute flyers at school and does not endorse the content of any flyer distributed at school. The school encourages parents to assist their children in making choices appropriate for them. This is not an activity of the school or the School District.

The district does not sponsor this event/activity/offer and the district assumes no responsibility for it. In consideration for the privilege to distribute these materials, the Tacoma School District No. 10 shall be held harmless from any cause of action filed in any court or administrative tribunal arising out of the distribution of these materials, including all costs, attorney's fees and judgments or

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			y child at 5:00 pm in the Art Room and
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Parent/Guardian Signature			Date
Check here to show how your child  My child will be picked up.  My child will walk home.  My child goes to the school's e			
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Child's allergies (peanuts, chocolate, e	etc.)		
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1)			Phone
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# Archive Manager Export

From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Thu, 17 Nov 2016 22:06:51 GMT

o: Rae McNally

Subject: Re: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes

I edited a few spots below. In this case, the school board has not been a decision making body over the club's request. It was handled administratively by our Maintenance and Operations Department, which oversees the facility rental process. The legal department provided guidance to ensure all steps were properly and legally followed.

I also noted that some formal partner organizations do have background checks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 17, 2016, at 11:46 AM, Rae McNally < <a href="mail@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">mrote:</a>

## How did we get here?

- · Tacoma Public Schools received an email late in the afternoon Oct. 11 from the Satanic Temple Seattle.
- The Temple asked for information about how to apply for afterschool facility use for Point Defiance.
- · Superintendent Santorno notified the temple by email on Oct. 18 what the application process entails.
- The School District is following the law and has approved the use of space request as it does for other organizations that request to use our schools and facilities.
- The Temple has applied for and been granted permission to use one room, once per month for a total of seven times between December and the end of the school year. From 3:30 to 5:30 pm.
- Parents received electronic fliers about the program with instructions on how to register their children for it if they choose.
- A ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court is clear: Tacoma Public Schools cannot prevent an organization from using available space in our school based on their religious beliefs.
- · I assure you no district leaders nor any Point Defiance Elementary School staff recruited this organization or endorse its presence at the school.

· No one connected with the school or the district recruited or endorses the program.

#### Why are you allowing this?

• Our guidelines are narrow. We are following the law, which is clear that we cannot discriminate against and organization based on its beliefs—religious, political, scientific or other.

#### Why are you endorsing the Satan Club?

• The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. We are following the law, and simply making the facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis.

## Why are they allowed to distribute afformation? PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

 No one connected with the school or district has recruited or endorsed the program. Applications such as PeachJar are provided by the district as an avenue for our schools and non-profit organizations to distribute information electronically to parents.

Who has access to children. (background checks)

Independent organizations renting school space to provide afterschool activities are not recruited or endorsed by the school or district, therefore we do not vet their backgrounds. Formal district partners, such as the YMCA or Boys and Girls Clubs, must pass background checks. As with all afterschool programs, it would be up to each parent to decide whether they wanted to enroll their child in the program.

What if something bad happens to my child in their care.

• Thank you for asking that. We review situations on a one-by-one basis and would respond in accordance to the issue raised.

## What are you doing to change the policy/process?

 Great question. If a process or policy change is something you feel passionatly about, please consider bringing it forward to the Tacoma Public School Board. The next meeting is November 21, 6 p.m. at the Central Administration Building.

#### RAE FYI

Meeting: December 14, 5 p.m. in the Art Room Information distributed this week in PeachJar. Board meeting, November 21, 6 p.m. at the Central Administration Building.



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent: Tue, 06 Dec 2016 01:02:50 GMT

To: Nikol Cartledge Subject: Satan emails...

Two more emails.

## Begin forwarded message:

From: LISA BOYD < <a href="mailto:lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>>

Subject: FW: Satan Club

Date: December 5, 2016 at 3:55:33 PM PST

To: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

From: George A. Tichacek [mailto:gticha@att.net]

Sent: Monday, December 05, 2016 2:23 PM

To: LISA BOYD Subject: Satan Club

Please do not support the proposed Satan Club at your school. We are a nation of believers that it is in God that we trust.

May the Lord protect you and your students,
In Jesus and Mary,
George A. Tichacek,
9806 Barrington Drive,
St. Louis, MO, 63128.
<a href="mailto:gticha@att.net">gticha@att.net</a>.

### Begin forwarded message:

From: LISA BOYD <a href="mailto:lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a> Subject: FW: After school satan club Date: December 5, 2016 at 3:55:14 PM PST

To: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

From: OWEN GALLAGHER [mailto:gallagher590@btinternet.com]

Sent: Monday, December 05, 2016 2:25 PM

To: LISA BOYD

Subject: After school satan club

Dear Ms Boyd,

I understand your school, Point Defiance Elementary School is introducing an after school satan club.

I worked as a medical doctor for several years in a third world country where satanism was rife. The effects of satanism are horrific and I witnessed it on a daily basis....murder, hatred, mayhem, unbelievable evilness...

You really need to do your homework about what you are introducing. Things will go badly wrong in your 000295 (PRR 2406)

school once you let satan

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through the door and you as the head teacher are completely responsible. If I was a parent and something happened my kid because of your foolhardiness,

I would have it looked at very closely by the judicial system and see under what authority you acted to introduce something so malignant to my child.

Yours faithfully,

Dr Owen Gallagher N Ireland



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From: OLGA LAY Sent: Wed, 31 Aug 2016 00:06:40 GMT

To: Lisa Boyd

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

I would think if you have other groups doing it, you have to let her do that...kind of bad eh? O

From: LISA BOYD

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 4:10 PM

To: OLGA LAY

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

She also wanted to hand out flyers here at our event. Sounds like a no go.

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee

**General Counsel** 

Tacoma Public Schools



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From: Felipe Mendez Sent:Thu, 22 Sep 2016 18:42:48 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; RENEE HEMMASI (rhemmas@tacoma.k12.wa.us)

Subject: FY

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/education/mount-vernon-school-district-must-allow-after-school-satan-club-district-lawyer-says/

Felipe M Mendez Deputy General Counsel Tacoma School District No. 10

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From: Carla Santorno Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 22:52:53 GMT

To: Nikol Cartledge

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

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Begin forwarded message:

From: SUSAN SCHREURS <SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Date: October 13, 2016 at 6:37:56 PM EDT

To: CARLA SANTORNO < CSANTOR@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Subject: RE: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Carla,

Thank you,

SUSAN SCHREURS Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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-----Original Message-----From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 3:35 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Thanks. Sounds good, Susan! I will respond to Ms Starr.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 13, 2016, at 5:58 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS <SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> wrote:

Carla,

From my review, here is the information I've learned and my legal advice regarding the situation:







Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns about this. I'm scheduled to be at a conference on Monday and Tuesday, but of course can be available as needed.

SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:33 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt Defiance. DAN can get them into about Peach Jar?(our distribution method).

Sent from my iPhone

Carla,



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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle

<satanictempleseattle@gmail.com<mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: in fo@tacoma.k12.wa.us < mail to: info@tacoma.k12.wa.us >,

csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us<mailto:csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us>

Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno.

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your

district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of

facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at:

satanic temple se attle @gmail.com < mail to: satanic temple se attle @gmail.com > mail to: satanic temple se at

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,			
Lilith Starr			

Chapter Head

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The Satanic Temple Seattle

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KAREN VIALLE Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 19:54:48 GMT From:

Carla Santorno; Joshua Garcia; SUSAN SCHREURS To:

Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club Subject:

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Ltr - to Port Defiance Principal - Tacoma Public Schools.pdf (149Kb)

FYI. Please respond.

Thanks,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message ------From: Vicki Barros <vicki@lc.org> Date: 10/18/16 11:10 AM (GMT-08:00) To: LISA BOYD < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Cc: KAREN VIALLE «KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US», CATHERINE USHKA «CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US», dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us, SCOTT HEINZE

<SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, ANDREA COBB <acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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Reply to: Orlando

October 18, 2016

### VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

### Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and TST's video "advertisement" of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Mast.

**CC - VIA EMAIL:** 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.youngskeptics.net/about-us.html

<sup>†</sup>Licensed in Virginia



From: Rae McNally Sent:Fri, 18 Nov 2016 17:13:31 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS CC Daniel Voelpel

Subject: RE: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 9:05 AM

To: Rae McNally
Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: RE: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: Rae McNally

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:58 AM

**To:** SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: FW: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Forwarding, I see Felipe is out today.

From: Rae McNally

**Sent:** Friday, November 18, 2016 8:51 AM **To:** FELIPE MENDEZ; DANIEL VOELPEL

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Good morning,

I'm available at ext. 1019.

### Rae A. McNally

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From: Wise, Cynthia [mailto:cwise@king5.com]
Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:35 AM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: FW: after school satan club

Rae,

I got an auto-reply from Dan referring us to you. Can you help?

Thank you,

Cynthia Wise

Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625

cwise@king5.com

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From: Wise, Cynthia

Sent: Friday, November 18, 2016 8:28 AM

To: 'DANIEL VOELPEL' < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Subject: after school satan club

Dan,

#### Good morning.

I was wondering if any kids/parents had signed up for the club yet. (was reading an article that indicated parents had to sign their kids up for the group)

Thanks,

Cynthia Wise Sr. Assignments/Planning Editor KING5 News (206) 448-3625 cwise@king5.com

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From: Daniel Voelpel Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 14:53:17 GMT

To: Carla Santorno ; SUSAN SCHREURS ; Joshua Garcia

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

 $Here's \ the \ KOMO \ story. \ I \ am \ sure \ that \ we \ will \ have \ more \ media \ attention \ on \ this \ today. \ \underline{http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-pro$ 

school-satan-club-to-tacoma

Dan Voelpel Public Information Director Tacoma Public Schools 253-571-1015

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Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:32 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

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From: Satanic Temple Seattle < satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

**Date:** October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: <a href="mailto:info@tacoma.k12.wa.us">info@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, <a href="mailto:csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us">csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a></a>
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Sincerely,	
Lilith Starr	
Chapter Head	
The Satanic Temple Seattle	
satanictempleseattle@gmail.com	

It is our desire to support your distric Ditacontribute/& OFIStructivelys to your schools to productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive



From: Sandra Lindsay-Brown Sent: Wed, 31 Aug 2016 00:16:41 GMT

To: Neil Obrien

Subject: Re: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

I didn't assist! You are going to have to fill me in. :)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2016, at 5:10 PM, NEIL OBRIEN < nobrien@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Sandra,

I called the Facilities office and got some clarity. Thanks for your help.

Neil

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

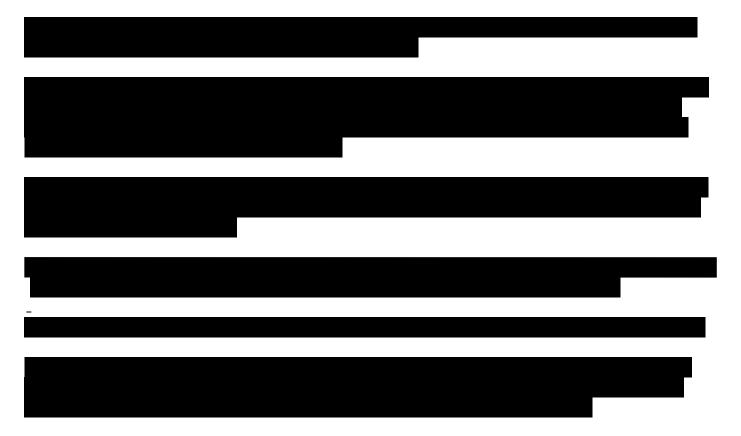
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools



From: Felipe Mendez Sent:Thu, 22 Sep 2016 18:42:48 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS ; Renee Hemmasi

Subject: FYI

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/education/mount-vernon-school-district-must-allow-after-school-satan-club-district-lawyer-says/

Felipe M Mendez Deputy General Counsel Tacoma School District No. 10

Phone: 253-571-1013 Fax: 253-571-1440

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From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Fri, 14 Oct 2016 20:46:07 GMT

To: Lisa Boyd

Subject: RE: Press Inquiry/Los Angeles Times

Thanks, I'll take care of it.

Dan

From: LISA BOYD

Sent: Friday, October 14, 2016 12:56 PM

To: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: FW: Press Inquiry/Los Angeles Times

FYI

From: Rick Anderson [mailto:rickanderson.seattle@comcast.net]

Sent: Friday, October 14, 2016 12:52 PM

To: LISA BOYD

**Subject:** Press Inquiry/Los Angeles Times

From Rick Anderson, Seattle correspondent, LA Times

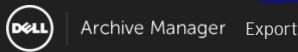
Hi Principal Boyd, I'm following up on the plans announced by the Seattle Satanic Temple to form an After School Satan Club at your school. The temple had originally planned to form a club in Mount Vernon, but faced delays, the temple's leader tells me, and they have now chosen Point Defiance in hope of getting a club up and running sooner.

Can you tell me how the school feels about the request, what it plans to do, and why, if you know, PD is being targeted? There are such clubs in other cities around the U.S, and rejecting their efforts likely means going to court, where rulings favor the temple based on a religious freedom argument.

The Satanists seem to be undertaking all this with a bit of a wink – they don't actually worship the devil, but use him in their effort to oppose formal religious organizations who, in their view, "indoctrinate" youths with the afterschool teachings.

Any information/comments much appreciated. Hoping you can respond by later today.

Rick Anderson
Los Angeles Times
Special Correspondent/Seattle
rickanderson.seattle@comcast.net
@Rosebd
206 240 3572



From: Nikol Cartledge

Carla Santorno; SUSAN SCHREURS

CC Daniel Voelpel

Subject: RE: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Yes, I will respond now.

# Nikol Cartledge

Executive Assistant to the Superintendent Tacoma Public Schools 253-571-1010



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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Monday, November 21, 2016 11:23 PM

**To:** SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL; NIKOL CARTLEDGE

Subject: Re: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

We'll respond- with your letter. Nikol, will you send responses?

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 21, 2016, at 9:42 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

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Sent: Tue, 22 Nov 2016 16:37:32 GMT

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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Sunday, November 20, 2016 10:37 PM **To:** CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Ken Lloyd < lken352@gmail.com > Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB < acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >, KAREN VIALLE

< <u>KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, CATHERINE USHKA < <u>CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, SCOTT

HEINZE < SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

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Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: SUSAN SCHREURS To: Joshua Garcia

CC Daniel Voelpel; Carla Santorno

Subject: RE

Josh,

Sent: Wed, 09 Nov 2016 00:18:04 GMT

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From: JOSHUA GARCIA

Sent: Tuesday, November 08, 2016 3:48 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL; CARLA SANTORNO

Subject:

Susan,

The Tacoma Ministerial Alliance is looking to recome Mention for the Mention of the district in regards to the Satanic Club in Tacoma. I believe they are truly trying to be informed of what is in our control. Can you or someone from the team help?



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Sincerely,	
Lilith Starr	
Chapter Head	
The Satanic Temple Seattle	

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



From: PAUL KOCH
To: JANET SCHWANZ

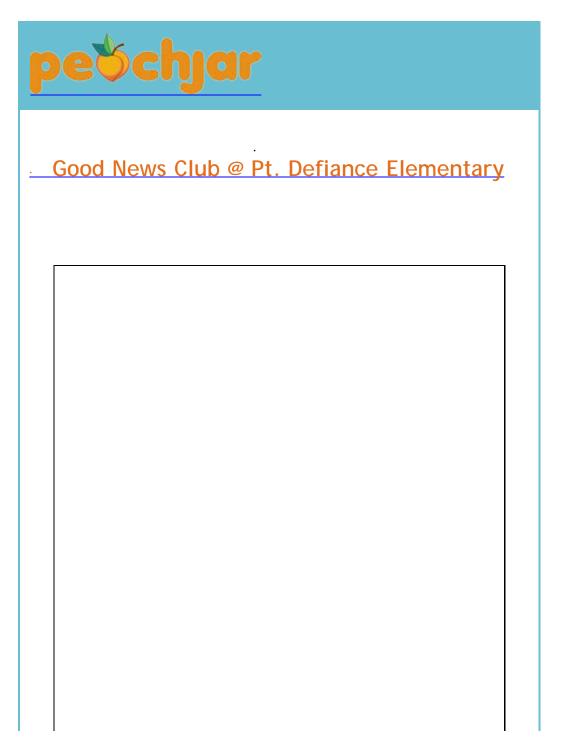
Subject: New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary

FYI . . .

**From:** Peachjar [mailto:school@peachjar.com] **Sent:** Tuesday, November 15, 2016 6:49 AM

To: PAUL KOCH

**Subject:** 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary



Sent: Tue, 15 Nov 2016 16:17:21 GMT

### HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at

Learn new and exciting songs, verses and lessons each year.



#### Good News Club is an exciting,

fun-filled hour once a week.

