



Cherokee County School District
 School Council
 Meeting Minutes Notes

Macedonia Elementary
 School Council

DATE: 10/18/2022

MEETING TIME: 7:30 AM

MEETING LOCATION: Media Center

MEETING CALLED BY	Mrs. Christy Rich
TYPE OF MEETING	Regular Meeting
PRINCIPAL	Mrs. Christy Rich
NOTE TAKER	Kate Link - Secretary
BOARD ATTENDEES	Joey Gangi, Kirsten Hargadon, Mike Link, Patty Nay, Pamela Estes, Tenille Turner, Sarah Rutkowski
GUEST ATTENDEESS	Tracy Roach, Tina Word, and the 2022-2023 5 th Grade Student Council Representatives: Josh Ou, Elisa Ebrahimi, Harper Rancourt, Michael Link, Emma Murdoch, William Robida, Avery Wyatt, Kenny Furman, Ellie Parrott, Sebastian Carreon, Lily Belle Burrus, McKenna Burke

Agenda Items

TIME ALLOTTED: 5 minutes

TOPIC: Call to Order

PRESENTER: Mrs. Rich

DISCUSSION	Call to Order, Introductions, Agenda Review, and Approval of Agenda	
CONCLUSIONS	Patty Nay motioned to approve the minutes from September 13 th , 2022 and Tenille Turner seconded the motion. Everyone agreed in approval of the minutes.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
No action items.		

• TIME ALLOTTED: 3 minutes

TOPIC: Reports

PRESENTER: Mrs. Rich

DISCUSSION	Mrs. Christy Rich updated us on ROAR Run results. The goal was to raise \$52k and we obtained \$60k. We discussed whether it would be better to spend the extra money raised on the sun shades or more Chromebooks. The quote for the sun shades was \$53k. All 12 members of the student Council and the SAC agreed it is best to spend the money on Chromebooks for the classrooms.	
CONCLUSIONS	The new playground is planning to be installed in February or March 2023. The county agreed to pay for the concrete for the playground area.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Mike Link will email a list of questions for the county office to Mrs. Rich inquiring about the county's financial obligations	Mike Link	



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- TIME ALLOTTED: 10 minutes
- TOPIC: School Improvement Plan
- PRESENTER: Tracy Roach

DISCUSSION	Tracy Roach presented us the results of last year's SIP goals and our future goals and plan to execute. Last year the goal was to grow our percentage of distinguished learners by 3%. Macedonia exceeded this goal in ELA (17% to 21%) and met our goal in Math (24% to 27%.) This data is based on Milestone results. Our goal over the next 3 years is to grow the percentage of proficient and distinguished learners by 9% in Math and ELA. William Robida and Sebastian Carreon suggested more time for peer tutoring to better prepare upcoming 3 rd graders for milestones.	
CONCLUSIONS	The School Improvement Action plan consists of teacher clarity, small groups, and family Engagement focusing on individual students learning goals.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Mrs. Word will discuss peer tutoring options with Student Council	Mrs. Word	

- TIME ALLOTTED: 5 minutes
- TOPIC: Class Size and Financial Information
- PRESENTER: Mrs. Rich

DISCUSSION	Mrs. Rich told us the class sizes range from 18-23 this year. Mrs. Rich also presented the budget line items for all discretionary, state/federal funds, and district funds. Only 10% of discretionary funds can be used on staff appreciation. Mrs. Turner informed us that having a technology class is up to the principal.	
CONCLUSIONS	We all agreed we would like to keep class sizes to these numbers.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
No action items.		

- TIME ALLOTTED: 5 minutes
- TOPIC: Technology
- PRESENTER: Mrs. Rich

DISCUSSION	Mrs. Rich presented the student laptop specifications. She also told us Dell offers a discount for students. Mrs. Turner shared that the estimated cost of 28 Chromebooks, 1 cart, and etching is \$11,500. We discussed that once Chromebooks are purchased from PTA they become property of the CCSD and CCSD can take the Chromebooks when they are deemed end of life.	
CONCLUSIONS	Mrs. Nay and Mrs. Rich will investigate how many Chromebooks will be end of life soon.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Mrs. Rich and Mrs. Nay will determine how many Chromebooks are considered end of life.	Mrs. Nay and Mrs. Rich	

- TIME ALLOTTED: 5 minutes
- TOPIC: Future Agenda Items / Public Comment
- PRESENTER: Mrs. Rich



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DISCUSSION	Mr. Gangi asked if the SAC can meet with the PTA Executive Board to discuss the additional funds raised from the ROAR Run.	
CONCLUSIONS	We all agreed it would be great to meet with them.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Christy Rich will request a meeting with the PTA Board	Mrs. Rich	
AJOURNMENT CALLED BY	Mrs. Christy Rich	
TIME	8:50 AM	
NEXT MEETING	February 28 th , 2023 7:30 AM in media center or sooner if there is any update on technology	
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