



MINUTES

Date | time 10/20/2023 | 7:30 am | Location WBMS PLR

SGC Members

Rebecca Williams, Principal X | Erin Schuler (Vice-Chair), Elected Staff X | Mia Awad, Appointed Staff X | Nicole Mabry, Appointed Community Member X | Shaunda Edmonds, Elected Parent X | Melissa Turner (Chair), Elected Parent XI Phebe Connors, Appointed Community Member X | Shadia Anderson, Appointed Staff X Lindsey Patterson (Parliamentarian), Elected Staff X | Aparna Thirumurthy, Elected Parent X

Time	Item	Owner
7:30 am	Call to Order - Turner	Mrs. Turner
7:31 am	Action Item: Approve Agenda Motion: Schuler Second: Connors	Mrs. Turner
7:33 am	Action Items: Approve August meeting minutes. Motion: Mabry Second: Connors	Mrs. Turner
7:35 am	Information Item <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Principal Update Hispanic Heritage Day: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Great assembly and students loved dancing! Some of our students participated and enjoyed showing their culture. PBIS/ Unity Popcorn Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We noticed high participation. GA Health Survey: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Since COVID we have not taken this survey, but all staff and students are required to take this survey. - Survey is sent out in Friday Notes to parents to fill out the survey as well. PLC Check-ins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mrs. Williams is checking in with all PLCs across the school. She is meeting with them to check in about how the year is going. - She is loving hearing about the successes and possible struggles from the teachers. Classwise: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teachers can now see the students' laptops. - Administrators is appreciating the aspect of looking at student's laptops to see common sites and how that is impacting their behavior. - Nice to give teachers a chance to send a message rather than calling them out in class verbally. - Goal is to make students aware through the morning announcements. - Semester Action Plan First Goal (Belongings):	Ms. Williams

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teachers are aware of the students that are not feeling connected so that teachers can zone in on the students that need that care. - All assemblies and character-building days are set to help these students as well. <p>Second Goal (Data showing growth):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Every content chair has a goal to work on and make an action plan. <p>Third Goal (RTI)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Know all the worry students and are diving into those students through growth with reading with each class. - The below grade level students are placed in classes to support. - Service-learning reads are done and helping with the development of reading skills and comprehension. - Extended Learning is beginning next week to help the students that need extra support. 	
7:50 am	<p>Discussion Item: Flexible Spending Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - None. 	Ms. Williams
7:55 am	<p>Information Item: Service-Learning Update</p> <p>6th Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All sections of the service-learning book are done except “Isabel” which will be done in December. - Three 7th graders helped film a Character Council video to 6th grade to promote the opportunities and fun they had while on council. - 93 (6th grade) Character Council applications came in! - 10/19 was the first Character Council meeting. <p>7th Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 59 applicants for 2023–2024-character council - We will select approximately 21 more council members; we have 4 leaders and 5 additional students recommended last year. - 7th Grade will refer students who are not selected to The Interact Club sponsored by Rotary club with Mrs. Kornegay. - 7th grade team reached out to Awtrey Mill Middle School to share their service information and form a partnership. <p>8th Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10/31- Applications for Character Council will close. - 11/3- council members are chosen. - 11/17- 8th grade will join 6th grade in the Daffodil Project. - During Compass paper chain links will be completed and displayed on 11/3. - 11/10- First 8th grade Character Council meeting. 	Ms. Patterson
8:00 am	<p>Discussion Item: Fall Cross Council Meetings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wednesday, November 1 (10:00am – 11:30am) – North Learning Center [Rooms 106/107/111] • Thursday, November 2 (2:00pm – 3:30pm) – FCS Admin Building [Room 176 A/B] 	Mrs. Turner
8:05 am	<p>Discussion Item: Website Audit</p>	Mrs. Turner

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fully compliant. - Missing one agenda that was there but just mislabeled. - Dates were out of order for one month. 	
8:10 am	<p>Discussion Item: Further Discuss/Brainstorm on 8th grade Service-Learning Assistance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Field Trip ○ Application of the service ● Turner reached out to Creekview ES and asked if they need students to help in any way. ● Alpharetta High School puts out a yearly service list that students can take a part in. We would just need to eliminate some to adapt for middle schoolers. ● Wills Park is building a new playground and could be a great opportunity to involve students. ● Webb Bridge Park might have some opportunities. ● Sandwich Project can be a great opportunity. ● Paint touch-ups could be an at-school event for students to participate in. ● Reading or singing to nursing homes. ● Little Helpers of ATL has non-profits that is in our area to help. ● Pebble Tossers (small fee) but safe activities that schools can participate. Primary goal of this program is to build leadership with service. ● Trees ATL- Non-profits to help tree growth. ● Chattahoochee Nature Center has river clean-up days. ● Canine Assistance- trains service dogs. ● Fur Kids- Reading to animals and service. 	Mrs. Turner
8:25 am	<p>Discussion Item: Public Comments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - None. 	Ms. Schuler
8:27 am	<p>Discussion Item: Set Next Meeting Agenda</p> <p>Motion: Turner</p> <p>Second: Connors</p>	Mrs. Turner
8:30 am	<p>Action Item: Meeting Adjournment</p> <p>Motion: Turner</p> <p>Second: Patterson</p>	Mrs. Turner

Meeting Norms

Operate with a focus on Clarity, Culture and Communication | Be Prompt and Present | Make student-driven decisions | Silence cell phones | Be respectful to others | Actively and professionally engage in the council work.

Upcoming Meetings

November 17 | December 15 | January 19 | February 16 | March 15 | April 19 | May 17 | June 21