It includes:

- \* Dynamic Bible Lessons
- \* Activities Promoting Reading & Writing
- \* Inspiring Missionary Stories
- \* Meaningful Songs
- \* Life-Changing Scripture Memory

#### Your child will learn:

- \* Respect for Authority \* Moral Values
- \* Character Qualities
- \* Biblical Principles

#### ho teaches the club?

Specially trained Christians concerned for the spiritual well-being of your child teach the club. All club workers are screened as required by CEF's child protection policy to ensure your child's safety. Sponsored by: Child Evangelism Fellowship of

Pierce County (253) 227-9042

Hosted and Conducted by: Paula Pelletier

253-226-2707

Time: After school 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Date: Every Tuesday starting October 4, 2016 & going to the end of the school year

only on <u>full</u> days of school

Place: Cafeteria @ Pt. Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

Parent /Guardian: Your child must be picked up immediately after the club ends. Our policies do not allow Good News Club teachers or helpers to remain at school after club. If your child is not picked up immediately after club three times throughout the school year, he/she will not be allowed to continue attending the club. Thank you

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**Point Defiance Elementary** 

After School Satan Club

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- Educational Stories

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Reason Alliance, Ltd.

Hosted and Conducted by: The Satanic Temple

Time: After school until 5 pm

Date: Every 2nd Wednesday of the month, starting Dec. 14

Place: Art Room at Point Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

AFTER SCHOOL

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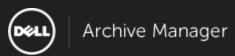
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Sent: Wed, 16 Nov 2016 16:16:02 GMT

STEPHANIE MENEFEE From: TAMMY MONDONEDO To:

FW: 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary Subject:

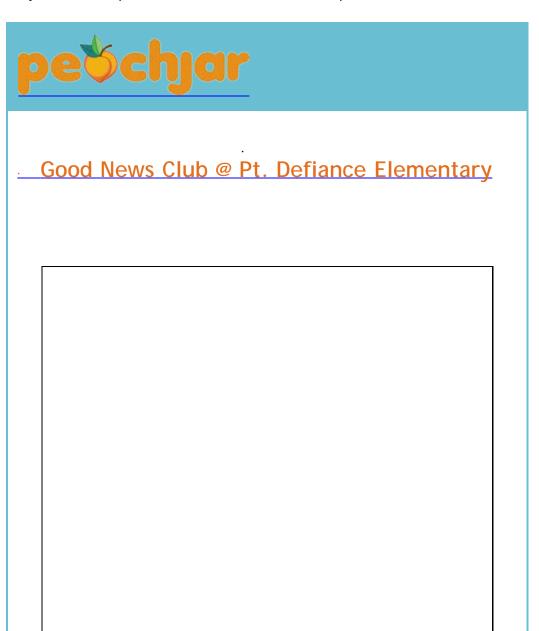
As requested.

#### Stephanie

**From:** Peachjar [mailto:school@peachjar.com] Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 9:01 PM

To: STEPHANIE MENEFEE

**Subject:** 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary



### HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at

Learn new and exciting songs, verses and lessons each year.



#### Good News Club is an exciting,

fun-filled hour once a week.

It includes:

- \* Dynamic Bible Lessons
- \* Activities Promoting Reading & Writing
- \* Inspiring Missionary Stories
- \* Meaningful Songs
- \* Life-Changing Scripture Memory

#### Your child will learn:

- \* Respect for Authority \* Moral Values
- \* Character Qualities
- \* Biblical Principles

#### ho teaches the club?

Specially trained Christians concerned for the spiritual well-being of your child teach the club. All club workers are screened as required by CEF's child protection policy to ensure your child's safety. Sponsored by: Child Evangelism Fellowship of Pierce County (253) 227-9042

Hosted and Conducted by: Paula Pelletier

253-226-2707

Time: After school 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Date: Every Tuesday starting October 4, 2016 & going to the end of the school year

only on <u>full</u> days of school

Place: Cafeteria @ Pt. Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

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From: PAUL KOCH Sent:Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:14:38 GMT

To: Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

FYI . . .

All this is getting routed through Steve Story.

PK

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Tue, 18 Oct 2016 22:12:19 GMT

To: Lisa Boyd CC CHRISTA EROLIN

Subject: RE: CEF - After School Satan Club Sorry you're not feeling well, Lisa.

I forwarded the communication from Liberty Counsel to our district's attorney.

I am also attending the Tacoma Ministerial Alliance's community forum this evening on the satan club proposal. I'm told the district will have to allow the Satanic Temple Seattle to have space and offer its club. However, I have serious doubts the Temple will follow through on its proposal. And even if it does, since parents get to decide whether to send their children to it, the club may fold when no children attend.

Dan Voelpel Executive Director of Communications Tacoma Public Schools 253-571-1015 (office) 253-576-4201 (cell)

dvoelpe@tacoma.k12.wa.us www.tacomaschools.org

From: LISA BOYD

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:35 AM

**To:** DANIEL VOELPEL **Cc:** CHRISTA EROLIN

Subject: Fw: CEF - After School Satan Club

fyi - I'm home ill today but looking at emails periodically. Here is a new one regarding the Satan Club.

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org >

Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:10 AM

To: LISA BOYD

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; <a href="mailto:dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us">dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

#### **Liberty Counsel**

PO Box 540774

Orlando, FL 32854

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Tue, 15 Nov 2016 16:09:15 GMT

To: Dan Voelpel

Subject: RE: Email to the school board

Dan, that's fine. Just correct the typo in not putting an safter group (group's). ©

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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**From:** Dan Voelpel [mailto:dnv51@hotmail.com] **Sent:** Tuesday, November 15, 2016 7:23 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Email to the school board

Hi, Susan:

Dan

On Nov 14, 2016, at 8:03 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group' or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: D'Andre Montgomery Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 23:18:20 GMT

To: JENNIFER KUBISTA
Subject: FW: KOMO news

Here is what I got from Daniel.

D'Andre Montgomery Assistant Director Student Life Tacoma Public Schools 253.571.1134 Main 253.571.1125 Fax



From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 3:16 PM

To: D'ANDRE MONTGOMERY Subject: RE: KOMO news

Hi, D'Andre:

Here's an email I sent to Principal Lisa Boyd this morning on this topic.

Here are some talking points for you to use with your staff and families if you get questions about the news that the Satanic Temple of Seattle plans to apply to offer an afterschool program at Point Defiance. It's all pretty simple at this point. And I will handle any media inquiries.

- · Tacoma Public Schools received an email late in the afternoon Tuesday from the Satanic Temple Seattle.
- The Temple asked for information about how to apply for afterschool facility use for Point Defiance.
- · District leadership is reviewing the request.
- · A decision and announcement will be made at the district level.
- · We will keep you updated on the issue along the way.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Dan Voelpel
Executive Director of Communications
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dvoelpe@tacoma.k12.wa.us
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From: D'ANDRE MONTGOMERY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 3:13 PM

**To:** DANIEL VOELPEL **Subject:** KOMO news

FYI...thoughts

http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma

### D'Andre Montgomery Assistant Director Student Life Tacoma Public Schools 253.571.1134 Main 253.571.1125 Fax

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From: Info Sent:Mon, 28 Nov 2016 16:56:09 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel; Rae McNally

Subject: FW: Point Defiance Elementary School Tacoma

FYI

Sincerely, Susan R. Anderson

Administrative Secretary Public Information Office Tacoma Public Schools



EVERY STUDENT, EVERY DAY.

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From: Mary F [mailto:marysnews@comcast.net]
Sent: Sunday, November 27, 2016 4:04 PM

To: info; LISA BOYD; username@tacoma.k12.wa.us; JILL SMITH

**Subject:** Point Defiance Elementary School Tacoma

### Good Morning

Do you really think that the after-school satan club will be of any benefit to kids? It could take them to a very dangerous place mentally and spiritually.

satan, according to Jesus, is a liar and a murderer. All religions agree that he exists and that he is to be avoided. But for the sake of 'tolerance' the school is willing to place children at risk.

satan will of course target vulnerable children. Kids whose parents are inattentive perhaps, or busy, or rejecting. Kids who will crave attention and acceptance.

Please don't allow satan near the kids. They have enough challenges in life.

he is the source of evil, but disguises this. 'So smooth he daubs his vice with show of virtue' Richard 111

Respectfully



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From: McMinimee Shannon Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:00:11 GMT

To: OLGA LAY; Neil Obrien; Lisa Boyd; ERIC KONISHI

CC Stephen Murakami; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; Sandra Lindsay-Brown

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Olga,

Best,

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools

From: OLGA LAY

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

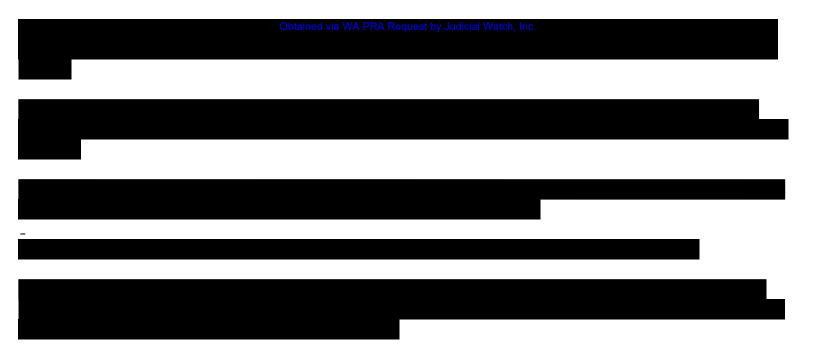
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Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee

**General Counsel** 

**Tacoma Public Schools** 



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent: Mon, 28 Nov 2016 00:44:31 GMT

To: CABINET\_MEM CC CABINET\_SEC

Subject: Fwd: EMAIL THE SCHOOL BOARD

FYI. Last one from this afternoon.

Dan

Begin forwarded message:

From: <cdamico9@comcast.net>

Subject: EMAIL THE SCHOOL BOARD Date: November 27, 2016 at 1:32:28 PM PST

To: <cushka@tacoma.k12.wa.us>, <acobb@tacoma.k12.wa.us>, <sheinze@tacoma.k12.wa.us>, <kvialle@tacoma.k12.wa.us>

Cc: <tbeatti@tacoma.k12.wa.us>, <dvoelpe@tacoma.k12.wa.us>

Dear Board Members,

Do not allow the after-school Satan Club in your schools. What are you thinking? What is the bribe?

Sincerely,

Carol D'Amico



From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Wed, 12 Oct 2016 00:21:28 GMT

Felipe Mendez ; Renee Hemmasi

CC Lisa MacMillan

Subject: FW: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Let's discuss. Lisa, can you find a time for us to do that? Thanks.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

**Subject:** Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle < satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

**Date:** October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: <a href="mailto:info@tacoma.k12.wa.us">info@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, <a href="mailto:csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us">csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a></a>
Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your

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district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,	
Lilith Starr	
Chapter Head	
The Satanic Temple Seattle	

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Thu, 17 Nov 2016 23:33:03 GMT

To: Rae McNally

Subject: Fwd: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes

Sending again to see if it all comes through.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >

Date: November 17, 2016 at 2:06:51 PM PST To: Rae McNally < mcnall@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: Re: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes

I edited a few spots below. In this case, the school board has not been a decision making body over the club's request. It was handled administratively by our Maintenance and Operations Department, which oversees the facility rental process. The legal department provided guidance to ensure all steps were properly and legally followed.

I also noted that some formal partner organizations do have background checks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 17, 2016, at 11:46 AM, Rae McNally < rmcnall@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

### How did we get here?

- Tacoma Public Schools received an email late in the afternoon Oct. 11 from the Satanic Temple Seattle.
- The Temple asked for information about how to apply for afterschool facility use for Point Defiance.
- Superintendent Santorno notified the temple by email on Oct. 18 what the application process entails.
- The School District is following the law and has approved the use of space request as it does for other organizations that request to use our schools and facilities.
- The Temple has applied for and been granted permission to use one room, once per month for a total of seven times between December and the end of the school year. From 3:30 to 5:30 pm.
- Parents received electronic fliers about the program with instructions on how to register their children for it if they choose.
- A ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court is clear: Tacoma Public Schools cannot prevent an organization from using available space in our school based on their religious beliefs.
- · I assure you no district leaders nor any Point Defiance Elementary School staff recruited this organization or endorse its presence at the school.
- · No one connected with the school or the district recruited or endorses the program.

### Why are you allowing this?

 Our guidelines are narrow. We are following the law, which is clear that we cannot discriminate against and organization based on its beliefs—religious, political, scientific or other.

### Why are you endorsing the Satan Club?

• The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. We are following the law, and simply making the facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis.

### Why are they allowed to distribute information?

No one connected with the school or district has recruited or endorsed the program.
 Applications such as PeachJar are provided by the district as an avenue for our schools and non-profit organizations to distribute information electronically to parents.

### Who has access to children. (background checks)

Independent organizations renting school space to provide afterschool activities
are not recruited or endorsed by the school or district, therefore we do not vet
their backgrounds. Formal district partners, such as the YMCA or Boys and Girls
Clubs, must pass background checks. As with all afterschool programs, it would be up to
each parent to decide whether they wanted to enroll their child in the program.

What if something bad happens to my child in their care.

• Thank you for asking that. We review situations on a one-by-one basis and would respond in accordance to the issue raised.

#### What are you doing to change the policy/process?

• Great question. If a process or policy change is something you feel passionatly about, please consider bringing it forward to the Tacoma Public School Board. The next meeting is November 21, 6 p.m. at the Central Administration Building.

#### RAE FYI

Meeting: December 14, 5 p.m. in the Art Room Information distributed this week in PeachJar. Board meeting, November 21, 6 p.m. at the Central Administration Building.



From: Carla Santorno Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 00:10:26 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

CC Joshua Garcia ; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle <satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: info@tacoma.k12.wa.us, csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

### Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a

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The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

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satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



From: SUSAN SCHREURS To: Carla Santorno

RE: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Subject: Carla,

I don't know if you're responding to this or you want me to. Let me know please. Here's what was said in reply to the last email complaining about this:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group's or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available on after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Sunday, November 20, 2016 10:37 PM **To:** CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent: Mon. 21 Nov 2016 17:42:50 GMT

#### Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Ken Lloyd < lken352@gmail.com > Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB <a href="mailto:acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>, KAREN VIALLE <a href="mailto:KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">kVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>, CATHERINE USHKA <a href="mailto:cushka@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">cushka@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>, SCOTT HEINZE <a href="mailto:sheinze@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US">sheinze@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</a>

Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club

out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, "do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: Andrea O'Brien-Henley Sent: Wed, 10 Aug 2016 16:55:01 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH
CC STEPHEN STORY
Subject: Good News Club

I received a call from Olga Lay today about the Good News Club requesting space in her school. She has advised the group to fill out the form here instead of at the school because of the chance that the Satanic Temple of Seattle has stated that they plan to run an after school group at any and all schools the Good News utilizes. I'm not sure how to handle this ....

This article gives information about this

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/satanic-temple-of-seattle-proposes-after-school-satan-club/

Thank you ©
Andrea O'Brien-Henley
Facility Use/Custodial Support
253.571.3313/Fax 253.571.3320
aobrien@tacoma.k12.wa.us



Rae McNally Sent: Mon. 24 Oct 2016 14:42:36 GMT From:

To: Alicia Lawver

FW: Google Alert - Tacoma Schools Subject:

Any concerns tweeting this?

**From:** Google Alerts [mailto:googlealerts-noreply@google.com]

Sent: Friday, October 21, 2016 9:06 AM

To: Rae McNally

Subject: Google Alert - Tacoma Schools

# Google Alerts

# Tacoma Schools

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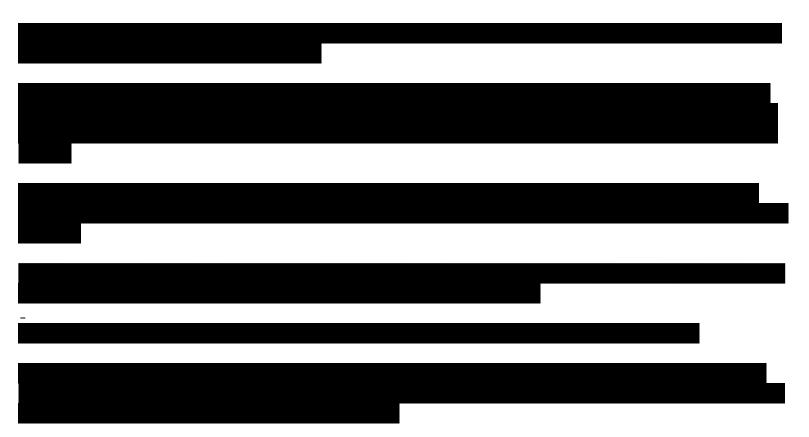
McMinimee Shannon Sent:Tue, 30 Aug 2016 22:39:32 GMT From:

To:

Neil Obrien; OLGA LAY; Lisa Boyd; ERIC KONISHI Stephen Murakami; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; Sandra Lindsay-Brown CC

Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV Subject:

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee **General Counsel** Tacoma Public Schools



From: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA Sent:Tue, 22 Nov 2016 20:41:59 GMT

To: HEATHER JONES

CC Lisa Boyd; Daniel Voelpel; Rae McNally; STEVEN LOBDELL

Subject: RE: satan club

Thanks for bringing this to my attention. We'll see if we can identify although if anything it would just be a

conversation.

From: HEATHER JONES

Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 8:31 AM

To: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: FW: satan club

Hello I teach at Point Defiance and I wanted to bring to your attention emails that are coming through the district email. I received this in my inbox at work. This is the second email I have gotten. Not sure who they are coming from.

From: Ziggo mail [mailto:fam.dumon@ziggo.nl]
Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 5:22 AM

To: HEATHER JONES
Subject: satan club

I strongly protest the After School Satan Club to be allowed on your premises.

