

## Aaron Baer: East Parent Representative Candidate

Aaron is a Business Analyst and SQL developer. He comes from a family that believes in getting involved and working to make your environment a better place. His father was involved in his HOA until the day he passed and Aaron has inherited his determination to invest time, talent, and hard work into our community, making our school the best it can be. He has dedicated eighteen years to the same company working his way up from an entry level position to management without the benefit of a degree. This makes him organized, focused, and determined. Some might say stubborn, but aren't we all about the things that really matter. Our Children matter.

We are all invested in our school succeeding. Aaron is determined to continue moving the school in a better direction. He is well versed in seeking out the strengths of both himself and the people around him, making use of the communal pool of talents to work out the best path to the goal. Very concerned about the school and it's future, he has already been attending Vanguard Board meetings. The recent Charter Proceedings were his introduction to this level of administration with its responsibilities and roles. He's not afraid of the effort required by all of us to make this school a lasting legacy for us all.

As a Parent Representative Aaron will be sure to work to protect the school and make sure that it's there to serve the children and the community. To do that he believes that the school needs to be both financially stable and ethically sound. There is a strong board in play now moving in a better direction and he believes he could be a useful and productive member of it. Events have occurred in the past that have tarnished the reputation of the school but not broken it. He wants to make sure that this history doesn't define Vanguard Classical School. He is focused on our school having a long future to look forward to as well.

Aaron will bring a concerned parent's perspective to the board. He is not a professional board member, but he is a concerned Father. His focus is getting Vanguard prepared for the long haul. A five-year charter renewal is near the top of his list of concerns, making sure that Vanguard is providing it's unique and ethical approach to character and academic development for today's kindergarteners as they become tomorrows graduates. Along with this he intends to bring his focus on improving transparency and communication between board, school, and families. He believes that this is the best way to serve and improve the school that we all love and want to see move forward into the future.