

MINUTES

W. A. Perry Middle School SIC / PTO Meeting

November 26, 2018 / 5:30PM Date | time Meeting called to order at 5:33pm by Kia Muse-Seabrook

In Attendance

Dr. Robin Coletrain, Kia Muse-Seabrook, Leslie Haynes, Ada Welch, Dr. Andrea Gray, and Cindy Noel-Andre.

Approval of Minutes

SIC Secretary Kia Muse-Seabrook

Minutes were read silently from last meeting. A motion was made by Dr. Andrea Gray to accept the minutes. It was properly seconded by Dr. Coletrain. The team voted with no objections.

Principal's Report

Dr. Robin Coletrain

See page 3 for Dr. Coletrain's update.

Budget

Presented by Kia Muse-Seabrook

- A ledger was not provided for this meeting. Currently, the account balance is \$2692.55. Expenses are as follows: Cromer's 176.15; Kia Muse \$78; and World's Finest Chocolate invoice is \$1,193.40. The profit from Trunk or Treat was \$178 which broke even with the cost from Cromer's. The check from Moe's is expected to be \$8. It has not been received yet. Dr. Coletrain turned in \$100 for Rally towels. Ms. Muse will check with Ms. Gibson to determine if she is owed monies from purchasing the hotdogs and buns for Trunk or Treat.

SIC Update

Dr. Andrea Gray

- Wellness Pop-Up Tour December 4, 2018 from 5pm-6pm. Space is limited. There is a minimum of 8 people for the class. There are currently 8 people who will attend. More people will be recruited. Mrs. Andre-Noel will pass out flyers in the car ride lane. Dr. Coletrain will continue to promote via social media and School Messenger.
- The date of the next District SIC meeting was unknown and will be determined and emailed/texted to the group.

Old Business

- Rally Towel Sales: Rally Towels are still on sale for \$5. Parents are needed to work the basketball games to sell the towels.
- World's Finest Chocolate: The sale went well. Other candy options will be explored in the spring.
- Moe's Spirit Night: Check has not been received yet. The turnout was low.
- Trunk or Treat: Trunk or Treat was a success again this year. The team will look at adding other activities next year (i.e. Bounce House, animals (dogs) etc.). Several people had their pets and a dog costume contest may be added. The team also discussed selling wristbands. The goal is to make a profit next year.

New Business

- Kroger Reward Fundraiser & Amazon-Ms. Muse will continue to explore this. Dr. Coletrain suggested other members assist with looking up this information and assisting Ms. Muse. Dr. Coletrain will assist Ms. Muse with this information.
- Next Spirit Night: Ms. Muse-Seabrook will speak with the Subway by Benedict and Burger King. Ms. Welch will speak with her job, McDonald's on Forest about certificates and how to reach out to the Beltline location. Several unsuccessful attempts have been made previously.
- A Holiday Fundraiser: The team discussed selling Krispy Kreme doughnut certificates. It was agreed that the sale will take place after the Christmas holidays. The price and length of sale will be determined. This will be a cash only sale. Students and parents must bring in the money and then will be added to the list to order certificates.
- Spring Festival: The C.A. Johnson Cluster will sponsor a spring carnival event. The tentative date is Saturday, April 6, 2018. Each school will have the following people on the team: Parent Specialist, School Counselor, PTO/SIC, 2 teachers, 2 classified, and an administrator if possible. A planning meeting will be scheduled in December to begin the process.

Announcements

- November 26th Perry vs. St. Andrews Middle School (Home) 5:45pm
- November 27th Girl Scout Meeting November 27, 2018 4:30pm
- November 27, 2018 Induction Ceremony Student Council, Beta Club, & NJHS 5:30pm
- November 28th Perry vs. Southeast (Away) 5:45pm

Next Meeting

- January 28, 2019 at W A Perry in the Professional Development Room
- Meeting was adjourned at 6:24PM

SIC-PTO Meeting Monday, November 26, 2018 ~ 5:30pm

Dr. Coletrain's Report

✂ Community & Partnership Update

- A partnership breakfast was held on Thursday, October 25th for current partners and potential new partners. The breakfast was well attended and we look forward to the work we will do with our partners. Thanks to the partnership committee for a job well done.
- The C.A. Johnson Cluster will sponsor a C.A Johnson Spring Carnival Day. The tentative date is April 6, 2019 down Barhamville Road.

✂ Academic Update

- Eight college tours have been completed. The students had a great time learning about course offerings, financial aid, and all things college life. The USC-Trio program will offer two college tours (November 15th –USC Sumter and December 6th).
- The following is the AIP update: 6th – 22; 7th – 13; 8th – 11. At three absences a letter goes to the parent; 5 absences a meeting will take place with the parent to develop an Attendance Improvement Plan (AIP); and 10 or more absences a petition is filed with the court. All medical notes should be turned in to Ms. L. Brown or the main office. November weekly drawing for period attendance (ex. McDonalds certificates and other items). Attendance caseloads are a little better than last year.
- 98 students honored at the Q1 Academic Celebration on November 8th. This is lower than the first nine weeks last year.
- Year Two of Problem/Project Based Learning with Alice Brewington. Year Two of AVID Implementation. Martay Flanders-Monroe, AVID Consultant focused note-taking training with teachers on November 20th.
- School Report Cards were scheduled to be released by the State Department of Education on November 15th. The date has been pushed back to November 29th.
- Final approval for the Title One is still pending with the State Department. Money has been allotted for technology renewals.

✂ What's Happening at Perry

- Theatre and Dance student had the chance to see the Alvin Ailey II dance company at the Newberry Opera House. The students REALLY enjoyed seeing the performance by Alvin Ailey II.
- Perry Takes Over Orlando. The SCPASS/SCREADY All-Stars had a blast in Orlando. Thank you to the team of chaperones who survived Orlando. A huge thank you to Mrs. Payton for planning a well-organized, fun trip.
- AVID students did a great job planning, performing, and executing the Veterans Day Celebration on November 8th. Students will visit the National Weather Service (12/4 and 12/11) and attend AVID Day with the Charlotte Hornets (11/30). World Kindness Day-November 13, 2018. We are teaching kindness one rock at a time. AVID students created a rock garden. Students brainstormed kind words that can be written on the rocks. The rocks will be placed in the front of the school.

- Ties & Tiaras Father-Daughter dance was a huge success for the first event. There were approximately 90 people in attendance. This will be an annual event. Ms. Young is considering a mother-son dance in the spring.
- Mock Trial was underway this past weekend as YOUR Eagles were fighting hard as the plaintiffs and defendants! Kudos to Ms. Dawson, Ms. Moultrie and our attorney coaches, Ms. Kinli Abee and Mr. Joel Kozak for a job well done coaching the team. The team did well but did not make it to the state competition. 12 school from across the state make it to state completion.
- Family STEAM Night was a success on November 13, 2018. The students really enjoyed it!
- Students with no behavior referrals for the month of October will receive an ice cream treat. Students with no referrals for the first nine weeks will receive pizza and have lunch in the outside courtyard area. The PBIS store for the first nine weeks opened on October 31st. Students had a great time shopping with their Eagle Bucks.
- The football team was the Division II regular season winners and the runner up in the championship.
- First Basketball Game is Monday, November 26th at Perry vs. St. Andrews Middle School.