This is a grave threat to the spiritual life of children and the future of education. "

Our Lord said: "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." (Matthew 19:14)

I urge you to revoke the Satanic Temple's permit. Satan has no place in education. Don't let the devil near our children.

St. Michael the Archangel,

defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,

and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts,

by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan,

and all the evil spirits,

who prowl about the world

seeking the ruin of souls. Amen..



Sincerely Zita Dumon



From: PAUL KOCH
To: SUSAN SCHREURS
CC Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Subject: Building Use / GNC

Susan,

Paul

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 1:15 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: RE: Building Use / GNC

SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 9:16 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: Building Use / GNC

Susan,

Sent: Thu, 13 Oct 2016 20:22:56 GMT

### Thanks,

#### Paul

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

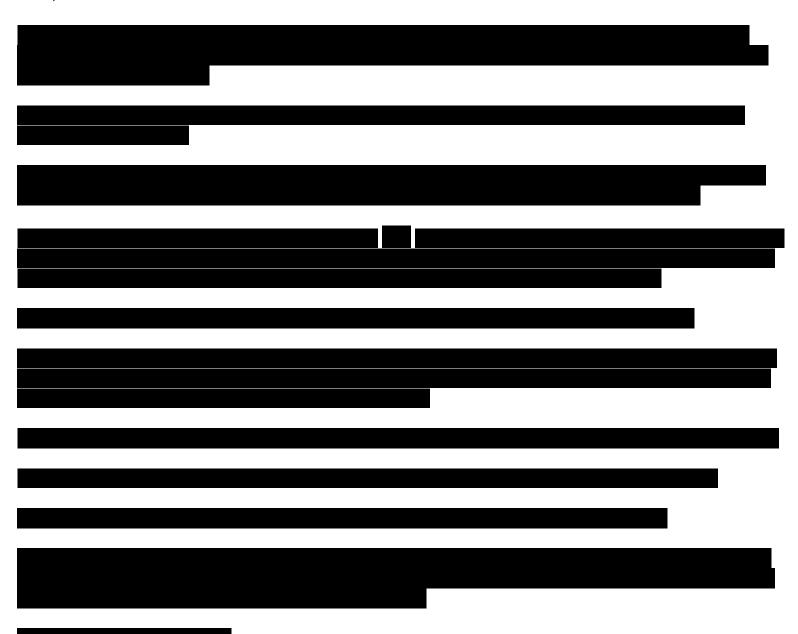
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,



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From: PAUL KOCH Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 22:57:53 GMT

To: STEPHEN STORY

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

FYI . . .

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

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Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee
General Counsel

Tacoma Public Schools



CHRISTA EROLIN Sent: Tue, 18 Oct 2016 20:06:00 GMT From:

To: TONI PACE

Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club Subject:

Attachments may contain viruses that are harmful to your computer. Attachments may not display correctly.

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The letter was emailed to the board. I spoke to Felipe and sent to him already.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: CHRISTA EROLIN <cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Date: October 18, 2016 at 12:57:37 PM PDT

To: FELIPE MENDEZ <FMENDEZ@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Cc: LISA BOYD < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > Subject: Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

Here is the letter Lisa received today.

Based on our brief conversation, Legal will now communicate with this organization and they should not be contacting Lisa anymore.

Thanks so much,

Christa

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: LISA BOYD < lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Date: October 18, 2016 at 11:34:40 AM PDT

To: DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Cc: CHRISTA EROLIN <cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> Subject: Fw: CEF - After School Satan Club

fyi - I'm home ill today but looking at emails periodically. Here is a new one regarding the Satan Club.

From: Vicki Barros < vicki@lc.org >

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 18, 2016 11:10 AM

To: LISA BOYD

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

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Reply to: Orlando

October 18, 2016

### VIA EMAIL ONLY - Iboyd2@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Principal Lisa Boyd Port Defiance Elementary School 4330 North Visscher Street Tacoma, WA 98407

RE: "After School Satan" atheist club

### Dear Principal Boyd:

By way of brief introduction, Liberty Counsel is an international non-profit legal, media and policy organization with an emphasis on First Amendment liberties. Liberty Counsel provides *pro bono* representation at no charge for individuals, organizations, and government entities, including school districts. We have had great success on behalf of our clients in federal and state court, and we are pleased to count among our clients Child Evangelism Fellowship ("CEF") and the after-school Good News Club ("GNC") which CEF sponsors. We represent CEF nationwide and have never lost a legal case involving the CEF Good News Clubs.

I am writing because the anti-religious atheist group calling itself "The Satanic Temple" ("TST") has recently sought headlines again by promoting its own parody after-school "club" entitled the "After School Satan Club" ("ASSC"). TST has listed your school district as a target of its media campaign, so I am reaching out to you provide accurate information about this group, along with an offer of free, *pro bono* representation, should your school district take action in accordance with Liberty Counsel advice.

Beyond the inclusion of the name "Satan" in the names of the group and its "club," TST is atheist in nature, and does not actually believe in an actual devil or Satan. The group merely uses "Satan" to create the most controversy or offense possible, primarily directed toward adherents of the three major monotheistic religions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

TST especially hates Christianity, and seeks to force permissible expressions of Christian belief from the public sphere, through various publicity stunts and antics. In the

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past, for instance, TST has presented state and local governments with the false choice of either accepting a statue of "Satan" to go alongside a Ten Commandments monument, or in removing the monument itself, despite the fact that courts have upheld Ten Commandments monuments as being completely legal on government property. See Van Orden v. Perry, 545 U.S. 677 (2005). Now, TST is seeking to intimidate school districts with another false choice, of either allowing an "After School Satan" club, or eliminating other privately-sponsored after school clubs, especially the Good News Club.

Contrary to TST's claims, the Good News Club is simply a nurturing, welcoming, privately-sponsored after-school enrichment club offering training in morals, character, leadership and citizenship from a Biblical perspective, through fun activities, projects, stories, songs and games. Its sponsor, Child Evangelism Fellowship, welcomes all children, regardless of religious belief, and they may only attend with parental permission. Attendance is free, and no donations are solicited. CEF partners with a local church near the school in which the GNC is held, to provide mentoring and positive character development to the children of that elementary. Numerous principals around the country have provided CEF positive feedback on their experience with the club.

In addition to its hatred of Christianity in general, TST hates the Good News Club in particular. Indeed, the sole reason for TST's "After School Satan" club is its disagreement with the Good News Club's character instruction, which is undergirded by traditional mainstream Christian beliefs and viewpoint. TST's hatred of God and Christianity (and the Good News Club) is visceral: schools with Good News Clubs (which teach students to have love, joy, peace, kindness, respect for parents and school authorities) are "burdened with the *loathsome stink* of the *Good News Clubs...*". (Bold emphasis added). Hyperbole and mischaracterization of traditional Christian beliefs is the norm for the TST; in its parallel universe, trained, caring volunteer Good News Club leaders are "odious, mindless indoctrination gangs" who "assault students." (Emphasis added).

The parody nature of its atheistic campaign is self-evident. TST has even copied 90% of the standard Good News Club permission slip, and <u>TST's video "advertisement"</u> of its "club" is not the advertisement of an organization that actually is trying to persuade parents to enroll their children in a legitimate after-school club. Demonic voices, chants playing backwards, screeching music, and rearing male goats is not intended to attract children or parents, but it is intended to play up the "Satan" angle, in an attempt to cause school districts to ban legitimate after-school clubs, in an effort to "keep out Satan," and to alarm parents. TST is simply engaged in a targeted, hateful campaign, seeking its real goal of banning Good News Clubs by trying to be as offensive as possible.

Banning all non-school clubs, or Good News Club permission slips, however, is not required in order to protect children from hateful groups like the TST or its "after school club." **School districts may simply require parental permission for any student participation in all privately-sponsored clubs**, and trust to the good judgment of parents. If schools do so, the "After School Satan" club will soon fizzle for lack of attendance and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b48-SBYbahQ

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participation, just like this "club" at Centennial Elementary in the Mount Vernon School District, which <u>cancelled its facilities request</u>,<sup>2</sup> or the previous atheist attempt at competing with and shutting down the Good News Club (the "<u>Better News Club</u>3" or "Young Skeptics" club), which maligned the Christian beliefs of the Good News Club in one New York elementary school. This "club" met exactly one time last year, with children from only one family, which, due to language barriers, did not understand the nature of the club. As soon as the parents found out, they withdrew their children.

The similarity of rhetoric between atheists in the former and current instances is striking. The "Young Skeptics" club "goal is to provide children with an alternative, and scientifically based, view of the natural world around them...based on scientific discovery and evidence-based decision-making," while the "After School Satan" club likewise "emphasizes a scientific, rationalist, non-superstitious world view."

Whether a club is openly atheist in nature, or simply atheist in "Satan" garb, school districts should simply require signed parental permission for all clubs, and parents should simply withhold their permission for their children to participate with such unsavory groups. If schools and parents do so, "After School Satan" will remain only a website and an editorial by Kathryn Stewart in the Washington Post, and will have no impact on children.

Should your school or the Tacoma Public Schools be challenged for requiring all clubs to obtain parental permission, Liberty Counsel stands ready to provide a *pro bono* defense to your school district at no charge to the taxpayers. Should you have any questions about any of the points contained in this letter, or Liberty Counsel's experience in these matters, please don't hesitate to contact me at 407-875-1776.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Mast.

CC - VIA EMAIL:

Karen Vialle, President Catherine Ushka, Vice President Debbie Winskill Scott Heinze Andrea Cobb kvialle@tacoma.k12.wa.us cushka@tacoma.k12.wa.us dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us sheinze@tacoma.k12.wa.us acobb@tacoma.k12.wa.us

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://www.goskagit.com/news/education/satanic-temple-cancels-plans-for-after-school-satan-club/article\_9d33142e-02c8-51b0-9c95-d4d5d654fbcd.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.youngskeptics.net/about-us.html

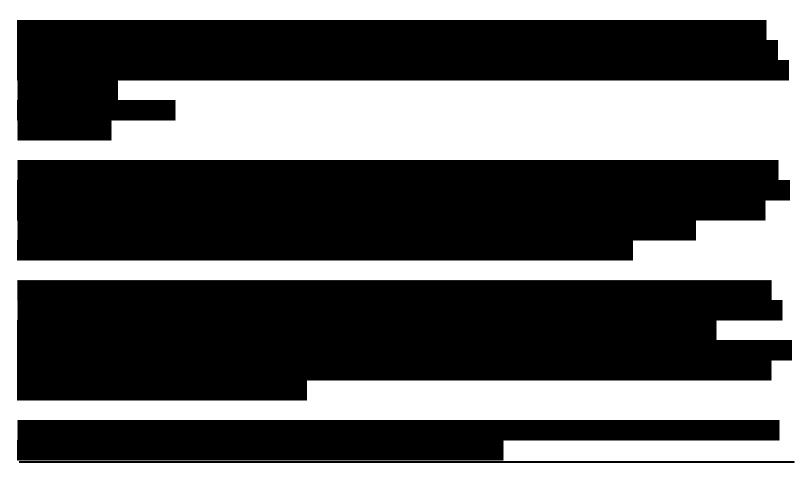
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From: To: Subject: SUSAN SCHREURS Carla Santorno

A/C communication

Carla,



Carla, please let me know if you have questions/concerns about this.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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Daniel Voelpel ; Joshua Garcia Carla Santorno ; Felipe Mendez

Subject: RE:

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From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Wednesday, November 09, 2016 7:21 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: CARLA SANTORNO

Subject: RE:

We have received just a few calls—fewer than 10—from people asking how they can voice their opinion. So, I expect it's possible we have someone speak on this topic at the board meeting. In my comments to the media, I have said that the law is clear that we can't discriminate against an organization because of their religious beliefs.

Dan

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Tuesday, November 08, 2016 4:18 PM

To: JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL; CARLA SANTORNO

Subject: RE:

Josh,

Sent: Wed, 09 Nov 2016 15:28:47 GMT



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From: JOSHUA GARCIA

Sent: Tuesday, November 08, 2016 3:48 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL; CARLA SANTORNO

Subject:

Susan,

The Tacoma Ministerial Alliance is looking for someone from legal to come to their meeting on next Tuesday at noon to discuss the legal position of the district in regards to the Satanic Club in Tacoma. I believe they are truly trying to be informed of what is in our control. Can you or someone from the team help?



From: Carla Santorno Sent:Wed, 12 Oct 2016 23:51:32 GMT

To: Lisa Nolan

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Date: October 12, 2016 at 11:00:37 AM EDT

To: DANIEL VOELPEL <<u>DVOELPE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, CARLA SANTORNO <<u>CSANTOR@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>, JOSHUA GARCIA

<jgarcia2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: RE: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

I also need to talk with Lisa about this and have put in a call to her.

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From: DANIEL VOELPEL

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 7:53 AM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

Here's the KOMO story. I am sure that we will have more media attention on this

today. <a href="http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma">http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma</a>

Dan Voelpel
Public Information Director
Tacoma Public Schools
253-571-1015

From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:32 AM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

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Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt

Defiance. DAN can get them info about Peach Jar? (our distribution method).

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 11, 2016, at 6:14 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Carla,



SUSAN SCHREURS
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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER LAW PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle < <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>>

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: <u>info@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u>, <u>csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u> Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum stated on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Lilith Starr

Chapter Head

The Satanic Temple Seattle

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Thu, 22 Sep 2016 21:26:34 GMT

To: Felipe Mendez ; Renee Hemmasi

Subject: RE: FYI

Yes, I heard this too. I was wondering what attorney was involved. Who deals with approving outside club use here? Is it a maintenance and operations decision or at the local building level? We might want to alert the folks involved about this issue and the need to work with us on it, should they get such a request.

### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: FELIPE MENDEZ

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 11:43 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: FYI

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/education/mount-vernon-school-district-must-allow-after-school-satan-club-district-lawyer-says/

Felipe M Mendez
Deputy General Counsel
Tacoma School District No. 10

Phone: 253-571-1013 Fax: 253-571-1440

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· Me



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From: Andrea O'Brien-Henley To: SUSAN WALTERS

Subject: ....

Trump as president and calls about the After School Satan Club  $\dots$ 

Happy Wednesday ©

Thank you ©

## Andrea O'Brien-Henley

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From: Daniel Voelpel Sent:Sun, 27 Nov 2016 20:06:49 GMT

To: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA

CC HEATHER JONES; Lisa Boyd; Rae McNally; STEVEN LOBDELL

Subject: Re: satan club

Thanks for looping me in, Miguel. I would ask that all staff who receive these please not respond directly. Simply forward them to me, and I will respond on behalf of the district

on behalf of the district.

On Nov 22, 2016, at 12:41 PM, MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA < MVILLAH@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US> wrote:

Thanks for bringing this to my attention. We'll see if we can identify although if anything it would just be a conversation.

From: HEATHER JONES

Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 8:31 AM

To: MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: FW: satan club

Hello I teach at Point Defiance and I wanted to bring to your attention emails that are coming through the district email. I received this in my inbox at work. This is the second email I have gotten. Not sure who they are coming from.

From: Ziggo mail [mailto:fam.dumon@ziggo.nl]
Sent: Tuesday, November 22, 2016 5:22 AM

To: HEATHER JONES Subject: satan club

I strongly protest the After School Satan Club to be allowed on your premises.

This is a grave threat to the spiritual life of children and the future of education. "

Our Lord said: "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." (Matthew 19:14)

I urge you to revoke the Satanic Temple's permit. Satan has no place in education. Don't let the devil near our children.

St. Michael the Archangel,

defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,

and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts,

by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan,

and all the evil spirits,

who prowl about the world Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc. seeking the ruin of souls. Amen..

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Sincerely Zita Dumon



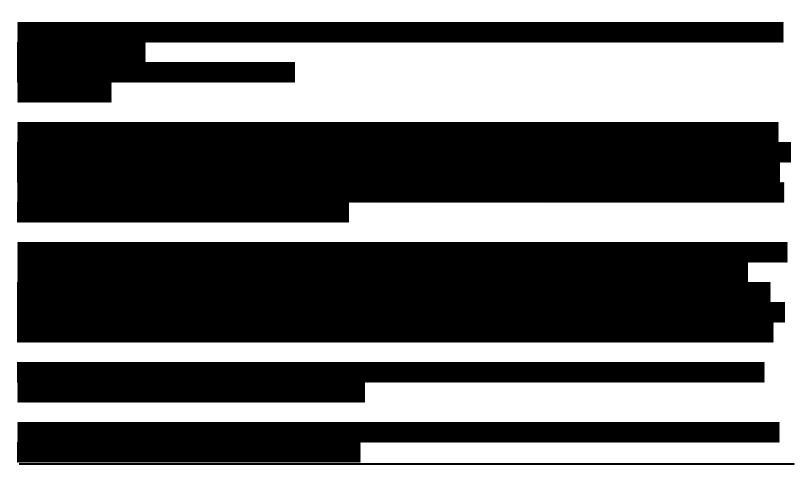
SUSAN SCHREURS From: To: PAUL KOCH

Stephen Murakami; STEPHEN STORY Subject: Please review A/C communication

Paul,

CC

Sent:Fri, 14 Oct 2016 22:03:17 GMT



Thanks Paul.

## SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: Daniel Voelpel Sent: Wed, 16 Nov 2016 03:07:18 GMT

To: Carla Santorno ; SUSAN SCHREURS

CC Felipe Mendez ; Joshua Garcia ; TONI PACE ; Ligia Boyd ; CHRISTA EROLIN ; MIGUEL VILLAHERMOSA ; JENNIFER KUBISTA ; Stephen Murakami ;

Rae McNally

Subject: Meeting with Tacoma Ministerial Alliance

Hi, Carla:

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If you have any questions, please let me or Mr. Mendez know.

Dan Voelpel Executive Director of Communications Tacoma Public Schools

Sent from my iPad



From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 22:08:14 GMT

To: Carla Santorno ; Joshua Garcia

CC Felipe Mendez ; Renee Hemmasi ; TONI PACE ; Stephen Murakami

Subject: FW: Satanic Club

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Please see attached advice from Duncan Fobes,

Please let me know if you have questions regarding this advice.

SUSAN SCHREURS

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**From:** Jan D. Smith [mailto:jds@pattersonbuchanan.com]

Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2016 2:35 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS
Cc: Duncan K. Fobes
Subject: Satanic Club

Ms. Schreurs - please see attached letter from Duncan Fobes dated October 13, 2016. Thank you.

Jan D. Larsen | Legal Assistant Supervisor DIRECT 206.462.6741 | TOLL FREE 800.722.3815

jds@pattersonbuchanan.com



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October 13, 2016

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### VIA EMAIL

Ms. Susan Schreurs Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401

Re:

Satanic Club

Dear Ms. Schreurs:



Ms. Susan Schreurs October 13, 2016 Page 2



Ms. Susan Schreurs October 13, 2016 Page 3



Ms. Susan Schreurs October 13, 2016 Page 4

Thank you for the opportunity to provide you with our opinion. Please call me with any questions.

Very truly yours,

Duncan K. Fobes

DKF/JHC/lmb



From: Carla Santorno Sent:Wed, 16 Nov 2016 03:56:05 GMT
To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: Re: Meeting with Tacoma Ministerial Alliance

Great job- thanks! Sent from my iPhone

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> Dan Voelpel
> Executive Director of Communications

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> Sent from my iPad





This message was sent with High importance.

From: STEPHEN STORY Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 19:00:20 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH
CC STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: FW: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,

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From: Rae McNally Sent:Thu, 17 Nov 2016 19:46:26 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: Please let me know if I missed anything important in my notes

### How did we get here?

· Tacoma Public Schools received an email late in the afternoon Oct. 11 from the Satanic Temple Seattle.

- · The Temple asked for information about how to apply for afterschool facility use for Point Defiance.
- · Superintendent Santorno notified the temple by email on Oct. 18 what the application process entails.
- The Tacoma Public School Board is following the law and has approved the use of space request.
- The Temple has applied for and been granted permission to use one room, once per month for a total of seven times between December and the end of the school year.
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- · I assure you no district leaders nor any Point Defiance Elementary School staff recruited this organization or endorse its presence at the school.

• No one connected with the school or the district recruited or endorses the program.

### Why are you allowing this?

Our guidelines are narrow. We are following the law, which is clear that we cannot discriminate against and
organization based on its beliefs—religious, political, scientific or other.

### Why are you endorsing the Satan Club?

• The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. We are following the law, and simply making the facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis.

### Why are they allowed to distribute information?

· No one connected with the school or district has recruited or endorsed the program. Applications such as PeachJar are used as an avenue for parents and students to access a variety of community-related information.

### Who has access to children. (background checks)

 Organizations renting school space to provided afterschool activities are not recruited or endorsed by the 000397 (PRR 2406) school or district, therefore we deine to each parent to decide whether they wanted to enroll their child in the program.

What if something bad happens to my child in their care.

• Thank you for asking that. We review situations on a one-by-one basis and would respond in accordance to the issue raised.

### What are you doing to change the process?

• Great question. If this is something you feel passionatly about, please consider bringing it forward to the Tacoma Public School Board. The next meeting is November 21, 6 p.m. at the Central Administration Building.

### **RAE FYI**

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Carla Santorno

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**Sent:** Sunday, November 20, 2016 10:37 PM **To:** CARLA SANTORNO; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: Ken Lloyd < <u>lken352@gmail.com</u>> Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB < acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US >, KAREN VIALLE

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Sent: Wed, 19 Oct 2016 16:40:13 GMT

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From: Rae McNally Sent:Tue, 15 Nov 2016 16:20:23 GMT

To: Dan Voelpel; Daniel Voelpel Subject: RE: Google Alert - tacoma school

Can do.

Could we tie it into the national school psychology awareness week post? I've been struggling with the message on that one.

### Facebook

It's National School Psychology Awareness Week and we'd like to thank our 30 school psychologists and hundreds of educators help our students build social and emotional learning into their daily routines. Educators know moods matter in the classroom, and the mood meter at First Creek Middle School is helping students understand and manage their emotions. The mood meter is one tool students use as part of a social-emotional learning program developed by researchers at Yale University. It's called RULER: Recognizing, Understanding, Labeling, Expressing and Regulating emotions, and it's part of a larger Tacoma Whole Child Initiative, in partnership with the University of Washington Tacoma, which trains teachers in positive behavior reinforcement techniques, and teaches schools to track student attendance, behavior and course performance. #SmallStepsChangeLives

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To: Rae McNally

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We ought to get Dbbie's First Creek story out. I also have a related discipline chart that we could share out too.

Dan

### Begin forwarded message:

From: Google Alerts < googlealerts-noreply@google.com >

Subject: Google Alert - tacoma school Date: November 13, 2016 at 7:26:04 PM PST

To: dvoelpe@tacoma.k12.wa.us

# Google Alerts

## tacoma school

As-it-happens update · November 14, 2016

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KIRO Seattle

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## Teaching moody middle schoolers to cope with emotions helps reduce suspensions

The News Tribune

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**KUOW News and Information** 

Bill Radke talks to Lincoln High School teacher Nathan Bowling about the outcome of the presidential election and how his students are reacting.







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To: SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: Rae McNally

**Sent:** Friday, November 18, 2016 8:51 AM **To:** FELIPE MENDEZ; DANIEL VOELPEL

Cc: LISA BOYD

Subject: MEDIA Question FW: after school satan club

Good morning,

I'm available at ext. 1019.

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From: Daniel Voelpel
To: Susan Anderson

Subject:

FW: ASSC Response

From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Thursday, October 20, 2016 7:19 AM **To:** satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

Cc: SUSAN SCHREURS; DANIEL VOELPEL; STEPHEN MURAKAMI; STEPHEN STORY; PAUL KOCH; LISA BOYD; CHRISTA EROLIN;

**TONI PACE** 

**Subject:** ASSC Response

Dear Ms. Starr:

In response to your request to offer an After School Satan Club at Point Defiance Elementary, you may submit an application on the Request/Authorization for Use of Facilities/Fields form. A sample of the form was previously sent to you. However, the forms are on NCR paper and therefore you will need to use one of the actual forms. You may obtain a copy of such a form from the main office at the school or by contacting Paul Koch at the Maintenance and Operations Department, <a href="maintenance-pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us">pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, or Susan Schreurs, <a href="maintenance-pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us">sschreu@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, Interim General Counsel.

After completing the form, submit it to the main office staff of the school. It will be reviewed to determine if the dates and times you request can be accommodated. You will also need to submit a certificate of liability insurance with the application that complies with paragraph 1 of the General Rules for Use of School Facilities. If your organization is a nonprofit organization, you will need to submit documentation that you are a 501c(3) organization. If the required paperwork is in place and there is availability at the school, the paperwork will be submitted to the Maintenance and Operations Department for final review and a copy will be e-mailed to you.

If your organization is approved for use at Point Defiance, distribution of permission slips would be through the District's online portal, Peachjar, just as it is for other non-District sponsored organizations.

Thank you, Carla J. Santorno Sent: Thu, 20 Oct 2016 21:06:21 GMT



From: Daniel Voelpel
To: SUSAN SCHREURS
Subject: Re: Satan Story in TNT

Hi, Matt:

Sent:Fri, 18 Nov 2016 22:07:24 GMT

Courts have reviewed the application of the Washington Constitution in the context of schools permitting student religious groups and found that the US Constitutional First Amendment provisions prevail over state provisions. Because we've allowed other outside groups that are religious, as well as those that aren't, to use our facilities, without our endorsement or sponsorship, we must make them available on a nondiscriminatory basis. Moreover, the After School Satan Club is paying for the use of the facility, pursuant to our policies for use.

Dan

From: "Misterek, Matt" < matt.misterek@thenewstribune.com>

**Date:** November 17, 2016 at 9:35:00 AM PST

**To:** DANIEL VOELPEL < <u>DVOELPE@tacoma.k12.wa.us</u>>

**Subject: Re: Satan Story in TNT** 

I did see that, thanks Dan. And thanks for forwarding the memo yesterday.

One more question. I know the district's analysis looked at the 2001 Supreme Court decision. But what about the clause in the state Constitution that says: "No public money or property shall be appropriated for or applied to any religious worship, exercise or instruction, or the support of any religious establishment."

# Is that not operative here?

On Thu, Nov 17, 2016 at 9:03 AM, DANIEL VOELPEL < DVOELPE@tacoma.k12.wa.us > wrote:

### Hi, Matt:

I'm sure you already saw this story that ran in the TNT (via the Washington Post) in August. It's a pretty good summary of the larger issue and the issues now at play in Tacoma.

http://www.thenewstribune.com/news/nation-world/national/article93182387.html

Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

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Dan

Sent from my iPad

Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group's or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: PAUL KOCH Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 16:16:07 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

CC STEPHEN STORY; Stephen Murakami

Subject: Building Use / GNC

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Delong GNC BU13865.pdf (81Kb)

Arlington GNC BU17513.pdf (80Kb)

Geiger GNC BU14238.pdf (84Kb)

Susan,

Thanks,

Paul

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

#### Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

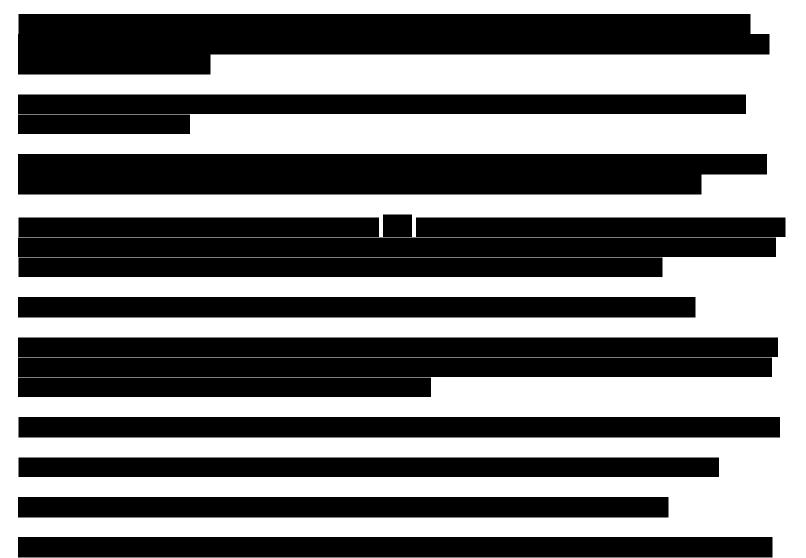
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

**Cc:** CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI **Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,



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☑ Team Rosters with addresses (proof of 75% District youth)

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3223 South Union Ave - Tacoma WA 98409 253.571.3313

## REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FACILITIES / FIELDS

PLEASE FILL IN ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS REQUESTOR GROUP: (School / TSD Department Name / vangelism Outside Organization Name) **CONTACT NAME / PHONE: ORGANIZATION ADDRESS:** mbw@ (Confirmation / Invoice sent by email) uno.com (Outside Organizations - MUST have Certificate of Liability on File) Group 1 (School / District Requestors Only) ACCOUNTING Group A Ø 75% District Youth, PTA/Boosters, Metro Parks, Employees ☑ School event: 97000 LOC **BRC** 5317 Non-district Nonprofit Youth; Small Community Adult groups Religious Institutions, Colleges, Adult Nonprofit Organizations Profit / Private ☑ District event: Group E N TSD Contract on File **BRC Signature:** #EXPECTED: 20 -30 7. PURPOSE OF ACTIVITY: FOOD PRESENT: XYes 1010 8. EQUIPMENT / REQUESTS: 9. OUTSIDE REQUESTOR: Check off and attach necessary documents / requests for services: ☐ Certificate of Liability Insurance ( REQUIRED FOR RENTAL ) Request for Sound/Lighting Technician (High Schools)

Month	Dates (must have 30-days notice)	Day(s) of Week	Unlock/Lock	<b>Event Time</b>
September	1\$, 20,28	ived		3:40
October	5.12.19.26			
November	2, 9, 16, 30			
December	2.14			110 - 111
January	4. 11, 18, 25			
February	18 15 22			
March	1, 8, 15, 22, 29			
April	12, 19, 26			
May	3,10,17,24,31			
June	2 14			
July				
August				

Kitchen (supervision must be provided): Contact. 253.571.3370

Security (must be provided by TSD): Contact 253.571.1288

Signature of	Requestor	Signature or r	acility Representative	Date
	TO BE COMPLETED BY CHIEF CUSTODIAN		FOR DISTRICT OFFICE	USE ONLY
Custodial hours:			Fees:	
Signature of Chief Custodian	Drys, Hagen Date	8-30-16	Total Due:	
72,723				

Requestor - Yellow

\*Signing indicates you agree to the "General Rules for Use of School Facilities" on the reverse. \*Payment of fees is required two weeks prior to use or request may be cancelled. \*Must show a copy of Request during event as proof of reservation.

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75% District Youth, PTA/Boosters, Metro Parks, Employees 63 LOC 5317 Group B X Non-district Nonprofit Youth; Small Community Adult groups School event: 97000 Group C Religious Institutions, Colleges, Adult Nonprofit Organizations ASB event: Group D B Profit / Private ☑ District event: Group E M TSD Contract on File **BRC Signature:** News have # EXPECTED: 7. PURPOSE OF ACTIVITY: 8. EQUIPMENT/REQUESTS: 25 chairs available to FOOD PRESENT: Yes 9. OUTSIDE REQUESTOR: Check off and attach necessary documents / requests for services: Certificate of Liability Insurance (REQUIRED FOR RENTAL)

501c3 (proof of Nonprofit)

Team Rosters with addresses (proof of 75% District youth) ☑ Request for Sound/Lighting Technician (High Schools) Security (must be provided by TSD): Contact 253.571.1288 Day(s) of Week Unlock/Lock **Event Time** Dates (must have 30-days notice) Month 29 September October 20.November December January February 30 March April May June July August \*Signing indicates you agree to the "General Rules for Use of School Facilities" on the reverse.

Signature of Facility Representative TO BE COMPLETED BY CHIEF CUSTODIAN FOR DISTRICT OFFICE USE ONLY Fees: **Custodial hours:** Signature of **Total Due Chief Custodian** Date

\*Payment of fees is required two weeks prior to use or request may be cancelled. \*Must show a copy of Request during event as proof of reservation.



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TO BE COMPLETED BY CHIEF CUSTODIAN	FOR DISTRICT OFFICE USE ONLY		
Custodial hours:	Fees:		
Signature of Chief Custodian Date 9-29-16	Total Due:		

000424 (PRR 2406)



From: TAMMY MONDONEDO To: STEPHANIE MENEFEE

RE: 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary

Subject: Thanks.

From: STEPHANIE MENEFEE

Sent: Wednesday, November 16, 2016 8:16 AM

To: TAMMY MONDONEDO

Subject: FW: 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary

As requested.

#### Stephanie

From: Peachjar [mailto:school@peachjar.com]
Sent: Tuesday, November 15, 2016 9:01 PM

To: STEPHANIE MENEFEE

**Subject:** 2 New Eflyers From Point Defiance Elementary



Good News Club @ Pt. Defiance Elementary

Sent: Wed, 16 Nov 2016 17:50:35 GMT

## HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at

Learn new and exciting songs, verses and lessons each year.



#### Good News Club is an exciting,

fun-filled hour once a week.

It includes:

- \* Dynamic Bible Lessons
- \* Activities Promoting Reading & Writing
- \* Inspiring Missionary Stories
- \* Meaningful Songs
- \* Life-Changing Scripture Memory

#### Your child will learn:

- \* Respect for Authority \* Moral Values
- \* Character Qualities
- \* Biblical Principles

#### /ho teaches the club?

Specially trained Christians concerned for the spiritual well-being of your child teach the club. All club workers are screened as required by CEF's child protection policy to ensure your child's safety. Sponsored by: Child Evangelism Fellowship of Pierce County (253) 227-9042

Hosted and Conducted by: Paula Pelletier 253-226-2707

Time: After school 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Date: Every Tuesday starting October 4, 2016 & going to the end of the school year

only on <u>full</u> days of school

Place: Cafeteria @ Pt. Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

Parent /Guardian: Your child must be picked up immediately after the club ends. Our policies do not allow Good News Club teachers or helpers to remain at school after club. If your child is not picked up immediately after club three times throughout the school year, he/she will not be allowed to continue attending the club. Thank you

The United States Constitution requires schools to respect the right of all external organizations to distribute flyers to students at school if the school The United States constitution requires schools to respect the right of all external organizations to distribute theyers. Accordingly, the school cannot discriminate among groups wishing to distribute theyers. Accordingly, the school cannot discriminate among groups wishing to distribute theyers at school and does not endorse the content of any fiver distributed at school. The school encourages parents to assist their children in making choices appropriate for them. This is not an activity of the school or the School District. The district does not sponsor this event/activity/offer and the district assumes no responsibility for it. In consideration for the privilege to distribute these materials, the Taccoma School District No. 10 shall be held harmless from any cause of action filed in any court or administrative tribunal arising out of the distribution of these materials, including all costs, attorney's fees and judgments or assessed.

