

Skycrest Elementary School
School Advisory Council
Meeting Minutes
January 10, 2023

5:30pm in Skycrest Cafeteria

Attendees: Ariana Turner, Robert Davis, Ralph Hdez, Rosa Rayosli, Mr. and Mrs. Howell, Isabel Santos, Liz Auderer, Leah Weekes-Charles, Kevin Wiley, Jessica Wiley, Ms. Beltra Cruz, Lisa Pier, Anne Caparaso, Watalica Augusto, Elsa Maria Hernandez
Quorum Established

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| I. | Call to Order at 3:41pm | Chairperson Karasick |
| II. | Welcome & Introductions
Introduced all members present | Chairperson Karasick |
| III. | Review of Minutes: November 15, 2022
Reviewed and accepted as presented | Secretary Pierzchalski |
| IV. | Principal's Discussion | Mrs. Caparaso |
- a. Updates – School State of Address:
 - o Enhancements have been added (cafeteria tables, picnic tables, media center carpet, Pre-K playground, Teachers' Lounge).
 - o Media Center will be getting new furniture soon.
 - o PE Bathroom building coming soon.
 - o Caparaso went over data and showed that our proficiency in ELA and math went up from our first progress monitoring session (FAST testing) to our second one.
 - o School grade this year is only based on ELA, Math, and Science in third-fifth grade.
 - o Primary grades have different testing to measure their progress.
 - o Title One funding goes to provide us with: a full time social worker, interventionists, reading coach, instructional materials, paid collaborative planning, and parent and family engagement nights.
 - o Professional learning plan was discussed by Caparaso, which involves using data from first progress monitoring to second to help student growth.
 - o *7 Habits of Healthy Kids* book and *Leader in Me* program were explained.
 - o Caparaso explained the uses of PTA membership money and encouraged parents to encourage others to join.
 - o Events for second semester were presented.

V. Old Business Mrs. Caparaso
Reviewed items from last meeting – discussed PBIS program that SAC funds purchased

VI. New Business Chairperson Karasick
Updates – remaining funds to use to support SIP

SAC Funds: 2022-2023 Current balance is \$493.29

A parent recommended having stickers with dates of events that can be put into students' agendas. Some of the parents are not listening to the messages so this may help.

It was also suggested that SAC meeting information could be put into agendas to increase parent attendance.

VII. Next Meeting: April 11, 2023

VIII. Adjournment at 3:54pm Chairperson Karasick