



Alpharetta SGC

November Agenda

Date: 11/18/2025

Time: 7:30AM

Location: 1240 Conference Room

SGC Members:

Mike Schefflee (Principal), Errol Dice (Appointed Staff), Brandi Taylor (Counselor), Alicia Sims-Bailey (Parliamentarian, Teacher), Alejandro Romero (Teacher,) Melissa Turner (Chair, Parent), Shubha Aithal (Parent), **Christie Leonard (Vice-Chair, Parent)**, Patrick Goins (Parent), Chris Lagerbloom (Appointed Community Member), Swarup Kesarkar (Student Representative, FBLA), Nikhila Cheekati (Student Representative, STUCO)

7:30 AM Call to Order (*Turner*)

7:32 2nd Taylor

7:31 AM Action Item: Approve Agenda (*Turner*)

Shubha 2nd

7:32 AM Action Item: Approve October Minutes (*Turner*)

Taylor Goins 2nd

7:33 AM Discussion Item: Review SGC Website Audit Results (*All Members*)

Turner: Audit is up to date; Mr. Fortunato took over

7:36 AM Discussion Item: Superintendent Advisory Council Update (*Turner*)

Turner attended 2; Superintendent and staff with 2 additional people; parents, was invited; 1st one AI and AI in school; staff opinions and parents opinion; gathering information; different perspectives; parents see how they engage from business; teachers how to use it to support education and not replace; not to write paper but use it to edit; need a policy in place; policy might not be soon; 2nd-year after curriculum calendar; find on website; similar to next year's with an added winter break in February; two public calendar for view and student work day with student day; would like to see how the staff will benefit; no breaks and month of march; negative feedback; parents and staff; goal ensure the 1st semester; start early August; all finals at the end of Dec and not in January; Aug 3rd; Dr. Looney is not a fan of breaks; can be disruptive; parents pulling kids out to travel; informative, anyone who wants to come I have invites; Feedback-Aubrey Mills (Johns Creek) child came home all energize; fake rifles; parents concern how are we glorifying rifles when replicas are not allowed at schools; a certain weight that comes with training; parent was passionate about the idea; interesting but I understood; couple of options; something to consider; no policy in place that has to be a rifle; use a sword with similar to weight; appreciated feedback; child did not join color guard (Lagerbloom apologies, had to leave @ 8:00-he looks forward to seeing us in Dec)

7:40 AM Discussion Item: Student Activities Guest Speakers (*All Members*) (1st-rotated to allow to present early-already set up)

- FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)

Meeting Norms: Silence Phones, Be Respectful of Others' Opinions, Work for the good of all Students
Upcoming Meeting Dates: November 18, December 16, January 20, February 17, March 17, April TBD

- Shelba and Ava Claire -JVP becomes VP-president; Local Christian community; aren't' apart of church; Christian athletes; faith based skilled; working in schools; teams; faith journey; mission-FCA; internation; lead every coach and athlete relationship with Christ; AHS: solid Christian values; fellowship and sense of community of school; route to fall in the "right" crowd and not the wrong crowd; glorify God through what they do; 76% would call themselves Christian; reflected at AHS, 70% involved in athletic at school and community; GroupMe approved; 121 students; grows every meeting; looking 2100 of student population; goal to grow program; grab breakfast and hang; bible study or speaker; Fridays 7:45; 30mins; guest speaker; Summer event; Bonfire, School Club events; community service; "new leadership" opportunities to learn how to lead prior to school year, bonfire Nov7th; FCA around area to meet to have a worship night; guest speaker; student testimony; school event; FCA represents school care about the school; 1 community event every semester; donation clothing donation approved; LOTTs; takes collection of clothing and toiletries and hand deliver to homeless men and women; socializing outside of school; better community; Instagram; @alpharettafca; YouTube channel for the speaker if someone misses, key form advertisement; word of mouth;
- Goings-love to see come to Athletic Association meeting to speak to board to get more athletes involved;
- Scheifflee invited to stay (ladies stay)

7:50 AM Discussion Item: Review SY25-26 Council Initiative focus area of Staff Satisfaction (*All Members*)

Turner-Funds are going to school store, next year to use funds to drive staff satisfactions; Scheifflee, school climate rating; we use to have specific 83% of staff respond; can't see individual response; rewriting or not promote; recognize graft entire district response; highlight 108 responses; green bar down; AHS; very sat; somewhat, dissatisfied; very dis; 50-50 split; questions not specific to AHS but to county as a whole, inclusive to AHS; if we want to show progress, we might want to create committee, to draft a question; Turner-get a staff to respond to survey; Scheifflee; potentially present in data in Jan; explain; appreciate completion; staff to complete in faculty meetings; Turner-make sure we communicate how we can make things better; actually support; having survey information to horn in on improvement; as a parent is the worst survey; long; doesn't provide any valuable information; staff member disgruntle; not short; Taylor-target questions; make our own; receptive; see what the questions are asking; Turner -5 or so, 10 are repeatable so we can see grow; did you like XYZ; don't come up new one every year; Goings-comes up every year, do we have any influences; Scheifflee -they're not doing it this year, may have recognized that; maybe rewriting or address in the spring time; Turner-brought up as a subject last; overwhelming too long; too lengthy; there were questions that doesn't apply. You had to answer the county question for the school; hopeful; Scheifflee; develop a survey, tune up in Dec; offer to teachers in January; if agreeable; some of you on community; options via; email; invite staff and support; Turner, Taylor Goins, Romero, Bailey; Turner-if you need someone from the outside to speak to staff I am available; Scheifflee keep language for satisfied; but redraft questions

8:00 AM Discussion Item: Strategic Plan Update (*All Members*)

- Review Feedback-waiting on Zone approval; don't expect challenge 98% to show growth; look at targeted subgroup; literacy benchmark; achievement on EOCs to show growth
- Monitor Progress

8:05 AM Discussion Item: Charter Dollar Expenditure Update – School Store (*Scheifflee*)

School Store; haven't received update on how to present bid because it is a customed; want to use the quote for bid but don't want public consumption; don't understand that it is a customed job; I wasn't optimistic before holiday; won't be able to summer; I'm recommending 30day bid (2 companies) not a 90 day; Spring Break; Goings-all Charter Dollars; Scheifflee-yes, 1 actually is above \$5k; find the funds;

8:10 AM Informational Item: Principal's Update (*Scheifflee*)

State of school address; on website; 20min presentation; AI- we have a group of 20 staff members AI Cohort; professional development to lead AI in building; consultant leading the work; developing; staff anxieties; initiatives; how to get staff on board; how to get staff comfortable; pending board policy; it is an expectation to use; we want to define

more; user friendly classroom procedures; when it's appropriate, how to use; students approach the question of they can use; summarize; synthesize, brief; and present to staff

8:28 AM Discussion Item: Draft next meeting's agenda (*All Members*)

Aside from adding items from the district, does anything else need to be on agenda; Taylor-counseling update; Scheifflee-school schedule; Shubha -should we add the survey Turner- area initiative; ongoing, move students presentation to the front of agenda;

8:29 AM Information Item: SGC Public Comments (*Turner*)

8:30 AM Action Item: Meeting Adjournment (*Turner*)

Shubha, Turner/Goins 8:10