

MEETING NOTES

New Prospect Elementary School Governance Council

Date | Time Tuesday, January 24, 2022 | 7:00 AM | Location: Design Lab SGC Website: https://www.fultonschools.org/sgc

SGC Members

Mrs. Amy Lemons, Principal | Mrs. Margaret Mathas-Moore, Assistant Principal | Mrs. Annie Walker, Parent |
Mrs. Cindy Jorissen-Meertens, Community Member | Mrs. Kristin Fullerton, Teacher |
Ms. Amanda Oliver, Teacher | Mrs. Jennifer Gardner, Parent | Ms. Diana Zarzour, Curriculum Support Teacher |
Mrs. Christina McLeod, School Counselor

Items

- Action Item: Meeting called to order at 7:07am
- Action Item: Approve September Agenda motion made by Zarzour, seconded by Mrs. Oliver
- Action Item: Approve August Minutes motion made by Ms. Zarzour, seconded by Mrs. Oliver
- Discussion Item: Principal's Update
 - Safety Funds
 - New walkie-talkies have been purchased and are in use
 - Basketball and play areas on both playgrounds will be re-paved
 - Given funds to make some outdoor improvements
 - New Security Cameras
 - Much higher definition, easier to see and have the ability to search for faces. This will make observation/inquiry much easier.
 - New 1st Grade Class
 - Opened on 1/18
 - Boosterthon
 - Fun Run Scheduled for 3/31
 - Fundraising for book vending machine
 - Each child will get a token for a free book on their birthday
- Discussion Item: Mentorship Program
 - 10 kids from Alpharetta High School will be mentoring 4th and 5th graders in the media center once each week.
 - Is **not** tutoring, focuses more on conversation and motivation
 - o Program starts on 1/26
- Discussion Item: Parent and Community Council
 - New Math Standards

- Middle School and higher will eliminate the "Advanced" track for math
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 - New math standards for Georgia will roll out in the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Number of standards greatly reduced
 - Changes are being made to the "advanced" track moving forward.
- Discussion Item: New Family Welcome Event
 - o PTA will be inviting new NPE families to our spring event and to our Andy's Custard Spirit Night
- Meeting adjourned at 8:17am

Meeting Norms

Start and stop on time. Assume good will. Be an active participant. Be respectful of each other and all opinions.