Registration Form Please return form to School Office, starting October 4 <sup>th</sup> until 5:00 p.m., school year.) I understand it is my i do so will jeopardize my child's conti	esponsibility to pick up	n HALF	days and school hol	lidays. Club will r	run until the end of the
Parent /Guardian Signature	Date		I authorize the t	aking and use	of photos/videos:
Check here to show how your child  My child will be picked up.  My child will walk home.  My child goes to the school's ex		•	m.		
CHILD'S INFORMATION: School			_ Homeroom teacher_		Grade
Name			_Circle one: M / F Bir	thdate	Age
Address			_ Apt. #	To at least one	parent in the military?
City	State	_Zip			res No
Parent/Guardian	E-m	naillier		Home p	hone
Dad's work/cell phone	Morr	's work/	cell phone		
Emergency contact person				Phone	
Emergency contact person				Phone	
Child's allergies (peanuts, chocolate, etc.)					
Church			Pastor		
These people (include phone numbers) ar 1)					

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**Point Defiance Elementary** 

After School Satan Club

## **HEY KIDS!! Come Join Us at**

After School Satan Club! Bring your curiosity and have fun!!

After School Satan is an exciting, fun-filled club once a month. It includes:

Science

- · Creative Learning Activities
- Songs
- Art Projects
- Educational Stories

#### Your child will learn:

\*Basic Critical Reasoning \*Problem Solving \*Character Qualities
\*Creative Expression

\*Creative Expression

#### Who teaches the club?

After School Satan Clubs are operated by local chapters of The Satanic Temple by volunteer members who have been vetted by the Executive Ministry for professionalism, social responsibility, superior communication skills, and lack of criminal history.

#### Sponsored by:

Reason Alliance, Ltd.

Hosted and Conducted by: The Satanic Temple

Time: After school until 5 pm

Date: Every 2nd Wednesday of the month, starting Dec. 14 Place: Art Room at Point Defiance Elementary

Who can attend? All boys and girls ages 5-12, regardless of religious background. Parents are welcome to attend with child.

AFTER SCHOOL

SATAN

Grade

Parent/Guardian: Your child must be picked up immediately after the club ends. Our policies do not allow After School Satan Club teachers or helpers to remain at school after the club. If your child is not picked up immediately after club three times throughout the school year, he/she will not be allowed to continue attending the club. Thank you.

Phone

Phone

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#### Parental Permission Form

Please return form to school office

(child's name) has my permission to attend the After School Satan Club every 2nd Wednesday of the month after school until 5:00 pm. (There will be no clubs on half days and school holidays. Club will run throughout the year when school is in session.) I understand it is my responsibility to pick up my child at 5:00 pm in the Art Room and failure to do so will jeopardize my child's continued participation.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

- Check here to show how your child will get home on club day.
  - ☐ My child will be picked up.
  - My child will walk home.

CHILD'S INFORMATION School

My child goes to the school's extended day/after-school program.

Name Circle one; M / F Birthdate Age Address Apt.# City State Parent/Guardian\_ Home Phone E-mail Dad's work/cell phone\_ Mom's work/cell phone Emergency Contact Person Emergency Contact Person Child's allergies (peanuts, chocolate, etc.)\_ Pastor These people (include phone numbers) are allowed to pick up my child if I'm not able: Phone

Homeroom Teacher

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2)

3)

Point Defiance Elementary

Susan Anderson Distribution of Materials Coordinator <a href="mailto:sanders2@tacoma.k12.wa.us">sanders2@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a> 253-571-1015

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From: OLGA LAY Sent: Wed, 31 Aug 2016 00:06:40 GMT

To: Lisa Boyd

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

I would think if you have other groups doing it, you have to let her do that...kind of bad eh? O

From: LISA BOYD

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 4:10 PM

To: OLGA LAY

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

She also wanted to hand out flyers here at our event. Sounds like a no go.

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon McMinimee

**General Counsel** 

Tacoma Public Schools



From: Lisa Boyd To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: RE: CEF - After School Satan Club

Got it.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Thursday, October 27, 2016 5:48 PM

To: LISA BOYD

Subject: FW: CEF - After School Satan Club

Lisa, I'll respond to this letter. If they call you, direct them to me.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: KAREN VIALLE

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 18, 2016 12:55 PM

To: CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: CEF - After School Satan Club

FYI. Please respond.

Thanks,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message ------From: Vicki Barros <<u>vicki@lc.org</u>>

Date: 10/18/16 11:10 AM (GMT-08:00)

To: LISA BOYD < <u>lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>>

Sent:Fri, 28 Oct 2016 00:55:48 GMT

Cc: KAREN VIALLE < KVIALLE@ Ta@bteine: KVIPPERUNE: USHKA

< CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us, SCOTT HEINZE

< SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, ANDREA COBB < acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: CEF - After School Satan Club

Please see attached correspondence from attorney Richard Mast.

#### Vicki Barros

Legal Assistant

#### **Liberty Counsel**

PO Box 540774 Orlando, FL 32854 407-875-1776 phone 407-875-0770 fax

www.LC.org

Offices in DC, FL, VA

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From: Carla Santorno To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

FYI- I have asked Susan for her advice based on our policy.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Satanic Temple Seattle <satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

Date: October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: info@tacoma.k12.wa.us, csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

#### Dear Carla Santorno.

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a

Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 00:17:53 GMT

membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school hours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Lilith Starr

Chapter Head

The Satanic Temple Seattle

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com



From: D'Andre Montgomery Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 22:13:29 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel Subject: KOMO news

FYI...thoughts

http://komonews.com/news/local/group-moves-proposed-after-school-satan-club-to-tacoma

## D'Andre Montgomery

Assistant Director Student Life Tacoma Public Schools 253.571.1134 Main



253.571.1125 Fax



SUSAN SCHREURS Sent: Thu, 13 Oct 2016 21:58:34 GMT From:

Carla Santorno; Joshua Garcia To:

CC Stephen Murakami ; Felipe Mendez ; TONI PACE

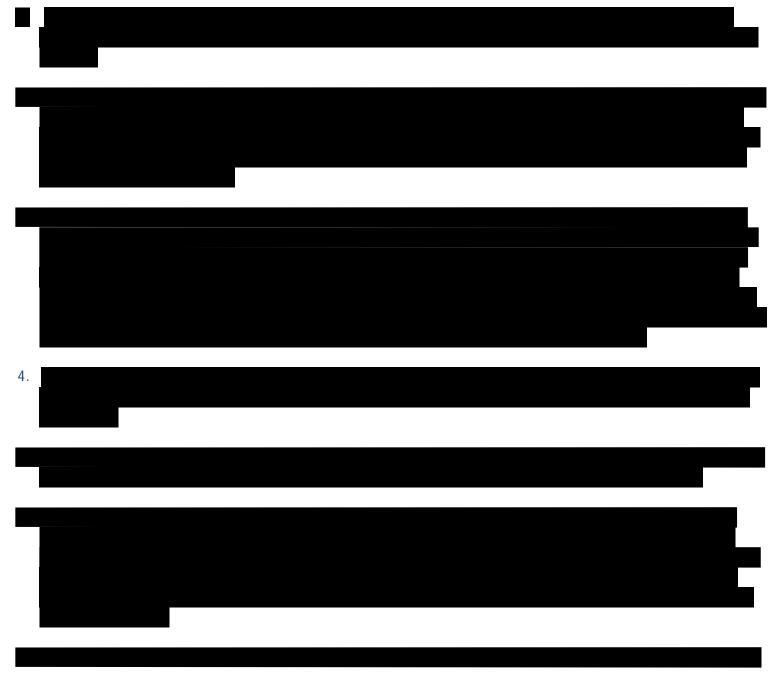
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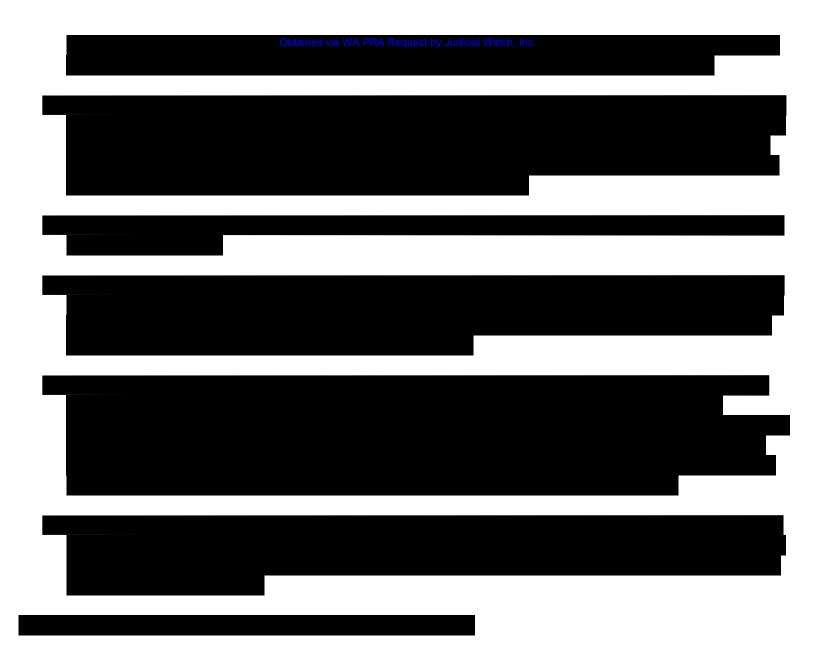
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Request Authorization for use of facilities Field.pdf (689Kb) Policy No 4260.pdf (51Kb) Reg 4260R.pdf (173Kb) Instructions Fees.doc (85Kb)

Carla,

From my review, here is the information I've learned and my legal advice regarding the situation:





Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns about this. I'm scheduled to be at a conference on Monday and Tuesday, but of course can be available as needed.

#### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 12, 2016 4:33 AM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; JOSHUA GARCIA

Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

Cc: DANIEL VOELPEL

Subject: Re: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club Confidential: Attorney/Client communication

info about Peach Jar?(our distribution method).

Josh, please reach out to Lisa at Pt Defiance. DAN can get them

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 11, 2016, at 6:14 PM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Carla,



#### SUSAN SCHREURS

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From: CARLA SANTORNO

Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2016 5:10 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: JOSHUA GARCIA; JENNIFER KUBISTA

Subject: Fwd: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Please examine and advise me!

#### Sent from my iPhone

#### Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Satanic Temple Seattle < satanictempleseattle@gmail.com>

**Date:** October 11, 2016 at 3:47:58 PM PDT

To: info@tacoma.k12.wa.us, csantor@tacoma.k12.wa.us
Subject: Facility Use Request for After School Satan Club

Dear Carla Santorno,

On June 11, 2001, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that Child Evangelism Fellowship could have access to public school facilities to conduct Good News Club meetings. The decision stated that religious clubs such as the Good News Club must be given the same access to school facilities accorded any other non-school related group.

Many school districts across the country (including yours) have (or have had) Good News Clubs using their facilities. As a result, those schools have opened their doors to school clubs of all religious viewpoints. While The Good News Club is "working together with parents and the school to build solid moral and spiritual character into the lives of their children" based on their religious point of view, The Satanic Temple (TST) also has plans to enrich the lives of children in your district.

TST is a religious organization that seeks to encourage benevolence and empathy among all people. In addition, TST embraces practical common sense and promotes justice. TST facilitates the communication and mobilization of politically aware Satanists, secularists, and other advocates for individual liberty.

Today TST is active in a rapidly growing number of states and is expanding just as rapidly into foreign countries, fighting for free speech, religious liberty, and rational, science-based inquiry and education. TST's "After School Satan Clubs" are led by caring Satanists from local chapters in the community near the school. These teachers receive specialized training from TST and background checks are performed on every teacher we approve.

The After School Satan Club (ASSC) meets once a month immediately after school for one to one and a half hours. The meeting day will be determined in accordance with the schedule of existing after school activities. ASSC meetings typically include a healthy snack, literature lesson, creative learning activities, science lesson, puzzle solving, and art project. Every child receives a membership card and must have a signed parental permission slip to attend.

The ASSC curriculum is based on principles that teach secular moral values, critical thinking, and self-determination. All children are welcome regardless of their religious background and parents are also welcome to attend. Safety is a priority and there will always be two or more adults with the children at all times. In addition, your school district will be provided a Certificate of Insurance for liability.

We would like to offer ASSC to the elementary-age children in Point Defiance Elementary School in your district. The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request that the Tacoma Public Schools District allow The Satanic Temple's ASSC to use school facilities after school frours. We would also like to distribute permission slips to all children at Point Defiance Elementary in accordance with your distribution policy.

In replying to this letter, please provide us with a copy of your district policies and applications and procedures related to "usage of facility" in your school. You may send your reply to our email at: <a href="mailto:satanictempleseattle@gmail.com">satanictempleseattle@gmail.com</a>

It is our desire to support your district, to contribute constructively to your schools' programs, and to help children lead productive lives. We respectfully ask that you consider this program and we look forward to receiving your positive response. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
Lilith Starr
Chapter Head
The Satanic Temple Seattle

satanictempleseattle@gmail.com

#### Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

## Tacoma Public Schools

Department of Buildings & Grounds
3223 South Union Ave – Tacoma WA 98409 253.571.3313



## INSTRUCTIONS /FEE SCHEDULE FOR REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES / FIELDS

1. Request and complete a <u>Request / Authorization for Use of School Facilities / Fields</u> form at the site where you would like to rent the facility / field. All sites manage their own building / field calendar. Call the number above for questions regarding fees, group type, and requirements.

A signature is required to indicate that the "General Rules for Use of School Facilities on the reverse side of the Request has been read, understood, and agreed to. Be specific on room and equipment requests. Make sure *all* contact information is listed and Group type is indicated. Note the Request number at the top of the form for easy reference when calling regarding your Request.

High School Stadiums, First Creek MS, Jason Lee MS, and Mason MS Turf Field Use Requests go through the Athletics Department: 253.571.1123

- 2. Return the form to the site. The following information must be attached:
  - Certificate of Liability Insurance with a minimum of \$1,000,000 for coverage that lists the "additionally insured" as Tacoma Schools District #10, c/o Buildings & Grounds, PO Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401 (Sites have a list of Certificates already on file.)
  - Non-Profit status paperwork 501c, if applicable
  - Team rosters reflecting 75% District participation, if applicable
  - Request for Sound/Lighting Technician, if applicable
  - Requests for Kitchen or Security are arranged by contacting the number listed on the form.
- 3. The site will review your Request. Both the Building Representative (Principal) and Chief Custodian must sign to approve the Request. The form is then sent to Buildings & Grounds for billing, if applicable, and a copy mailed out to confirm reservation.
- 4. District Requestors must fill in accounting for any possible custodial charges. A copy of the Request will be returned to the Requestor with estimated custodial time. Accounting will be entered during payroll for actual time submitted.
- > Requests must be presented at least thirty (30) days in advance of the date desired.
- ➤ No Requests will be granted for more than sixty (60) days in advance.
- Requests may only indicate dates in the current school year (September-August)
- Requests will be granted on a first-come, first serve basis.
- No group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- > A "second page" may be requested for repetitive monthly meetings over 3 months.
- Payment is required prior to the event.
- Decisions on fees are based on the Groups listed on the back.

