

Lipscomb Elementary - SBDM
Minutes
October 21st, 2024

In attendance:

Davis Cornell - Parent/scribe
Lisa Wright - Parent/staff
Nick Nepveux - Parent
Lora Owens - Staff
Maria Yeats - Vice Principal
Isaiah Carter - Principal
Michael Karnowski - Parent/chair
Chris Fox - Community
Steve Walken - Community

- Welcome and introduction

-Welcome new SBDM chair for 24/25 Michael Karnowski.

Update: Principal Carter

- Principal Carter presented the comprehensive needs assessment covering campus demographics, student and staff performance, and campus safety.
- Working to adjust the proper ratios required by the dual language program to change Lipscomb's closed campus status.
- Lipscomb is one of 2 schools from 45 that gained 2 accountability ratings.
- STARR scores were above the district average while the Spanish version and the science scores were below the average.
- Lipscomb has added a speech pathologist to the staff.
- WiFi in the school is unreliable.
- Tech needs of students and staff are filled.
- Campus safety continues at a high level.
- IB focus is improving across all curriculums.
- The portable building on campus has been repurposed for use by the PTA.
- Lipscomb was the only school in its feeder that did not lose a teacher.

Update : SBDM By-Laws

- The chair presented updated by-laws for the group to review and vote on in the next meeting.
- Discussed local recruitment to fill out the membership with the required community and business representatives.
- As part of the expected by-laws SBDM will look at forming subcommittees as needed.

Update: Bond program

- SBDM members and Principal Carter will continue to monitor the status of the bond project.
- By keeping in touch with bond planners, managers, and architects SBDM and Principal Carter can add to the scope of work as needed, and track items that are not currently part of the bond scope or have fallen off.

- Adjourn

Meeting Dates:

Nov. 11

Dec. 9 Public Title 1

Jan. 13

Feb. 10

Apr. 14