



School Governance Council

MEETING MINUTES

May 31, 2022 4:00PM, via Microsoft TEAMS Live

SGC MEMBERS PRESENT: Chadwick Dow (Chair); John Young (Vice Chair); Nathalie Dames (Parliamentarian); Ms. Freeman (Principal), Karissa Reid, Yazmin Hicks, Briana Houston and Mr. Martinez

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE ON THE AGENDA: Meeting Call to Order, Approve Agenda, Approve April's Meeting Minutes, Meet New members, Principal Report, Fun Run, Election for New Officers, Survey: Council Self-Assessment and Principal Feedback, Open Discussion/Plan Next Agenda, Meeting Adjournment

CALL TO ORDER: Mr. Dow made a motion to call the meeting to order at 4:17PM. First by Mr. Young and seconded by Ms. Reid.

APPROVED AGENDA: Mr. Dow reviewed the agenda items. Mr. Dow asked for a motion to approve the agenda. First by Ms. Reid Second by Ms. Collins.

April Meeting MINUTES: The minutes for April were reviewed. Motion to approve initiated by Mr. Dow. First by Dr. Dames Second by Ms. Collins. Minutes adopted.

Meet New Members: Mr. Martinez: Music Teacher, Ms. Houston: Kindergarten teacher and Grade level chair, Ms. Sam Alexander: Parent of rising 3rd and 5th grade students, Ms. Anthony: Mr. Reese's replacement is the parent of a rising kindergartener. All new members were made aware of the Fulton County school emails that they will use for all future communications.

Principal Report: Pushing forward: Goals for 2021-2022 were reviewed.

EOY: Reading is at 62% for tier 1. Missed 65% goal. Only 562/576 tested. Math 57% for tier 1 missed goal of 60% 563/576. SEC reading 40% tier 1 (54% for full academic year students). SEC Math 39% (52% for full academic year students)

GMAS Incentives: Nintendo switch, and gift cards were purchased for high achievers. They will be distributed once final report is received.

Focus areas for 2022-2022

- Literacy for grade 3 and grade 4.
- Math continues to progress
- Science how do we provide more support to 5th grade for Science.

STEAM Journey: Continue partnership with outreach. STEAM Cohort will become Model teachers. They will have one PBL this summer. June 1-June 3rd. STEAM Fridays. Every teacher PBL lessons towards STEAM

Back 2 School Bash: July 31st!! We will need to iron out the details.

A final note was made about the successfulness of kindergarten and first grader on I-Ready reading

Fun Run

Profit to date was \$13523. We are still waiting on the corporate sponsor matches. Proposed dates for 2023 Fun Run are March 23-31. Discussion was brought up about continuing the 50/50 split or moving to a higher profit for the school. This would require more parent involvement so the group decided to continue the discussion later.

Election of new officers: Chair: Mr. Young was nominated for Chair. There were no other nominations. Motion made by Mr. Dow for the appointment of Mr. Young to the position of Chair. Ms. Reid was first and Ms. Hicks seconded the motion. No opposition. Mr. Young was elected for the position of Chair

Vice Chair: Ms. Collins nominated Dr. Dames for the Vice Chair. Ms. Houston volunteered for the position. A vote was conducted. Ms. Houston won by Majority vote.

Parliamentarian: Mr. Dow nominated Dr. Dames for the position of Parliamentarian. Mr. Dow made the motion. First by Ms. Alexander and Second by Ms. Collins. Dr. Dames will continue in the position of Chair.

Survey: Council Self-Assessment and Principal Feedback. Members were asked to complete each survey.

NEXT MEETING: June meeting is just to plan for back-to-school bash and teacher breakfast. We will need to meet sometime in June to discuss the back to school bash. We will need to look for sponsors, backpacks, school supplies, barber or stylists to do hair, doctors for sports physicals,
Our next official meeting is July 20th at 2pm.

AGENDA ITEMS: Website audit, Future meeting dates, Budget and finance committee, outreach committee, principal committees, Final planning of back to school bash, Welcome back teacher breakfast,

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Mr. Dow Moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:17 PM. First by Ms. Reid and Second by Ms. Alexander Meeting adjourned.

Recorder: Nathalie Dames