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#### **GROUPS**

- 1 The official programs and activities of the schools in the district. (e.g., Associated Student Body (ASB), curricular and extracurricular student groups, District departments)
- A Local non-profit youth organizations or school oriented groups. (e.g., Metro Parks, Girl/Boy/Cub Scouts, Campfire Girls, PTA/Booster organizations, groups of school employees for professional or recreational activities approved by the principal, school director associations, PSESD, and other educational organizations, district recognized bargaining groups, High School Alumni Associations)
- **B** Non-local non-profit youth activities and small local non-profit adult organizations. (e.g., Civic service/community groups)
- C Large local or non-local non-profit adult organizations. (e.g., Colleges, religious institutions, adult athletics, government organizations)
- **D Profit / private events.** (e.g., Organizations that charge admission and/or participation fees, business corporation events, weddings, receptions, private parties, fairs, semi-professional groups)

#### **RENTAL RATES & FEES**

#### **Key to Fees**

OT: Overtime

C: Custodial (based on hours in the building plus approximately 1-4 hours for cleanup with 3 hour minimum)

R: Rent (based on hours in the building)

U: Utilities

TT: Theater Tech (based on hours in building plus 1 hour for setup/breakdown)

Possible additional fees: Security: \$48/hr; Kitchen: \$30/hr for staff (billed by Food Services)

FACILITY / AREA GROUPS / FEES / RATES						
FACILITY / AREA Miscellaneous	1	A	B C D			
Miscellaneous	1	A	В	C	U	
Fields ( C may apply @ high schools )	N/C	N/C	\$5/hr	\$15/hr	\$25/hr	
Varsity Fields / Tracks	N/C	\$10/hr	\$20/hr	\$30/hr	\$40/hr	
Classroom / Computer room	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$10/hr R \$1/hr U	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	
Elementary Schools						
Multi-Purpose Room / Gym / Cafeteria	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Middle Schools / Professional Dvl Ctr						
Cafeteria / Commons / Auditorium*	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Gym	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	
*Jason Lee Auditorium	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$100/hr R \$10/hr U	\$48/hr C \$200/hr R \$20/hr U	
High Schools						
Commons / Cafeteria	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Gym	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	
Pool	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	\$48/hr C \$120/hr R \$12/hr U	
PAC / Theatre / Auditorium	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$25/hr TT \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$100/hr R \$25/hr TT \$10/hr U	\$48/hr C \$200/hr R \$25/hr TT \$20/hr U	



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## REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FACILITIES / FIELDS

PLEASE FILL IN ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS

1.	<b>FACILI</b>	AREA(S):							
2.	(School	ESTOR GROUP: / TSD Department Name / Organization Name)							
3.	CONTA	ACT NAME / PHONE:							
4.	ORGAI	NIZATION ADDRESS:							
5.	EMAIL (Confirm	: nation / Invoice sent by email)							
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	9. OUTSIDE REQUESTOR: Check off and attach necessary documents / requests for services:  □ Certificate of Liability Insurance (REQUIRED FOR RENTAL) □ 501c3 (proof of Nonprofit) □ Team Rosters with addresses (proof of 75% District youth) □ Security (must be provided by TSD): Contact 253.571.1288								
Мо	nth	Dates (must have 30-da	ays notice)	Day(s) of Week	Unlock/Lock	Event Time			
Sep	tember								
Oct	ober								
Nov	ember								
Dec	ember								
Jan	uary								
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	*Signing indicates you agree to the " <u>General Rules for Use of School Facilities"</u> on the reverse. *Payment of fees is required two weeks prior to use or request may be cancelled. *Must show a copy of Request during event as proof of reservation.								
10.									
	Signatur	e of Requestor D	Signature of F	acility Representa	tive	Date			
		TO BE COMPLETED BY CHIEF CUSTOI	DIAN	FOR DISTR	RICT OFFICE USE	ONLY			
Cus	todial ho	urs:		Fees:					
Signature of Chief Custodian Date			Date	Total Due:					

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#### **General Rules for Use of School Facilities**

- 1. Applicants will provide proof of insurance for \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit comprehensive general liability insurance for bodily injury, with the Tacoma School District named as an additional insured. Certain activities may require additional insurance at the District's discretion based on the nature and scope of use. Contact the Maintenance and Operations Department at (253) 571-3313 regarding insurance coverage questions. The group in whose name the use permit is issued is responsible for damage done to District property and for restitution of such damage.
- 2. The applicant/user organization shall defend, protect, indemnify and hold the District, its officers, employees and agents harmless from any and all liabilities or rights of action directly or indirectly arising out of the use of the premises covered by the Building Use Request.
- 3. The District is not responsible for losses of personal properly by individuals or groups during an approved building activity.
- 4. The Board of Directors reserves the right to revoke any authorization issued for the use of a school building or grounds and if rental has been paid, to refund such rental less expense incurred by the District in connection therewith.
- 5. So long as the District allows outside groups to use its school buildings, grounds and facilities, it will provide equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following district official has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act: Chief Operating Officer, P.O. Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 (253) 571-3300.
- 6. Per Building Use Regulations, requests must be presented at least 30 days in advance of date desired but no more than 60 days in advance. Special consideration may be given to those groups with future calendar deadlines.
- 7. Per Building Use Regulations, no group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- 8. By signing this form, Applicant agrees to be financially responsible for any charges incurred. No requests for reductions in the rental fees or extra costs will be considered.
- 9. The applicant shall notify both the facility and Buildings & Grounds Department of any cancellation of previously scheduled event at least five (5) working days prior to scheduled use. In case of failure to do so, the District may invoice for expenses incurred in preparation for use of the facility requested.
- 10. The use of facilities shall be restricted to those spaces and times specifically covered in the Building Use Request. If a user does not comply with this requirement, the District may charge the user additional facility use fees for which the user shall be responsible. If an applicant has unpaid fees, it may be denied further use of District facilities.
- 11. All applicants/user organization must comply with District rules:
  - Use of language or actions which are offensive or profane to a person of ordinary sensibilities will not be tolerated.
  - Liquor, drugs or use of tobacco products are prohibited on District properly.
  - Weapons are prohibited on District property.
  - In addition, individual schools and facilities may compile and post in a conspicuous location other supplemental special rules which are applicable to specific situations and locations.
- 12. All applicants/organizations using school facilities shall provide adequate adult supervision which shall remain with the group during all activities and be responsible for the group's conformance with all rules and regulations.
- 13. The applicant is responsible for providing emergency telephone access and first aid kit for emergency situations.
- 14. A private, nonprofit youth program, by signing this form, verifies that it complies with the policies for management of concussions and head injuries as set out in RCW 28A.600.190.
- 15. Fire and safety regulations of the Tacoma School District, the City of Tacoma and the State of Washington must be observed at all times.
- 16. In its use of the facility, the applicant/user shall not discriminate in violation of federal or state law or local ordinance.
- 17. All groups shall leave the school facilities in the same order and condition in which they found them.
- 18. Tables, chairs, desks and other furniture and equipment shall not be moved from one room to another unless specifically mentioned on the permit and, by or under, the direct supervision of a District employee. Extra or unusual services for program or activities must be identified in the Building Use Request.
- 19. No decorations or the application of materials to walls, ceilings or floors shall be permitted which will mar, deface or injure these surfaces. No wax or other substances shall be applied to the floors.
- 20. This agreement does not include the right of advertising on school premises other than the right to post signage two hours in advance of an event for the purpose of directing people to the location of the event.
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#### **Use of School Facilities**

- 1. The use of school buildings, grounds and facilities by outside groups shall be administered by the District's Maintenance and Operations department.
- 2. All outside groups desiring to use district facilities must complete and submit a district-Request/Authorization for Use of School Facility/Field form and a certificate of insurance, as addressed in 7 to the office at the facility being requested for use. Request for use of district facilities with synthetic fields must be requested through the district's Department of Student Life rather than the school the synthetic field is located closest to. There will be no exceptions to the written application process. Requests should be presented at least 30 days in advance of the date desired.
- 3. So long as the district allows outside groups to use its school buildings, grounds and facilities, it will provide equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following district official has been designated to handle inquires regarding the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act:

Chief Operating Officer Tacoma Public Schools P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 (253) 571-3300

- 4. Use of school facilities are placed into one of three categories: no charge, reimbursement cost, and payment of rent. No charge: as long as custodial staff is on regular duty and no additional district support is needed. Typical are: school-related activities, community functions, park district functions, scouts, non-profit and charitable groups, school employees for professional development or recreational activities, alumni reunions.
- 5. Reimbursement of district direct costs. Typical are: activities scheduled when custodial staff are not normally working or when technical, Nutrition Services, security or maintenance staff is required.
- 6. Payment of rent. Typical are: when admission is charged for an event, when rental is of a public hall nature such as entertainment, advertising and demonstrations, dealers meeting, church lectures, for-profit organizations, college/university use.
- 7. Applicants will provide proof of coverage for comprehensive general liability insurance for bodily injury, with the school district named as an additional insured. The group in whose name the permit is issued is responsible for damage done to school property.

- 8. The district reserves the right to cancel any permit issued and to refund any payment made for the use of facilities where it deems such action advisable and in the best interests of the school district, or to modify its policies at any time.
- 9. All rental fees shall be paid at the Maintenance and Operations at least two weeks of scheduled use.
- 10. Groups or organizations requesting the use of district facilities after normal working hours, weekends or holidays, will be charged labor and custodial costs, utilities and an extra cover charge if heating is required.
- 11. The use of district equipment such as computers during the use of district facilities shall be subject to approval and payment of a district-established fee.
- 12. The use of tobacco, the use of intoxicants and the use of drugs, profane, indecent language or disorderly conduct on school property is prohibited. Failure on the part of organizations to enforce this regulation shall be considered sufficient cause to refuse further use of school buildings to the offending organizations. Applicants must assume responsibility for compliance with these rules and for any damage which may be done to the property.
- 13. Radio and television broadcasts of events may be permitted, upon written request, under the following conditions: Requests for permission to broadcast any event will be cleared by the department of Maintenance and Operations and respective school or department prior to granting of facility use permit. Request must be made at least two weeks prior to the date of the event. Arrangements for broadcast lines, television cables, booths, construction of towers, platforms, and electrical outlets must be made with the director of Maintenance and Operations. Applicants must assume responsibility for any costs incurred by the district for such broadcasts and for any damages which may be done to property and equipment by such broadcasts.
- 14. The department of Maintenance and Operations shall prepare necessary facilities/equipment rental fee schedules which are to be submitted to the board of directors for approval. This rental fee schedule will apply to the use of school auditoriums for classes, lectures, concerts, motion pictures, theatricals, entertainment, advertising demonstrations, manufacturers' dealer meetings, church lectures and meetings for promotion or advancement of their own organization or denomination and political meetings by an individual candidate or a single recognized political party for exclusively individual or party use, for which public halls generally are rented, and in particular to every event to which an admission charge or fee is made, or at which a collection is to be taken for the purpose of compensating the lectures, performers or organizations other than as provided.

- 15. Auditoriums may be rented by community organizations for meetings for advancement of community projects or programs, for non-partisan political meetings, for meetings by character-building organization other than for advancement of their own group, sect or denomination (for which the public hall rental school apply); meetings by city or their governmental bodies, free concerns, graduations by colleges, hospitals, parochial schools and all events to which an admission charge is made with the entire proceeds going to a recognized charitable organization.
- 16. Meetings of the state and county school directors' associations and other educational organizations and meetings called by the Educational Service District, and by district-recognized bargaining groups, shall be granted without cost. Principals may approve the use of school classrooms, auditoriums or gymnasiums by groups of school employees for professional or recreational activities if no additional expenses for custodial service or heat are involved. If additional costs are incurred it will be the responsibility of the renter to reimburse the district.
- 17. Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Campfire Girls and similar non-sectarian, non-profit and charitable groups organized for the benefit of district students may use district facilities at no cost.
- 18. Parent-Teacher-Student Associations, preschool associations and local building school community groups will not be charged for the use of district facilities during normal working hours and not requiring staff to work overtime.
- 19. High schools alumni associations may be granted the use of district facilities at no cost during normal working hours or on a cost reimbursement basis on weekends and holidays.
- 20. Sunday school or religious services may be held in schools when other quarters are not available. A reasonable rental plus reimbursement for heat, lights and custodial services will be required. Definite plans for construction of their own facilities must be indicated to the Maintenance and Operations department and on file before approval can be granted.
- 21. The rental charge for the use of any facility with synthetic facilities/fields for athletic events, entertainment, concerts, lectures, addresses, conventions, shows, etc., shall be as based on approved fee schedule, plus reimbursement of expenditures made by the school district in preparing, operating and cleaning of such facilities/fields in connection with such events. When other governmental branches or civic organizations desire the use of synthetic facilities/fields for addresses, concerts, demonstrations or displays which are free to the public, they may have the use of said facilities/fields buy reimbursing the school district for actual expenditures incurred in preparing, operating and cleaning the facilities/fields. All concessions at synthetic facilities will be operated by the school district, or its designee, for the benefit of the high school activity funds. Permission to use

synthetic facilities/fields or any other school facility carries with it the obligation on the part of the user to honor all life passes issued to present and former school board members pursuant to the resolution of the school board adopted May 11, 1933.

- 22. Gymnasiums, when not required by the district or the school district/park district cooperative recreation program, may be rented for games at which an admission is charged. The building rental charge will be based on an approved fee schedule.
- 23. Dinners or special meals may not be served in the school lunchrooms except when sponsored by the school-affiliated PTSA, PTA, Booster Clubs or preschool groups, professional organizations or other groups upon approval of the school district. Light refreshments may be served after PTSA, PTA or preschool groups, provided prior arrangements have been made with the lunchroom cook-manager.
- 24. Swimming pools, when not required for the schools or the school district/park district cooperative recreation program, are available for use by outside groups at established rental fees. Renters must furnish the required lifeguard services and their own towels.
- 25. When Washington Interscholastic Activities Association (WIAA) schools are involved in sub-district, district-regional or state meets, the district will assume necessary custodial, maintenance, heating and lighting costs incurred in conducting qualifying events in district facilities. When outside schools are involved in any other events conducted in district schools, the district will provide services as stated above. However, any revenue over and above expenses for running the event, i.e. gate help, officials, meet manager, etc. will be remitted to the finance office to defray the costs of the above services provided by the district together with an itemized accounting of income and expenses.
- 26. During presidential election years, when major political parties are required to hold caucuses, as provided in RCW 29.13.010, no rental fee shall be charged.
- 27. Gyms, playgrounds, athletic fields and school facilities use will be in accordance with the following guidelines and conditions:

Authorized use of playground and athletic fields, in Tacoma School District No. 10, will be granted after application is made by completing a "Request / Authorization for Use of School Facilities / Fields" form" and providing appropriate certificate of liability insurance. This form is available at school district sites. The application will be submitted to the site administrators for his/her approval. The documents will then be forwarded to the department of Maintenance and Operations for final approval.

The following will have priority of use of school district facilities:

- a. Priority use of designated facilities will be given to each school at their site.
- b. Tacoma School District No. 10 student activities from other

#### Regulation 4260R

- buildings.
- c. Requests for use of school district facilities by the Metropolitan Park District as per interlocal agreement.
- d. Request for use of school district facilities by local youth organizations. (A local youth organization is defined as any group consisting of students (k-12) having 75% of their members residing within the Tacoma School District No. 10.
- e. Requests for an authorization for use of school facilities will be granted for other groups in the following order of priority:
- f. Request for use of school facilities by other school districts.
- g. Request for use of school district facilities by local universities and colleges (University of Puget Sound, Pacific Lutheran University, and Tacoma Community College.)
- h. Request for use of school facilities by local adult non-profit groups. (A local adult group is defined as any group above grade 12 having 75% of its members residing within the Tacoma School District No. 10 operating under a non-profit status).
- Request for use of school facilities by outside youth groups.
   (Outside youth groups (k-12) are those participants in which 25% or more reside outside of the Tacoma School District No. 10.
- j. Request for use of school facilities by non-local adult, non-profit groups (A non-local group is defined as any group above grade 12 having 25% or more of its members residing outside the school district.)
- k. Request for use by commercial groups. (A commercial group is defined as any group or business licensed to do business within the State of Washington.

The site administrator is authorized to develop a system at his/her site to ensure that:

- a. No authorizations for use of school facilities will be granted for more than sixty days in advance.
- b. An authorization will be granted on a first-come, first-served basis.
- c. No group will be authorized for more than two times a week if other groups are requesting the facility.
- 28. A student or a group of students who wish to conduct a meeting on school premises during the non-instructional time shall file an application for permission for the meeting with the principal of the school building at which the meeting is to be held. The application shall state:
  - a. The name and address of the student or students and an affirmation by the person preparing the application that the student(s) has voluntarily initiated the meeting.

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b. A description of the type of meeting and a statement of purpose and an estimate of expected attendance. This should be accompanied by a copy of any material used to advertise the meeting.

If a non-school attendee is to be in attendance, his or her name and address must be furnished, along with the organization with which he or she is affiliated, if any. If the meeting is a religious one, the non-school attendee shall furnish an affirmation that he is not directing, conducting or regularly attending the activity. The name of the faculty or staff sponsor/monitor of the meeting (if required) and if the meeting is for religious purposes, affirmation by that person that he/she is not participating in the meeting.

- 29. The principal shall approve the meeting if the application is so filled out and if determined that:
  - a. The meeting is voluntary and student-initiated.
  - b. The meeting will not materially and substantially interfere with the orderly conduct of the school's educational activities.
  - c. Employees of the district are present at religious meetings in a non-participatory capacity.
  - d. Non-school persons are not directing, controlling or regularly attending the activity.
  - e. There is no school influence on the form or content of any prayer or religious activity during a meeting for those purposes.
  - f. No person will be required to participate in prayer or other religious activity during a meeting or activity.
  - g. No employee will be compelled to attend a meeting if the content at the speech at the meeting is contrary to his/her beliefs.
  - h. If the request is submitted, forms are received at least three days prior to the requested meeting.
  - Information on facility, equipment fee schedules, auditorium capacities, playfield information is available at the department of Maintenance and Operations.
  - j. The director of buildings and grounds will be responsible for developing and maintaining necessary operating procedures for the use of district facilities by outside groups.

**Amended 1/22/13** 

Policy No. 4260 Community Relations

### **USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES**

The buildings, grounds and facilities of Tacoma School District No. 10 are primarily to serve the educational needs of the students of the district. No other use shall be permitted to interfere with this primary purpose. Authorization for use of school facilities shall not be considered endorsement or approval of the activity, group or organization or the purposes it represents.

School facilities are purchased with public funds; therefore, facilities will be made available to the public. Activities directly related to the educational programs of the district shall have first priority in the use of facilities.

