Mattapoisett School Council Meeting Minutes - 10/29/25

In attendance:

- Linda Ashley, Center School Principal
- Amanda Beauregard, Parent
- Stacy Barrows, Grade 5 Classroom Teacher
- Elizabeth Breese, Parent
- Carly DuBeau, Parent
- Sarah Mendes, Grade 3 Classroom Teacher
- Stephanie Wells, Old Hammondtown School Principal

AGENDA

1. Assign Notetaker: Stephanie Wells
2. **Review Mattapoisett School Improvement Plan 2024 - 2025 accomplishments & Discuss and determine areas of focus for 2025 - 2026 through 1.3**

-discussed how it guides our work in the building (professional development, literacy plan, Portrait of a Graduate)

-Need for more professional development on the calendar

-early release on Friday would be better for families than Wednesdays, but teachers found that families were doing a lot of long weekends, and there was poor attendance on those days

-adding more full-day pd- would be a budgetary issue because teachers would have to be compensated for a additional days

-could all early release days start at 11:30, possibility of students not having lunch and taking it to go

-would it be possible to have lunches less than 30 mins.

Portrait of a Graduate?

Curriuclum Review cycle- We now have consistency throughout the district with our Into Reading program, and as of this year, we all have Envisions Math, Science, Open SciEd is in 5 & 6 across the district, Social Studies Investigating History is in grades 5 & 6 across the district, 3 & 4 will be next.

3. Upcoming meeting dates 12/1, 1/26, 2/23, 3/30, 4/27, 5/18, **We will start with Strategic Initiative 1.4 in December**
4. 2025-2026 School Council Members

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○ Anita McDuffy, Parent
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