

October Agenda 2025

School: Cogburn Woods Elementary

Date: 10/23/2025

Time: 3:00 PM

Location: Media Center

SGC Members:

Lisa Garosi (Principal)	Jacqueline Daeschler (Teacher-Chair)
Holly Chafin (Teacher)	Erin Rybos (Parent -Vice-Chair)
Sandy Austin (Appointed Staff)	Christine Grosso Farias (Parent)
Lauren Pritchard (Appointed Staff)	Cristina Allan (Parent-Parliamentarian)
Fredrico Giroldo (Community Member)	Anupam Kumar (Community Member)

3:00PM Meeting Called to Order (JD)

3:02PM Action Item: Approve Agenda (JD)

Motion- Allan
Second – Rybos
All in Favor – Approved

3:05PM Action Item: Approve September Minutes (JD)

Motion- Rybos
Second – Daeschler
All in Favor – Approved

3:06PM Community Member Appointment- Anupam Kumar (LG)

Motion- Allan
Second – Rybos
All in Favor – Approved

3:07PM Discussion Item: SY25-26Council Initiatives*/ Strategic Plan/ Charter Dollar Expenditure Proposals (All Members)

- DA suggested cleaner power cords for the classrooms, white board film to cover existing chalkboards that are not useful
- Lisa suggested that we can offer ideas one of two ways – smaller dollar amount/piecemealed items that are in line with our initiatives and or the alternative would be to come up with big picture items

- ER will update “suggestion form” she created teachers. LG will push the form out to staff during her next smore and ask for suggestions to be submitted in time to discuss at our December meeting
- Reviewed PBIS budget – PBIS committee submitted a new budget of \$3600 with the removal of staff t shirts
- Suggestions for “Increase Employee Satisfaction” – a wellness afternoon on a planning day with breakout sessions (yoga, planting, massage, etc)
- JD Suggested to replace benches on the playground – there are no benches at the moment
- Motion to approve \$3600 towards PBIS:
Motion – SA
Second – Daeschler
All in Favor - Approved

3:15PM Discussion Item: Review SGC Website for Compliance C.Allan (All Members)**

- The website is mostly in compliance. Katie will send an email soon with the list of missing items to update.

3:20PM Discussion Item: Debrief Fall Cross Council Meeting H.Chaffin (All Members)

- Holly Chafin attended our fall cross counsel mtg
- Suggestion from an attendee that PTO should be an official school partner on paper but it will not affect how they spend their money
- Fundraising Ideas From Other Schools – Fun Runs, Parents Night Out at Sky Zone, Boys Club to Reduce Office Referrals, Hopewell Students could Volunteer as Mentors for Service Hours,
- Parent Engagement Activities – Family Matters at Roswell HS, Family Safety Summit at GA Tech

3:25PM Public Comment – No Public Comment

3:45PM Informational Item: Principal’s Update (Principal)

- Red Ribbon Parade is this Friday 10/24 and is run by our school counselors
- Fall Fest is Sunday 10/26 could move to another day due to rain
- Admin team is working on teacher evaluations – any teacher who is 4 or older gets 2/year and teachers who are 4 years and under get 6/year
- Planning days are happening – teachers sit with coaches and unpack units
- CCRPI – Lisa will share info when she gets the green light to share the data

3:55PM Discussion Item: Draft Next Meeting’s Agenda (All Members)

- ER – Superintendent’s Advisory Call Update
- Review Form Submissions
- CA to Price out Benches

4:00PM Action Item: Meeting Adjournment (Chair)

Meeting Norms: Silence Phones, Be Respectful of Others’ Opinions, Work for the good of all Students