The board of directors may authorize non-commercial Washington state exempt, non-profit organizations and groups to utilize school facilities at no cost, or on a cost reimbursement basis if their use is required beyond normal working hours. This category includes groups and organizations dedicated to promotion of education, and general welfare activities of the community.

The Tacoma School District No. 10 does not wish to compete unfairly with private enterprise and therefore reserves the right to reject any applications for use of district facilities when it believes a commercial facility should be patronized.

The intent of this policy is to provide a service to the community but not to compete with local business establishments.

For purposes of prioritizing use of facilities, the following order of priority shall apply:

- 1. Official district or school-related programs or activities and district or school-oriented groups.
- 2. Non-profit youth organizations and school or employee-oriented groups within the district boundaries that provide services to district students or employees and other government entities, so long as fees or tuition are not charged to participants by the government entity. Priority for use within this category shall be based upon shared facility use agreement(s) with the Metropolitan Park District, and then others within this classification.
- 3. Other non-profit, civic and service groups not addressed in Paragraph 2, including non-profit organizations and non-commercial youth activities that are based outside the district.
- 4. Non-commercial groups that have a primary focus on meeting the needs of youth and/or adults in the community.

5. Commercial and other functions.

For rental purposes, the following fees/costs shall apply:

- 1. Official or school-related programs or activities may use facilities without charge.
- 2. For groups within Paragraph 2 above, when a facility is used outside of regular custodial hours, or the district incurs extra utility, cleaning, staff or other costs, a rental fee shall be charged to recoup those costs.
- 3. For groups within Paragraphs 3 and 4 above, a rental fee shall be charged in excess of costs incurred. Such excess charges may be waived when a service club or other non-profit entity is raising funds for charitable purposes. If a college or university is offering a course and charging tuition and the course is not primarily for district students or staff, its use shall fall under this category.
- 4. Commercial enterprises, including profit-making organizations and business-related enterprises, as well as groups that do not fit within the other paragraphs, shall be charged a rate in accordance with the fee structure outlined in Regulation 4260R.

Non-profit groups that typically have their own facilities including, but not limited to lodges, veterans groups, churches and granges, may use district facilities on a regular, but temporary, basis.

The superintendent is authorized to establish Regulations for use of facilities consistent with this policy, including, but not limited to, rental rates, supervisory requirements, restrictions, and security.

Legal References: AGO 1973 No. 26 Initiative No. 276 – School districts – Use of school facilities for presentation of Programs – Legislature – Elections

RCW 28A.320.510 Night schools, summer schools, meeting, use of facilities for 28A.335.150 Permitting use and rental of playgrounds, athletic fields, or athletic facilities

Adoption Date: 1/12/06



From: Carla Santorno Sent: Tue, 15 Nov 2016 00:52:41 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Re: Email to the school board

Perfect, Susan - thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 14, 2016, at 8:04 AM, SUSAN SCHREURS < SSCHREU@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group' or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel
Tacoma School District #10
P.O. Box 1357
Tacoma, WA 98401-1357
253.571.1013

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From: KAREN VIALLE Sent:Mon, 21 Nov 2016 06:37:18 GMT

To: Carla Santorno ; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Please respond.

Thank you,

Karen

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

------ Original message ------From: Ken Lloyd <lken352@gmail.com> Date: 11/20/16 7:28 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: ANDREA COBB <acobb@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, KAREN VIALLE <KVIALLE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, CATHERINE USHKA <CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, SCOTT

HEINZE <SHEINZE@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club

out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, "do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: Lisa Boyd Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 23:10:18 GMT

To: OLGA LAY

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

She also wanted to hand out flyers here at our event. Sounds like a no go.

From: OLGA LAY

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:57 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON; NEIL OBRIEN; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,

Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee
General Counsel

Tacoma Public Schools



From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Thu, 13 Oct 2016 03:07:52 GMT

To: Felipe Mendez

Subject: FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

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### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: PAUL KOCH

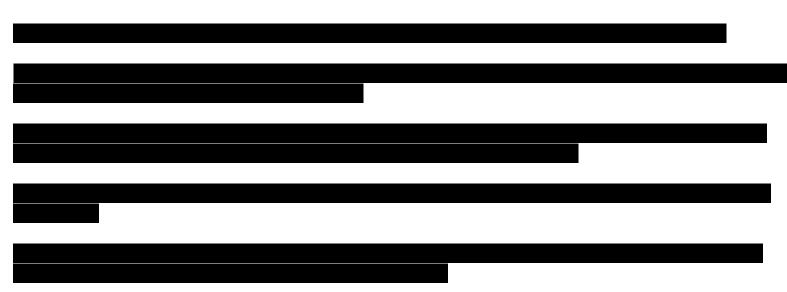
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 3:31 PM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Susan,



Thanks,

## Paul Koch X3325

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 2:54 PM

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

**Subject:** RE: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

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From: PAUL KOCH

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:29 PM

To: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI

Subject: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

**Subject:** FW: Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

Importance: High Steve,

Cc: CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHIEN WILL ARARHQUEST by Judicial Watch, Inc.

**Subject:** Building use issue CONFIDENTIAL: A/C communication

Thanks for your prompt assistance.

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### Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

# **Tacoma Public Schools**

## **Department of Buildings & Grounds**

3223 South Union Ave - Tacoma WA 98409 253.571.3313



## **INSTRUCTIONS /FEE SCHEDULE FOR** REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES / FIELDS

1. Request and complete a Request / Authorization for Use of School Facilities / Fields form at the site where you would like to rent the facility / field. All sites manage their own building / field calendar. Call the number above for questions regarding fees, group type, and requirements.

A signature is required to indicate that the "General Rules for Use of School Facilities on the reverse side of the Request has been read, understood, and agreed to. Be specific on room and equipment requests. Make sure all contact information is listed and Group type is indicated. Note the Request number at the top of the form for easy reference when calling regarding your Request.

High School Stadiums, First Creek MS, Jason Lee MS, and Mason MS Turf Field Use Requests go through the Athletics Department: 253.571.1123

- 2. Return the form to the site. The following information must be attached:
  - Certificate of Liability Insurance with a minimum of \$1,000,000 for coverage that lists the "additionally insured" as Tacoma Schools District #10, c/o Buildings & Grounds, PO Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401 (Sites have a list of Certificates already on file.)
  - Non-Profit status paperwork 501c, if applicable
  - Team rosters reflecting 75% District participation, if applicable
  - Request for Sound/Lighting Technician, if applicable
  - Requests for Kitchen or Security are arranged by contacting the number listed on the form.
- 3. The site will review your Request. Both the Building Representative (Principal) and Chief Custodian must sign to approve the Request. The form is then sent to Buildings & Grounds for billing, if applicable, and a copy mailed out to confirm reservation.
- 4. District Requestors must fill in accounting for any possible custodial charges. A copy of the Request will be returned to the Requestor with estimated custodial time. Accounting will be entered during payroll for actual time submitted.
- > Requests must be presented at least thirty (30) days in advance of the date desired.
- No Requests will be granted for more than sixty (60) days in advance.
- Requests may only indicate dates in the current school year (September-August)
- Requests will be granted on a first-come, first serve basis.
- No group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- > A "second page" may be requested for repetitive monthly meetings over 3 months.
- Payment is required prior to the event.
- Decisions on fees are based on the Groups listed on the back.

### Obtained via WA PRA Request by Judicial Watch, Inc.

### **GROUPS**

- 1 The official programs and activities of the schools in the district. (e.g., Associated Student Body (ASB), curricular and extracurricular student groups, District departments)
- A Local non-profit youth organizations or school oriented groups. (e.g., Metro Parks, Girl/Boy/Cub Scouts, Campfire Girls, PTA/Booster organizations, groups of school employees for professional or recreational activities approved by the principal, school director associations, PSESD, and other educational organizations, district recognized bargaining groups, High School Alumni Associations)
- **B** Non-local non-profit youth activities and small local non-profit adult organizations. (e.g., Civic service/community groups)
- C Large local or non-local non-profit adult organizations. (e.g., Colleges, religious institutions, adult athletics, government organizations)
- **D Profit / private events.** (e.g., Organizations that charge admission and/or participation fees, business corporation events, weddings, receptions, private parties, fairs, semi-professional groups)

### **RENTAL RATES & FEES**

## Key to Fees

OT: Overtime

C: Custodial (based on hours in the building plus approximately 1-4 hours for cleanup with 3 hour minimum)

R: Rent (based on hours in the building)

U: Utilities

TT: Theater Tech (based on hours in building plus 1 hour for setup/breakdown)

Possible additional fees: Security: \$48/hr; Kitchen: \$30/hr for staff (billed by Food Services)

FACILITY / AREA	GROUPS / FEES / RATES					
Miscellaneous	1	Α	В	С	D	
Fields ( C may apply @ high schools )	N/C	N/C	\$5/hr	\$15/hr	\$25/hr	
Varsity Fields / Tracks	N/C	\$10/hr	\$20/hr	\$30/hr	\$40/hr	
Classroom / Computer room	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$10/hr R \$1/hr U	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	
Elementary Schools						
Multi-Purpose Room / Gym / Cafeteria	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Middle Schools / Professional DvI Ctr						
Cafeteria / Commons / Auditorium*	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Gym	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	
*Jason Lee Auditorium	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$100/hr R \$10/hr U	\$48/hr C \$200/hr R \$20/hr U	
High Schools						
Commons / Cafeteria	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$20/hr R \$2/hr U	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	
Gym	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	
Pool	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$80/hr R \$8/hr U	\$48/hr C \$120/hr R \$12/hr U	
PAC / Theatre / Auditorium	ОТ	\$48/hr C	\$48/hr C \$40/hr R \$25/hr TT \$4/hr U	\$48/hr C \$100/hr R \$25/hr TT \$10/hr U	\$48/hr C \$200/hr R \$25/hr TT \$20/hr U	

Sent:Mon, 14 Nov 2016 21:28:53 GMT



To:

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PAUL KOCH From:

Andrea O'Brien-Henley

BCC Susan Anderson; Daniel Voelpel; SUSAN SCHREURS Subject:

Reason Alliance - After School Satan Club

Thanks Andrea . . . PK

From: ANDREA O'BRIEN-HENLEY

Sent: Monday, November 14, 2016 12:29 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Subject: Reason Alliance - After School Satan Club

Hi Paul,

Just wanted to let you know that we received payment in full from the After School Satan Club for the year.

### Thank you ©

## Andrea O'Brien-Henley

Facility Use/Custodial Support 253.571.3313/Fax 253.571.3320 aobrien@tacoma.k12.wa.us





From: Daniel Voelpel
To: Rae McNally
Subject: FW: Satan Club

fyi

From: LISA BOYD

**Sent:** Sunday, November 20, 2016 3:18 PM **To:** DANIEL VOELPEL; CHRISTA EROLIN

Subject: Fw: Satan Club

Keeping you in the loop with my on-going responses.

From: LISA BOYD

Sent: Sunday, November 20, 2016 3:16 PM

**To:** Joan Lubischer **Subject:** Re: Satan Club

Dr. Lubischer,

I have not authorized this club it is not a school-related activity. The district has followed the laws which grant outside organizations to rent space in Tacoma Public Schools facilities.

I've not spoken to one member of this organization. My staff and I do not endorse, recruit are have anything to do with this club. I certainly understand the concern and we have opened up two community forums to answer questions related to this topic the last conversation was just last Friday at 6:00PM. Please feel free to visit <a href="http://www.worldreligionnews.com/religion-news/tacoma-parents-protest-after-school-satan-club">http://www.worldreligionnews.com/religion-news/tacoma-parents-protest-after-school-satan-club</a> which is an article that captures more information on the topic. If you have further questions, please feel free to call me at (253) 640-1428.

Thank you for your inquiry and I appreciate your concern.

Lisa Boyd

From: Joan Lubischer < <u>jlubi@centurylink.net</u>>
Sent: Sunday, November 20, 2016 11:31 AM

To: LISA BOYD
Subject: Satan Club

Dear Ms. Boyd:

According to your mission: "Point Defiance welcomes students, families, and the community to a nurturing, learning environment that promotes academic achievement. We have a clear and shared

Sent: Mon. 21 Nov 2016 15:45:16 GMT

focus to ensure high standards and being extra the BRA regres and Justical which we provide the knowledge and skills for students to become respectful, responsible, life-long learners and citizens." Given this mission, how can you authorize a Satan Club?

Joan C. Lubischer, Ph.D.



From: Lisa Boyd Sent: Mon, 28 Nov 2016 12:30:06 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel; CHRISTA EROLIN

Subject: Fw: Satanic Club

fyi

From: joyce minehan <twister\_2587@hotmail.com>

Sent: Monday, November 28, 2016 2:53 AM

To: KAREN VIALLE; CATHERINE USHKA; dwinskill@tacoma.k12.wa.us; SCOTT HEINZE; ANDREA COBB; LISA BOYD; CARLA

SANTORNO

Subject: Satanic Club

Dear Ms Vialle, Ms Ushka, Ms Cobb, Ms Winskill, Ms Boyd, Santor and Mr Heinze,

I want to place my protest that you have allowed the Satanic Temple to hold an after school "Satan Club". I strongly ask you to stop this club from holding meetings at the school. You are allowing the teaching of Satan's lies to the littlest and most vulnerable of our children who cannot protect themselves. The US was formed on "One Nation Under God" not on Satan, the Father of Lies. You will be harshly judged for misleading children. "If anyone causes one of these little ones--those who believe in me--to stumble, it would be better for them to have a large millstone hung around their neck and to be drowned in the depths of the sea." Matt 18:6 Save yourself and these children. As a parent I don't understand why anyone would want to place children in harms way?

Stop the Satanic Club from meeting in your school. And may God have mercy on your soul if you don't.

Joyce Minehan



Sent: Wed, 12 Oct 2016 19:29:03 GMT PAUL KOCH From:

STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS To:

BCC PAUL KOCH

Subject: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

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Steve, see answers below to Susan's email. PK

From: STEPHEN STORY

Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 12:00 PM

To: PAUL KOCH

Cc: STEPHEN STORY; SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: FW: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Paul I need these questions answer.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

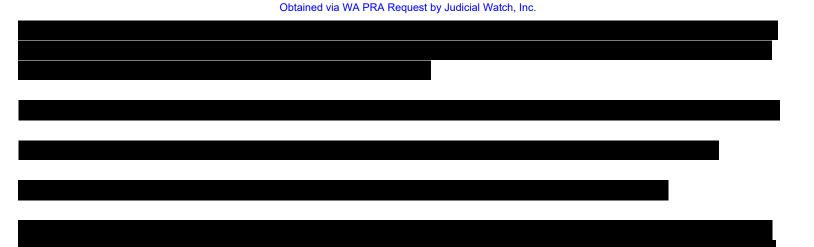
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 11:25 AM

To: STEPHEN STORY

Cc: CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; STEPHEN MURAKAMI Subject: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

Importance: High

Steve,



Thanks for your prompt assistance.

