

President: Amanda Weber

Vice President: Milissa Blick

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Reviewed Principal Leadership Qualities. We approved them and did not make changes.

Mr. Murnan – AP research – great class and students are liking it.

Media Center hosted ALL 9th graders at the beginning of the year. Allowed them to check out a book. Canvas, email, and the importance of check both regularly.

Club Fair for Freshman – 20 clubs participated. Great feedback from the incoming Freshmen

New Pathway – Heavy Equipment through construction. Use of simulators for students to learn how to operate equipment.

Senior info on college night. Over 53 colleges, a bunch of businesses to hire out of high school. Maybe next year – extend the focus to Juniors.

Many colleges offer FREE application windows in the Fall.

College Fair at Cherokee High School – Staci went and learned a lot from GA Futures – maybe something to be told to all students through TAA.

School Improvements plan process. New process this year with new Superintendent.

She wants Literacy, Attendance, and Math

We do have 2 goals so far - Literacy: American Lit EOC is only current way to measure the Lexile. The state has lowered the lexile for. We want to hold students accountable to having a lexile of 1300. The ILS has created "Cold Read" for each subject area, then 5 questions each question number tests the same concept (not same story).

Absenteeism – no attendance policy from the State. Hard to overcome the students being out because they can complete lessons through Canvas. Idea – bringing back exam exemption – but not approved yet. TAA – kids get prizes through TAA for perfect attendance. Maybe including, discounts on Prom tix and Homecoming next year. *** NOT APPROVED****

AP exam registration – due October 15th. Maybe AP teachers can send an informational flyer home with students for parents.

Brett Pinckard – 8th year – and alumni. Taught at ET Booth. 11 years teaching before AP. Over scheduling, English and ESOL.

Kelly Flatt – 2nd year here. 10 years at Pickens. Background in Special Ed and English

SAT, ACT accommodations. Over the Sped department

Janet Baggett – At East. CTAE and Math. 504s, TAA, Technology, Wellness

Taught Spanish for 20 years at Creekview.

Kurt Ashley – been an Admin forever. Safety, security. Social studies, World Language.

Scott Bradley – year 4 here. All things athletics and facilities. All coaches, athletes, eligibility. Over custodian – now hired in house. Schools across the county are very happy with the new process.

Mathew Renny – new this year. Testing, except PSAT. Busses, radio, science. Was a math teacher at Creekview.

Brandon Beoman – teacher on special assignment. PSAT, SAT, attendance, tardies, 504's and RTI'S

County wants more Social Media presence. Hal will be over X. Jamie over Facebook. Maybe not X – but change to Instagram

Picture day right after break

Synergy – new ASPEN. Struggling - grades not transferring from Canvas. Mr. Horn will ask about Grade emails on Saturdays.

Staci – does ParentView and Synergy work together? Yes – but parents can't see grades because they are not coming through.

Upcoming PSAT and SAT: Cherokee County does not offer Saturday SATs this year. October 30th, Seniors can take the SAT while 9th and 10th take the SAT. On October 16th JUNIORS will be able to take the SAT during the school day.

Day before Spring Break – second day for the JUNIORS and Seniors to take the SAT during the school day.

Does the Etowah Payment site talk to the SAT site? Hopefully

Open House – thoughts?? Amanda likes the videos. She also thinks that maybe parents knowing they could schedule a conference as opposed to Curriculum Night.

St. Jude fundraiser – over \$6000

New Policies:

Cell-Phone – teachers like it. Going well.

Dress Code – it has been ok. Cropped shirts have been the worst

Late Work – will be consequences down the road. When students fail – it will be interesting to see failure rate.

Schedule Changes – NOT unless for academic reason.

Students can't but parking spots, Prom fix, if they have debt. We had a large lunch debt last year

Be Pro Be Proud, many simulations for professional jobs

Air Force simulator will be coming soon!

Appalachee – Safety on this campus is a lot harder on this campus. We have 10 buildings, versus 1 at most schools.

- 1- Cengetix Badge – teacher can press 3 times for immediate help. More than 3 calls the Calvary – police, fire, etc
- 2- Buzz in system at Main and East
- 3- 3 police officers (2 here, 1 at Booth)
- 4- Camera – somewhat bulletproof
- 5- New cameras throughout campus
- 6- There is only 1 open door per building for students to come in
- 7- Teacher and Admin have duty stations throughout the day
- 8- Show ID when checking out students
- 9- Item drop off outside to limit people coming in
- 10- Code red Drills with students regularly
- 11- No outside siren for Code Red