

Milton High School

School Governance Council Meeting

December 14, 2021

SGC Meeting Attendance:

Brian Jones, Principal	X	Tara Spolan, Parent	X
Rebecca DeWeese, Chair	X	Gillian Miller, Staff	X
Scott Hetherington, Vice Chair	X	Alexis Frith, Student	
Ann Nath, Parliamentarian	X	Emma Mueller, Student	
Lonnie Estes, Staff	X		
Linda Coyle, Community Member	X		
Jamie Bendall, Parent	X		
Josh Cahill, Parent	X		

SGC Meeting Action Items:

Motion	Time	By Whom	Second	Voting Results
Meeting Called to Order	7:16	Rebecca DeWeese	---	---
Mission and Vision Statements	7:17	Rebecca DeWeese	---	---
Motion to Approve Agenda	7:18	Tara Spolan	Gillian Miller	Unanimous
Motion to Approve Minutes	7:18	Ann Nath	Scott Hetherington	Unanimous
Motion to Adjourn	8:09	Rebecca DeWeese	Tara Spolan	Unanimous

Information Item - PTO Update (Ann Nath)

- Holiday luncheon will be held on Wednesday, 12/15 after dismissal – will have lunch, SINGO, and raffle for gift baskets, gift cards and cash
- Working with Tami Saren to gather items for Eagles Nest Enterprises School Store – some donated by parents, some funded by PTO
- Still working to fill all front office and outdoor lunch volunteers
- Next Meeting Wednesday, 12/15, 9:00 am media center

Information Item - PBIS Update (Rebecca DeWeese)

- Still waiting for FCS to announce digital program; completed internal assessment of program

Information Item - Student Success Skills Update (Rebecca DeWeese)

- Completed for 1st semester, will resume in January 2022

Information Item - Superintendent's Council Update (Tara Spolan)

- Discussion included information on the new ELA program and textbooks for elementary school level, plan to continue providing social emotional services for kids, and Dr. Looney's commitment to emphasizing the need for all students to follow rules in general. Also discussed swapping out late starts with early release days for the 2nd semester to allow more time for teacher training and the new grading policy was approved.

Information Item - Principal's Report (Brian Jones)

- Finals not mandatory, offering recovery/retakes, some high schools having full days, all exams required; MHS stayed consistent with AHS and CHS and consistent with county requirements
- New 2nd semester policies - no loitering policy – establishing to keep students moving between classes and in particular, to eliminate groups of students from blocking the hallways which leads to other students being tardy

to class; students will be required to carry id's at all times, this is especially helpful as it allows students to scan their id to check in when arriving late to school; students enrolled in on-line classes will be required to remain in the cafeteria during that period if they are at school

- There is a desire to create a volunteer program for parents to be paired up with teachers to aid in tasks such as test monitoring, making copies, setting up labs for science teachers, etc. Parents will not be permitted to be paired up with one of their child's teachers, and volunteers would have to obtain FCS badge, background check, etc.
- Projected enrollment for 2022-23 SY is 2041 students; may lose 2 faculty positions
- No on-line classes in mid-day next year; isolated to 1st/6th/7th periods

Discussion Items :

- Gillian Miller proposed offering mindfulness opportunities for staff during early release and/or teacher work days for the 2nd semester. This could include offering options such as art therapy, yoga, exercise options through the PE department, etc. SGC may be asked to cover cost of supplies. A committee made up of SGC members (Gillian Miller, Rebecca DeWeese, Linda Coyle, Tara Spolan and Ann Nath) will put together a plan

Agenda Items for Next Meeting: Public Comment, PTO Update, PBIS Update, Student Success Skills Update, Superintendent's Council, Principal's report, SGC Elections