

# RMS Community Council Agenda



Meeting Date: October 17, 2023

Meeting Location: MPR

## 1. Call to Order

5:50pm

### Attendance-

Jess & Laura- Co-Presidents

Brianna & Kadean - Family Engagement

Cyndi - Treasurer

Nikki - Secretary

Katie- Fundraising

Tenniel

Staff: Crystal A., Jen M., Lindsey S. Julia V., Ali R., Kim M., Meaghan F.,

Sal M. - Superintendent

David Daye - Operations of Magnet Schools

Christina Pemberton - Ass. Super

Sarah Burke - Superintendent SSS

Jessica Gomez-Bedosky-

a. Welcome and short introductions

## 2. Minutes

a. Review minutes from meeting on September 18, 2023

## 3. Officers' Reports

a. President's Report: Fall dance review and Latin dance lessons

Dance - Great attendance

Latin Dance Lessons - Arthur Murray (Hispanic Heritage)

b. Treasurer's Report: What we have spent money on since school started

Dance Lessons, Pumpkins - storybook characters, Voting box and decorations

Venmo set up

#### 4. Committee Reports

a. Fundraising: How are pies/cookies selling, how many families are participating

As of this week - 3,700 profit

Appr. 60 families participation

Ends 10/24

b. Family Engagement: Playdates and Parents Night Out

Playdate was rained out PK/K- Working on weather friendly

EH Public Library (indoor)

Lego playdate PK-2 @ EH Raymond Library

Library cards,

Parent's Night out at Parkville Market in Hartford

Trivia Night 11/7 flier to

Lunch with a Scholar (link is on our Facebook Page & in Newsletter)

Starts 10/20

Passes will be given to Families with expectations

#### 5. Principal's Report

Building Community and Relationships and Shifting to Assessments and Data

IReady started and will be touching on F

School Council -

2 students from each classroom

Why and what we should talk about

Scholar Ambassadors - 5th grader

Support PK & K scholars during arrival, outdoor learning, dismissal and any other classroom events

## 6. Unfinished (old) Business

a. None

## 7. New Business

a. Book Fair

October 28th - November 3rd

Open Trunk or Treat and late Wednesday

2 passes for each classroom to go and purchase books

b. Trunk or Treat 35 trunks

October 28th

Storybook Pumpkin Contest

Voting on the best and to take one home

C. Junior Achievement

February 23rd - More information to follow

Partner with Pratt & Whitney and The Hartford

Need parent volunteers to teach the classrooms

Training and Materials provided

## 8. Announcements

a. Next meeting date: Tuesday December 5th @ 5:45pm

## 9. Adjournment from RCC.. 6:10pm

## 10. Welcome to Superintendent Dr. Sal Menzo

a. Set up a system development to support our Elementary, Middle and High School

b. Initial Policies (100) to be ready to move forward (in process)

- c. Core Beliefs as our community of learners and educators
- d. School Development Plans (on website - Beginning, Middle, End of the year)
- e. Curriculum and Structure

Great School Partnership (Maine) In process

To support and create standards in all content areas with curricula units

Science of Reading (workshops for Leadership)

Reading program moving from Elementary to Middle Grades

Math (Kidum)

- f. New Technology High School on Goodwin University campus

4 areas on high technology

288 students

Businesses will have the opportunity to work with scholars.

Juniors work on their capstones

Seniors will work on internships

- g. Collaborating with other districts for funding and revenue

- h. We need your support

Huge deficit 2024

Submit or Present Testimonials to support our district

- i. Support the New Families coming in and adapting to our school-wide expectations

Possibly having them delay start with meeting staff and teachers before the Fall

DESA Screening

IHS

CIAC - Sports

- j. Elizabeth Sheffield

Alumni

You tube show (January)