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## REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FACILITIES / FIELDS

PLEASE FILL IN ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS

1.	<b>FACILI</b>	ITY: AREA(S):							
2.	(School	ESTOR GROUP: / TSD Department Name / Organization Name)							
3.	CONTA	ACT NAME / PHONE:							
4.	ORGAI	NIZATION ADDRESS:							
5.	EMAIL (Confirm	: nation / Invoice sent by email)							
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Group 1 (School / District Requestors Only) ACCOUNTING		'	Group A 🛭 75% District Youth, PTA/Boosters, Metro Parks, Employees						
<ul><li>School event: 97000 63 LOC BRC 5317</li><li>ASB event:</li></ul>			Group B ☑ Non-district Nonprofit Youth; Small Community Adult groups  Group C ☑ Religious Institutions, Colleges, Adult Nonprofit Organizations						
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	D. OUTSIDE REQUESTOR: Check off and attach necessary documents / requests for services:  Certificate of Liability Insurance (REQUIRED FOR RENTAL)  Solic (proof of Nonprofit)  Team Rosters with addresses (proof of 75% District youth)  Certificate of Liability Insurance (REQUIRED FOR RENTAL)  Request for Sound/Lighting Technician (High Schools)  Kitchen (supervision must be provided): Contact. 253.571.3370  Security (must be provided by TSD): Contact 253.571.1288								
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*Signing indicates you agree to the " <u>General Rules for Use of School Facilities"</u> on the reverse. *Payment of fees is required two weeks prior to use or request may be cancelled. *Must show a copy of Request during event as proof of reservation.									
10									
10. Signature of Requestor Date		Signature of I	Facility Representa	tive	Date				
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Signature of Chief Custodian Date		Date	Total Due:						

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## **General Rules for Use of School Facilities**

- 1. Applicants will provide proof of insurance for \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit comprehensive general liability insurance for bodily injury, with the Tacoma School District named as an additional insured. Certain activities may require additional insurance at the District's discretion based on the nature and scope of use. Contact the Maintenance and Operations Department at (253) 571-3313 regarding insurance coverage questions. The group in whose name the use permit is issued is responsible for damage done to District property and for restitution of such damage.
- 2. The applicant/user organization shall defend, protect, indemnify and hold the District, its officers, employees and agents harmless from any and all liabilities or rights of action directly or indirectly arising out of the use of the premises covered by the Building Use Request.
- 3. The District is not responsible for losses of personal properly by individuals or groups during an approved building activity.
- 4. The Board of Directors reserves the right to revoke any authorization issued for the use of a school building or grounds and if rental has been paid, to refund such rental less expense incurred by the District in connection therewith.
- 5. So long as the District allows outside groups to use its school buildings, grounds and facilities, it will provide equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following district official has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act: Chief Operating Officer, P.O. Box 1357, Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 (253) 571-3300.
- 6. Per Building Use Regulations, requests must be presented at least 30 days in advance of date desired but no more than 60 days in advance. Special consideration may be given to those groups with future calendar deadlines.
- 7. Per Building Use Regulations, no group will be authorized for more than two (2) times a week, if other groups are requesting the facility.
- 8. By signing this form, Applicant agrees to be financially responsible for any charges incurred. No requests for reductions in the rental fees or extra costs will be considered.
- 9. The applicant shall notify both the facility and Buildings & Grounds Department of any cancellation of previously scheduled event at least five (5) working days prior to scheduled use. In case of failure to do so, the District may invoice for expenses incurred in preparation for use of the facility requested.
- 10. The use of facilities shall be restricted to those spaces and times specifically covered in the Building Use Request. If a user does not comply with this requirement, the District may charge the user additional facility use fees for which the user shall be responsible. If an applicant has unpaid fees, it may be denied further use of District facilities.
- 11. All applicants/user organization must comply with District rules:
  - Use of language or actions which are offensive or profane to a person of ordinary sensibilities will not be tolerated.
  - Liquor, drugs or use of tobacco products are prohibited on District properly.
  - Weapons are prohibited on District property.
  - In addition, individual schools and facilities may compile and post in a conspicuous location other supplemental special rules which are applicable to specific situations and locations.
- 12. All applicants/organizations using school facilities shall provide adequate adult supervision which shall remain with the group during all activities and be responsible for the group's conformance with all rules and regulations.
- 13. The applicant is responsible for providing emergency telephone access and first aid kit for emergency situations.
- 14. A private, nonprofit youth program, by signing this form, verifies that it complies with the policies for management of concussions and head injuries as set out in RCW 28A.600.190.
- 15. Fire and safety regulations of the Tacoma School District, the City of Tacoma and the State of Washington must be observed at all times.
- 16. In its use of the facility, the applicant/user shall not discriminate in violation of federal or state law or local ordinance.
- 17. All groups shall leave the school facilities in the same order and condition in which they found them.
- 18. Tables, chairs, desks and other furniture and equipment shall not be moved from one room to another unless specifically mentioned on the permit and, by or under, the direct supervision of a District employee. Extra or unusual services for program or activities must be identified in the Building Use Request.
- 19. No decorations or the application of materials to walls, ceilings or floors shall be permitted which will mar, deface or injure these surfaces. No wax or other substances shall be applied to the floors.
- 20. This agreement does not include the right of advertising on school premises other than the right to post signage two hours in advance of an event for the purpose of directing people to the location of the event.
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## REQUEST / AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FACILITIES / FIELDS

PLEASE FILL IN ALL HIGHLIGHTED AREAS **FACILITY:** REQUESTOR GROUP: (School / TSD Department Name / **Outside Organization Name) CONTACT NAME / PHONE:** 3. 4. **ORGANIZATION ADDRESS:** EMAIL: 5. (Confirmation / Invoice sent by email) (Outside Organizations - MUST have Certificate of Liability on File) **GROUPS:** Group 1 (School / District Requestors Only) ACCOUNTING Group A Ø 75% District Youth, PTA/Boosters, Metro Parks, Employees School event: 97000 63 LOC BRC Group B) 
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Profit / Private District event: Group E 

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Signature of **Chief Custodian** 



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From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent: Thu, 17 Nov 2016 16:59:46 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel; Felipe Mendez; Rae McNally

Subject: FW: Educators+say+After+School+Satan+clubs+likely+legal

Dan, Felipe and Ray, please see the article below that was in the TNT in August.

### SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel Tacoma School District #10 P.O. Box 1357 Tacoma, WA 98401-1357 253.571.1013

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Thursday, November 17, 2016 8:23 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS

Subject: Educators+say+After+School+Satan+clubs+likely+legal

http://www.thenewstribune.com/news/nation-world/national/article93182387.html



From: Andrea O'Brien-Henley

To: PAUL KOCH

Subject: After School Satan Club

http://www.thenewstribune.com/news/local/education/article113424598.html

Sent:Wed, 09 Nov 2016 16:57:02 GMT

link left in comment section of story.... Thought I would include it in case parents or concerned citizens read the article and call about it ....

https://gpluslighthouse.wordpress.com/2016/10/10/after-school-satan-clubs-exposed/

The article goes into the author's in depth translation of the After School Satan Club logo and how it proves that the club will be trying to \*brainwash\* the children into worshipping Satan.

Happy Wednesday

Thank you ©

Andrea O'Brien-Henley

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From: SUSAN SCHREURS

To: Felipe Mendez ; Renee Hemmasi

Subject: RE: FYI

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From: FELIPE MENDEZ

**Sent:** Thursday, September 22, 2016 5:14 PM **To:** SUSAN SCHREURS; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: RE: FYI

Yes, in part, M & O along with Principal.

I belive the Deputy Superintendent's office was working on notifications, but I'm not 100 % sure.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 2:27 PM

To: FELIPE MENDEZ; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: RE: FYI

Yes, I heard this too. I was wondering what attorney was involved. Who deals with approving outside club use here? Is it a maintenance and operations decision or at the local building level? We might want to alert the folks involved about this issue and the need to work with us on it, should they get such a request.

SUSAN SCHREURS

Interim General Counsel

Sent:Fri, 23 Sep 2016 21:48:30 GMT

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From: FELIPE MENDEZ

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 11:43 AM

To: SUSAN SCHREURS; RENEE HEMMASI

Subject: FYI

http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/education/mount-vernon-school-district-must-allow-after-school-satan-club-district-lawyer-says/

Felipe M Mendez Deputy General Counsel Tacoma School District No. 10

Phone: 253-571-1013 Fax: 253-571-1440

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From: McMinimee Shannon Sent: Tue, 30 Aug 2016 17:51:04 GMT

To: Neil Obrien

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs/Bible Clubs

Sure, I haven't been in my office, but when I get in, I will give you a call.

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel

Tacoma Public Schools

From: NEIL OBRIEN

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 10:18 AM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs/Bible Clubs

Shannon,

I would rather speak with you directly about this, but I don't want to disturb your work. Please call 6807 when you are able.

Thank you,

Neil

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2016 9:42 AM

To: NEIL OBRIEN

**Subject:** Re: Good News Clubs/Bible Clubs

Shannon McMinimee General Counsel

**Tacoma Public Schools** 

On Aug 30, 2016, at 9:25 AM, NEIL OBRIEN < nobrien@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Shannon,

### Thank you,

Neil

From: NEIL OBRIEN

Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 12:35 PM

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

**Cc:** STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH **Subject:** RE: Good News Clubs/Bible Clubs

Shannon,

### Neil

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2016 10:05 AM

To: NEIL OBRIEN

**Cc:** STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH **Subject:** Re: Good News Clubs/Bible Clubs

Thanks.

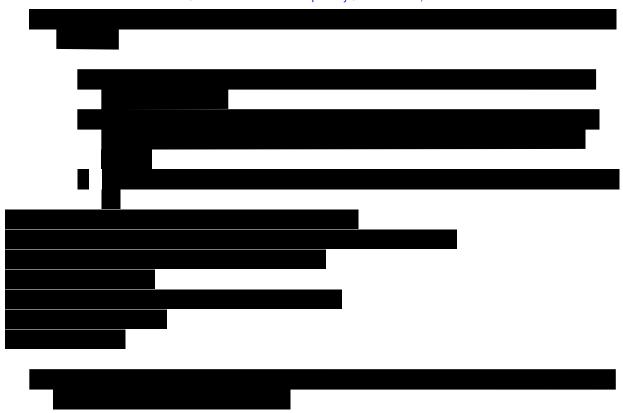
Shannon McMinime General Counsel Tacoma Public Schools

On Aug 24, 2016, at 7:47 AM, NEIL OBRIEN < nobrien@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > wrote:

Shannon,

Neil.

Principals and Office Coordinators,



Thank you!

Shannon McMinimee
General Counsel
Tacoma Public Schools



This message was sent with High importance.

From: SUSAN SCHREURS Sent:Wed, 12 Oct 2016 18:24:51 GMT
To: STEPHEN STORY

CC Carla Santorno ; Joshua Garcia ; Stephen Murakami
Subject: Building use issue CONFIDNETIAL: A/C communication

Steve,



Thanks for your prompt assistance.

SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel

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From: Lisa Boyd Sent:Fri, 14 Oct 2016 19:56:06 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: FW: Press Inquiry/Los Angeles Times

FYI

**From:** Rick Anderson [mailto:rickanderson.seattle@comcast.net]

**Sent:** Friday, October 14, 2016 12:52 PM

To: LISA BOYD

**Subject:** Press Inquiry/Los Angeles Times

From Rick Anderson, Seattle correspondent, LA Times

Hi Principal Boyd, I'm following up on the plans announced by the Seattle Satanic Temple to form an After School Satan Club at your school. The temple had originally planned to form a club in Mount Vernon, but faced delays, the temple's leader tells me, and they have now chosen Point Defiance in hope of getting a club up and running sooner.

Can you tell me how the school feels about the request, what it plans to do, and why, if you know, PD is being targeted? There are such clubs in other cities around the U.S, and rejecting their efforts likely means going to court, where rulings favor the temple based on a religious freedom argument.

The Satanists seem to be undertaking all this with a bit of a wink – they don't actually worship the devil, but use him in their effort to oppose formal religious organizations who, in their view, "indoctrinate" youths with the afterschool teachings.

Any information/comments much appreciated. Hoping you can respond by later today.

Rick Anderson
Los Angeles Times
Special Correspondent/Seattle
rickanderson.seattle@comcast.net
@Rosebd
206 240 3572



From: Nikol Cartledge Sent:Thu, 20 Oct 2016 16:37:08 GMT

To: SUSAN SCHREURS Subject: FW: ASSC Response

FYI

From: Lilith Starr [mailto:lilithxstarr@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, October 20, 2016 9:32 AM

**To:** CARLA SANTORNO **Subject:** Re: ASSC Response

Dear Ms. Santorno,

Thank you very much for the info on your application process. We will make sure to follow your district's quidelines as we apply.

Thank you, Lilith Starr

On Thu, Oct 20, 2016 at 7:18 AM, CARLA SANTORNO < CSANTOR@tacoma.k12.wa.us > wrote:

Dear Ms. Starr:

In response to your request to offer an After School Satan Club at Point Defiance Elementary, you may submit an application on the Request/Authorization for Use of Facilities/Fields form. A sample of the form was previously sent to you. However, the forms are on NCR paper and therefore you will need to use one of the actual forms. You may obtain a copy of such a form from the main office at the school or by contacting Paul Koch at the Maintenance and Operations Department, <a href="maintenance">pkoch@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, or Susan Schreurs, <a href="maintenance@tacoma.k12.wa.us">sschreu@tacoma.k12.wa.us</a>, Interim General Counsel.

After completing the form, submit it to the main office staff of the school. It will be reviewed to determine if the dates and times you request can be accommodated. You will also need to submit a certificate of liability insurance with the application that complies with paragraph 1 of the General Rules for Use of School Facilities. If your organization is a nonprofit organization, you will need to submit documentation that you are a 501c(3) organization. If the required paperwork is in place and there is availability at the school, the paperwork will be submitted to the Maintenance and Operations Department for final review and a copy will be e-mailed to you.

If your organization is approved for use at Point Defiance, distribution of permission slips would be through the District's on-line portal, Peachjar, just as it is for other non-District sponsored organizations.

Thank you, Carla J. Santorno



From: Joshua Garcia Sent:Mon, 14 Nov 2016 16:22:27 GMT
To: SUSAN SCHREURS

**Export** 

Subject: RE: Email to the school board

Nicely stated, thank you!

From: SUSAN SCHREURS

Sent: Monday, November 14, 2016 8:04 AM

**To:** sgalligang@aol.com

Cc: KAREN VIALLE; ANDREA COBB; SCOTT HEINZE; CATHERINE USHKA; CARLA SANTORNO; JOSHUA GARCIA; DANIEL VOELPEL;

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Subject: Email to the school board

Dear Mr. and Ms. Galligan:

This is in response to your email to the Board of Directors expressing concern for the decision to allow the After School Satan Club to use a meeting room at one of our schools after school hours.

When taking office School Directors swear to uphold the laws of the State of Washington and the United States. As required by state law, the District must allow the use of school facilities "for meetings, whether public, literary, scientific, religious, political, mechanical, agricultural or whatever." The District has made its facilities available to a wide variety of outside users after school hours, including clubs that study the Bible. The United States Supreme Court has ruled that school districts cannot discriminate on the basis of a group' or club's viewpoint.

The District does not sponsor or endorse the After School Satan Club. It is simply making its facility available after school hours on a nondiscriminatory basis. Whether any student attends the ASSC will be a decision that the parents of the students make, not the District.

Sincerely,

SUSAN SCHREURS
Interim General Counsel
Tacoma School District #10
P.O. Box 1357
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From: Carla Santorno Sent:Tue, 22 Nov 2016 07:18:52 GMT

To: Daniel Voelpel

Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Do you have our crafted response?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: CATHERINE USHKA < CUSHKA@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Date: November 20, 2016 at 7:47:49 PM PST

To: CARLA SANTORNO < CSANTOR@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > Subject: Fwd: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

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Catherine

Begin forwarded message:

From: Ken Lloyd < lken352@gmail.com> Date: November 20, 2016 at 7:28:24 PM PST

To: acobb@tacoma.k12.wa.us, kvialle@tacoma.k12.wa.us, cushka@tacoma.k12.wa.us, sheinze@tacoma.k12.wa.us

Subject: Action Needed: destructive "school clubs"

Greetings Tacoma School Board members,

I wanted to take a moment of your time to go over an article from the News Tribune entitled, "Tacoma parents plead to keep satan club out of elementary schools".

This is a growing issue within our public school systems to cater to the ideology of satanism by organizations that are dedicated to steering our children towards radicalism and away from a moral mindset, " do as you wish, not what is right".

The responses from administrators that this "club" cannot be prevented from becoming a school campus activity due to other after school clubs and programs is absurd in my honest opinion. We as parents, teachers, and administrators have a great responsibility to protect our children and students from harmful and not-sound doctrine, and ensure they are getting the nurturing and education that growing minds need to succeed. The after school satan club does nothing to accomplish this, but only provides indoctrination to a cult level ideology that leads to self-destruction, as it is anti-moral in nature and definition. Please don't just take my word for it - if you are unfamiliar with the beliefs, teachings, practices, and association of this system, please take some time to review and understand what you are tacitly allowing our children to be exposed to and then try to tell us with a straight face that this is acceptable.

The outcry is clear, and I urge this decision to be reconsidered and re-reviewed below allowing such a travesty to impact our children and education community in a heavily negative manner. There are manners to resolve this in which the school district doesn't have to fear ligation or court proceedings by Lucian Graves' organization and can once again gain the favor of the parents and administrators of the young students impacted. It is your duty to explore ALL options in order to protest this travesty and is expected as you are representatives of the people, not self serving organizations.

With that said, please strive to do what is right, not politically motivated. It's our voices that need to be heard, no matter the position. I wish you all the best in virtuous endeavors, for the sake of the being moral, but also wish you to be bold when it comes to protecting our children and the integrity of educational institutions. Thanks and best wishes from a concerned parent.

Respectfully,

Ken Lloyd



From: Stephen Murakami Sent:Fri, 02 Sep 2016 14:40:39 GMT

To: PAUL KOCH; STEPHEN STORY

Subject: Fwd: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Let's get clear on our role for outside use of our facilities.

Paul, please confirm the Facility Use operations. I'm under the impression that we do not make determinations or give approvals for use unless it does not conform to the physical space (for Code or safety related issues). We would process the agreement side, payment, contracts, insurance, etc.

Please review and respond to the thread below.

Thanks,

Steve

Begin forwarded message:

From: OLGA LAY < <u>OLAY@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US</u>> Date: August 30, 2016 at 3:57:06 PM PDT

To: MCMINIMEE SHANNON < SMCMINI@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > , NEIL OBRIEN < nobrien@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US > , LISA BOYD

<lboyd2@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, ERIC KONISHI < EKONISH@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Cc: ŠTEPHEN MURAKAMI < smuraka@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, PAUL KOCH < PKOCH@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, CHRISTA EROLIN

< cerolin@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, RITA CHAUDHURI < RCHAUDH@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>, SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN < slindsa@Tacoma.K12.Wa.US>

Subject: RE: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Thanks all.... Olga

From: MCMINIMEE SHANNON

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 30, 2016 3:40 PM

To: NEIL OBRIEN; OLGA LAY; LISA BOYD; ERIC KONISHI

Cc: STEPHEN MURAKAMI; PAUL KOCH; CHRISTA EROLIN; RITA CHAUDHURI; SANDRA LINDSAY-BROWN

Subject: Good News Clubs Club/After School Satan Club - AC PRIV

Neil, Olga, Lisa, and Eric,



Let me know if you have any questions or feel like a meeting would be beneficial.

Best regards,

Shannon Mc Minimee

General Counsel

**Tacoma Public Schools**