

Newberry Academy of Math and Science

Local School Council

Meeting Minutes

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| Meeting Date: | 20 November 2017 | Attendees: | Edward Collins, Assistant Principal Linda Foley, Principal Andrea Bonanno, Teacher Rep Chris McGuire, Parent Rep Kathleen Haggerty, Community Rep Patrick Cullen: Community Rep Viki Gullo, Non-Teacher Rep Lydia Murray, Parent Rep Tim Kramer – Parent Rep Cindy Wahtola, Parent Cully Wahtola, Parent Rep |
| Next Meeting Date: | 18 December 2017 | | |

| Item No. | Description |
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| 2017-11-20.01 | The meeting convened at 6:33. Introductions were made. Public Comment: No comment |
| 2017-11-20.02 | Review and Approval of Minutes from October Meeting Linda Moved. Kathy second. All were in favor Minutes were approved |
| 2017-11-20.03 | LSC Training Nothing to report |

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| <p>2017-11-20.04</p> | <p>Principal's Report</p> <p>Competency A:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added one Special Education Teacher to the group going to Gust training • Had School improvement day Focused on Leader In Me • TLIM Community Coaching and Professional Development. Day 1 was for Principals and Day 2 for other Staff <p>Competency B:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff are attending Learning Summits for Math, Science, ELA and Social Studies. There are learning expectations for the teachers to share with others when they come back. • Working on Middle School Development Social Emotional Learning and Development • We had a Red Ribbon Week that was spearheaded by Ms. Corbiere • Multi-Tiered Systems of Support meeting to review student progress, and identify any necessary changes <p>Competency C:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Librarian and circulation desk check-ins in the library. • Student led tours are being used with prospective families • Network-led walk-through during the school day. Had a meeting at Bell School to help struggling schools. Linda is the lead principal • Student Light House is happening during the school day. <p>Competency D:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poptober meetings • There have been 2 Title 1 Parent Advisor meetings led by Jasmine Alexander <p>Competency E:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The focus this year is on writing in instruction. Focus on consistent and cohesive writing instruction • PDP meeting focus around MTSS, data driven instruction and literacy development • Met with Kiljoong Kim to discuss possibility to collaborate with him on data on how to evaluate teacher capacity disaggregating MAP data and understanding the impact of outside factors on student performance (i.e. Time on task, student mobility) <p>We have had minimal discipline issues this year</p> <p>There was an incident on Thursday at dismissal. When kids were exiting they saw 6 girls (non-Newberry students) on the sidewalk and they were starting to taunt the kids. When the Principal arrived she asked them to leave the school property. The police were called and when they arrived the kids had left. The kids were identified and it was reported to Safety and Security. Never any contact, but wanted to prevent any incident.</p> |
| <p>2017-11-20.05</p> | <p>Budget Reviewed 332 Fund Summary 225 Fund Summary Budget Transfers Internal Accounts Summary Internal Accounts Reconciliation</p> |
| <p>2017-11-20.06</p> | <p>Buildings and Grounds The water project will start to be in front of the school shortly. There is a plan as the project gets bigger and more disruptive. They are making a section to help with teacher parking. CPD was here today to help overseeing these things.</p> <p>Engineer working on the boiler</p> |

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| 2017-11-20.07 | <p>Friends of Newberry/PTO Fundraising continues. Poptober was very successful. Sales were great. Grossed about \$32,000 Report card pick up had a raffle. Book Fair was successful. Title 1 parent staffed the book fair.</p> <p>Teachers get \$100 scholastic dollars</p> |
| 2017-11-20.08 | <p>Personnel Advisory Requested and received another Special Education position. This would fill inclusion minutes that are currently not being met.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.09 | <p>Communication/Technology No verbal Tuesday Newsdays due to direction from CPS HQ. Moving to emails for now. Regarding the retired teacher position, we still have tech support needs. We are looking to transition that Retired Teacher Position to someone that can help to troubleshoot and help with tech needs and issues.</p> <p>Chromebooks, and Smartboard items approved at the last meeting have already come in.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.10 | <p>PPLC Looking at data gathered based on teacher input to see how they will make recommendations about writing instruction.</p> <p>We have much more teacher involvement with the PPLC.</p> <p>Looking at Leader In Me and how it can be infused into the curriculum.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.11 | <p>Principal Evaluation</p> <p>5:30 Monday 11/27 – LSC will meet to start going through it.</p> <p>We are getting feedback in from parents.</p> <p>Still awaiting the data which is required to do the evaluation.</p> <p>Need 3 things to conduct: Feedback from parents, teachers, and the data.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.12 | <p>Bilingual Advisory Committee Ms. Reis just sent out an email for a meeting next week. The student access scores were given to parents at Report card pick up.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.13 | <p>Least Restrictive Environment Meeting with the Gust Foundation. Had some time for the parents to understand how we are working towards a more inclusive environment. ODLSS School Provide review is coming up on 12/7</p> |
| 2017-11-20.14 | <p>Title 1 Advisory We have a board in place. Book Fair was their first event that they managed. We will have Jasmine added to the Agenda moving forward.</p> |
| 2017-11-20.15 | <p>Tim Kramer moved to Adjourn, Pat Second. Meeting adjourned at 7:24 pm.</p> |

The foregoing constitutes our understanding of matters discussed and conclusions reached. Other participants are requested to review these items and advise the originator in writing of any errors or omissions.