

Tuesday, January 10, 2023

SAC Meeting Minutes

Start Time 4:00pm - End Time 5:08pm | Fireplace Room



Welcome & Introduction

Attendance

- 9 in-person

Review of November, 8 2022 minutes

- Minutes approved

Principal's Update - Ms. Bockover

- Staff Update
 - Mrs. Megan Hanewinkel is now 4th Grade Math/Science
 - Ms. Oblinger from P23 to Title 1 Hourly
 - Mrs. Lopez to Title 1 Hourly
 - Mrs. Raab new Behavior Specialist
 - Mrs. Barry Title 1 Hourly is currently on leave
 - Mrs. Finocchi 3rd grade teacher is currently on leave
 - 3 MBA (Medical Behavior Associate) Positions posted
- Upcoming Events
 - Ready, Set, Kindergarten 1/18, Literacy Week 1/23-27, 1/24 Drama Club Performance, KITCY silly string 1/27, 100th Day of School 1/30, Walk/Roll to school 2/1, Potentiall retainee notifications go home 2/3, Teacher of the Year celebration 2/8, Field Day 3/10
- Upcoming Field Trips
 - Kindergarten Challenge Island 1/13, 2nd Grade James Museum 1/25 and 1/26, 3rd Grade Mahaffey 1/19, 4th and 5th Grade Student Summit 1/25

PRIDE Update - Ms. Stewart

- 5th grade students represent their school in writing, social studies, or math and science (math and science through testing results). Winning Students will be recognized in April at Ruth Eckerd Hall

ASD School Improvement Plan - Ms. Cortnie Cullen

- ACCESS Class helps students with lower IQs target and work on skills that are most helpful for their individual needs. Students are primarily 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders, and are not required to meet grade criteria, but still given access to the material. Students can test out of ACCESS.
- Staff includes 2 VE units, 2 SLP Speech and Language Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapist (part-time), Behavior Specialist (ASD and GenEd), and MBA for Pre-K unit. Staff attends trainings throughout the year including education on zones of defense, Identifying emotions, and MELD board training.
- ASD has their own field trip fund, which they have used for Rock the Spectrum and will use for Zoo Tampa.
 - ASD can also join GenEd for one field trip each school year.
- ASD students take the same tests (unless on ACCESS) as GenEd with special accommodations listed in each student's plan.
- A Sensory Room was created through community and parent donations, Spirit Night, ASD t-shirt sales, and a Pinellas Co. Grant
- MELD Communication board (Multi-Sensory Early Language Development) are placed in ASD classrooms and throughout the school. New signs will be introduced via Morning News to familiarize GenEd students on how to use the boards to communicate with ASD friends.

Third Grade Presentation - Ms. Kristen Vrbos

- 7 classes average (16 students per class for GenEd)
 - 3 self-contained, 2 departmentalized, and 2 ASD
- Currently working on comparing fractions along with math fundamentals. Utilizing McGraw Hill Math Workbook and Dreambox
- Students are learning about magnets, and will be working on measuring mass and changing states. Classes utilize the Science Lab, and plan to go to Weedon Island and MOSI on science-based field trips.
- In ELA, students are asking themselves "How do our experiences help us find our way?" through studying personal stories and adventures like Charlottes Web. Students are identifying character traits, feelings, motivations, and mood. Classes utilize the Florida Matrix from University of Florida, IStation, Title 1 and ESE support
- In Social Studies, students are asking themselves "What can we learn from maps?" Students receive 10 minutes of Social Studies Monday through Thursday, and 30 minutes on Fridays. Teachers review student data Tuesdays, do grade book planning on Wednesdays, and collaborative planning on Thursdays. Students will go to The Mahaffey to see Grace for President.

Title 1 Update - Ms. Bockover

- 6 JRGR Running Record Kits were purchased (2 kits K-1, and 4 kits 3-6)
- We will discuss Title 1 2023-24 school year next SAC meeting

SAC-PTA Liaison Report - Em Johnson

- Next PTA meeting is Tuesday, January 17th

Open Agenda

- The question was asked "How can we improve the community's opinion of North Shore?"

Next SAC meeting will be held Tuesday, February 14th at 4pm