

# CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF

SANDPOINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of <u>SANDPOINT CHRISTIAN</u>
SCHOOL, INC.

duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Incorporation and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Dated December 12 , 19 83



SECRETARY OF STATE

Corporation Clerk

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

## SANDPOINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

## A Non-Profit Corporation

We, the undersigned, all residents of the State of Idaho and citizens of the United States of America, of full age of majority, have, for the purpose of forming a non-profit corporation, adopted the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### ARTICLE I

#### Preamble

Believing in the scriptural mandate to train up our children in the way that they should go and in the desirability of concerted effort in providing a Christian education for our children, we do hereby make and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

# ARTICLE II

Name

The name of this corporation shall be SANDPOINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

## ARTICLE III

Duration

The period of duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

# ARTICLE IV

## Location

The place in this State where the principal office of the

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#### ARTICLE V

#### Statement of Faith

- (1) The inspiration of the Bible, equally, in all parts, and without error in its origin. The supreme authority of the Bible in all matters of faith and practice.
- (2) The one God, eternally existent Father, Son and Holy Spirit, who created man by a direct, immediate act.
- (3) The pre-existence, incarnation, virgin birth, sinless life, miracles, substitutionary death, bodily resurrection, ascension to Heaven, and the second coming of the Lord Jesus Christ.
- (4) The fall and sinfulness of man, the need of regeneration by the Holy Spirit on the basis of grace alone by personal faith in Jesus Christ, and the resurrection of all to life on the basis of faith in Christ or to damnation based on rejection of Christ.
- (5) The spiritual relationship of all believers in the Lord Jesus Christ living a life of righteous works, separated from the world, witnessing of His saving grace through the ministry of the Holy Spirit.

#### ARTICLE VI

# Purposes

The purpose of this corporation is to provide for and give children that week-day instruction which is in agreement with the

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preceding Article. This corporation is a charitable, religious, educational and non-profit corporation, within the scope of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 and the amendments thereafter. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributed to any of its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the preceding Article. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of any propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence any legislation and the corporation shall not participate in nor intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. standing any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law.

#### ARTICLE VII

## Membership

Membership in the corporation is without regard to sex or race. To become a member, parents, guardians and other interested persons must apply for membership, pay their dues, and have a personal interview with the Board of Directors or its designated

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representative. The interview may be waived by the Board of Directors. Membership in the corporation is of two (2) kinds:

- with the Articles of Incorporation and remain current in corporation dues. All parents of current students whose registration is paid and who are in agreement with said Articles shall be considered active members. All other interested persons may become active members by paying dues to be established by the Board of Directors. Active members may serve as members of committees, attend corporation meetings, and shall have corporation voting privileges. New members shall be required to have Board approval. All Board members must be active members.
- agree with the Articles of Incorporation and shall be required to have Board approval for membership. Associate members may serve as members of committees, attend corporation meetings, and participate in corporation meetings.

  Associate members shall be required to pay dues equal to one-fifth (1/5) of active members dues.

To remove an individual from membership in the corporation, a request must be made in writing to the Board of Directors. To remove an individual from membership, it must be demonstrated to the Board of Directors that the individual in question has not lived up to the obligations of membership. In such cases, the Board of Directors shall remove said member from membership only after notice in writing has been given to the member in question at least two (2) weeks prior to the Board meeting at which such recommendation is made.

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#### ARTICLE VIII

#### Powers

This corporation shall have all the powers granted corporations under the laws of the State of Idaho. The exercise of such functions and powers shall be only in the furtherance of the exempt purposes of such organizations as required by the Internal Revenue Code. The corporation shall have the incidental powers to do everything necessary, suitable or proper for the accomplishment, attainment or furtherance of, to do every other act or thing incidental to, appurtenant to, growing out of or connected with the purposes, objects or powers set forth in these Articles of Incorporation whether alone or in association with others, to possess all the rights, powers and privileges now or hereafter conferred by the laws of the State of Idaho upon a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Idaho, and in general to carry out all of the activities and to do any of the things herein set forth to the same extent and as fully as a mature person or partnership might or could do, provided that nothing herein set forth shall be construed as authorizing the corporation to possess any purpose, object or power, or to do any thing or act forbidden by the laws to a non-profit corporation.

#### ARTICLE IX

## Directors

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a

Board of Directors who shall be members of this corporation. The

Board shall consist of not less than the number required by the laws

of the State of Idaho, and under no circumstances less than five

(5). The number and qualifications of the Board of Directors

shall be set forth in the By-Laws. The Board of Directors shall

conduct all of the business of this corporation except that

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business specifically delegated to an executive committee or other committee or other officer to which its authority may be lawfully delegated as it becomes necessary in fulfillment of the corporate purposes. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of seven (7) persons and shall be chosen by and from the Sandpoint Christian School, Inc., during its annual meeting. The term of office shall be two (2) years, and three (3) or four (4) members shall be elected on alternating years.

# ARTICLE X

#### Election of Directors

Directors of this corporation shall be elected in the manner provided for by the By-Laws of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE XI

# Incorporators

The names and addresses of the incorporators are:

- 1. Clem Yeakel, P. O. Box 486, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864
- 2. Rod Maisel, P. O. Box 1826, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864
- 3. Darwin Hall, 8005 Hickey Road, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864
- 4. Tanja Sims, Box 121, Sagle, Idaho 83860
- 5. Robert Munts, 4880 Highway 95 N, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864.
- 6. Lloyd White, 3405 Fruitdale Road, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864
- 7. John Schaeffner, Box 390, Sagle, Idaho 83860

## ARTICLE XII

## Board of Directors

The following are the names and addresses of the first Board of Directors to serve until successors are elected and qualified pursuant to the By-Laws of this corporation:

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# ARTICLE XIII

#### Address

The address of the initial registered office of this corporation is as follows: 301 Olive, Sandpoint, Idaho 83864

The name of the registered agent of this corporation at the above address is Robert Gruner

## ARTICLE XIV

## Non-Discrimination

This corporation shall at no time discriminate against any person on the grounds of race, creed, color, age, sex or national origin.

#### ARTICLE XV

# Distribution or Dissolution

This corporation is one which does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to the members thereof, and is organized solely for non-profit purposes. Upon the winding up or dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which

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is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious and/or scientific purposes, and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law. If this corporation holds any assets on trust, such assets shall be disposed of in such a manner as may be directed by decree of the District Court of the county in which this corporation's principal office is located upon petition therefor by the Attorney General or by any person concerned in the liquidation of this corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this  $7^{44}$  day of December, 1983.

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STATE OF IDAHO, :ss. County of Bonner, CLEM YEAKEL, DARWIN HALL, TANJA SIMS, LLOYD WHITE, and JOHN SCHAEFFNER, having personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho, on the day of December, 1983, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the PUBLIC Residing at Commission expires STATE OF IDAHO, :ss. County of Bonner, ROD MAISEL, having personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho, on the day of December, 1983, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. PUBLIC State Residing at SANDEDIA Commission expires STATE OF IDAHO, ) :ss. County of Bonner,

ROBERT MUNTS, having personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho, on the RM day of December, 1983, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

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