

PRMS PSA Meeting Minutes

September 8, 2023 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Attendees: Amy Mathieu, Rebecah Hoffman, Ashley Fortier, Melissa Clawson, Shalu Sharma, Jennifer Mullay, Jess Wilson, Samantha Fredell, Jennifer Beuse, Heather Curtin

- Principal Report with Dr. Kristofic
 - The MS received the honor of the Schools to Watch – focuses on academic excellence, developmental responsiveness, social equity, organizational structure and processes
 - Every three years
 - Hard to continually achieve, must show growth and difference from prior year
 - Building goals
 - Implement instructional strategies to support all students growth and achievement
 - Extracurriculars – goal is to have every student in a club or sport
 - RAMS Way
 - PBIS – national/state recognized program that RAMS Way falls under
 - Team of 20 PR staff that meet regularly to focus on behaviors
 - Sept 14 – first Rams Way lesson
 - 1 Rams Way lesson a month, and 1 team building activity
 - First one - Coat of Arms
 - Parents Night Feedback?
 - Parent call out – the 6 pm time is tough
 - Parent call out – would be nice to somehow be able to see the different quarter classes, not just the first quarter
 - Grading Changes
 - Midterm and Final was 20%, now it is 10%
 - Was too much emphasis on two periods of the entire year, this will be less focused, but will still help with the skill building for HS
 - Friday Night Football Games
 - Students are reminded to represent ourselves well
 - Questions:
 - How is the \$100 fee dispersed to the clubs/sports? It is dispersed as teacher/coach stipends
 - Is there a Black Student Union Group? Not at this time because a sponsor is needed
 - How to get more extra curricular engagement? Suggestion was perhaps a school fair would help with students helping to recruit one another
 - Chromebook insurance – PRSD has implemented a new policy regarding damaged Chromebooks and insurance will be offered for parents to purchase
- PSA President Heather Curtin

- Approval of prior minutes will occur next meeting (from Spring 2023) – they will be uploaded to the PSA website
- We are always interested in parent willing to volunteer and support all of the various programming for the year
- Treasurer's Report – Melissa Clawson
 - Review of 2023-2024 Budget
 - Motion to approve – Ashley Fortier
 - Second motion to approve – Jen Beuse
- Motion to end the meeting made by Melissa Clawson, seconded by Samantha Fredell

Next PSA Meeting is on Friday, November 10th at 9:30 am

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Thank you for attending