

Lee Antonello Elementary School Organizational Team Minutes, 5/21/26, 3:30 pm

The Lee Antonello Elementary School Organizational Team meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm on May 21, 2026. The meeting was held via Google Meet. Start Time: 3:30 pm

Members present:

Dr. Kathianne Rozek - present
LeahAnn Ferrario - Present
Lena Scolaro - RBG3 - present
Rhyan DeLaTorre- present
Lordes Especial - present
Jamela Howe- present
Mariella Sullivan - present
Angela Cruzate - present

Members absent:

Welcome and Roll Call

2.0 Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve: Ms. Cruzate
2nd Ms. Sullivan

3.0 Discussion: Photography

Signed with Dorian Studio; they offer:

- In-house photography services
- Kindergarten and 5th-grade promotion photos with cap and gown
- À la carte purchasing options
- 10% school rebate on all pre-orders

Public comment: none, no questions

Agenda Items

4.0 - Discussion

4.1 Closed Campus and Dismissal Procedures Update

- Student Safety
- Staff Safety
- Parent Safety

Closed Campus Focus Group

- Looking at different dismissal procedures & locations for:
 - parent pick up
 - sibling pick up
 - walkers
 - bike riders
 - bus riders
 - day care pick up
 - Safe key

Next Steps

- Sent out forms for families to fill out prior to the start of the school year w/QR code
 - Fill out meet and greet
 - Mail with class assignment letter
- How to identify each student for dismissal
 - Purchasing colored bands for backpacks
- Duty People locations to support
- Writing procedures for each dismissal type

4.2: 27-28 Standard Student Attire (SSA) (need to wait and follow district guidelines to change to Standard Student Attire.

Administration will take some professional learning and work with Assessment, Accountability, Research, and School Improvement **Division** (AARSI)

Benefits:

1. Enhanced Safety and Security

- **Easy Identification:** Staff can quickly identify who belongs on campus and spot unauthorized visitors immediately.

- **Off-Campus Visibility:** During field trips or outdoor activities, students are much easier for chaperones to keep track of in a crowd.

2. Reduced Social Peer Pressure

- **Leveling the Playing Field:** SSA minimizes visible socioeconomic differences between students, reducing the "status" competition often associated with brand-name clothing.
- **Decreased Bullying:** By removing clothing as a point of contention, schools often see reduced teasing or bullying related to a student's appearance.

3. Academic Focus

- **Fewer Distractions:** When students aren't focused on what their peers are wearing (or what they are wearing themselves), they can dedicate more mental energy to learning.
- **Mindset Shift:** Much like an adult putting on a uniform for work, SSA can help younger children transition into a "ready to learn" mindset.

4. Practicality for Families

- **Simplified Mornings:** Standard attire removes the daily "what to wear" struggle, making morning routines faster and less stressful for parents and children.
- **Cost-Effectiveness:** While there is an initial investment, SSA items are often more durable and can be purchased in bulk or through school swap programs, often costing less over the school year than a full trendy wardrobe.

Uniforms include:

- M-TH-Basic colors of
 - Pants: khaki, black, navy
 - Shirts-navy gray white
- F-Spirit Gear:
 - Pants: khaki, black, navy
 - Shirts-navy, gray, white; house colors: royal blue, red, purple, orange, green
- Jackets (zip up or sweaters)
 - Navy, gray, black, white

Next Steps

- Admin needs to sign up in December/January
- Have a meeting with staff, students, and parents
 - Minimum of 11 members consisting of
 - 6 parents
 - 2 students
 - 2 teacher/staff members
 - 1 Administrator
- Vote sent out from the assessment department

The goal of this proposal is to promote student safety, increase school pride, and foster a focused academic environment while ensuring all students have access to appropriate school attire.

4.3 Grading Policy Discussion

- Administrative meeting May 28
- Staying with the A-F grading scale
- 90% summative and 10% formative
- Staff will work on grading areas such as
 - taking behavior out of grading
 - mastery of standards

4.4 Parent Family Engagement Policy

- [Parent Family Engagement Policy](#)

See attached presentation for information on the PFEP

5.0 Next Meeting

Next Meeting: Antonello SOT Monthly Meeting
Thursday, August 20, 2026, 3:30 – 4:30 pm

Motion to adjourn:

Motion to adjourn - Cruzate 2nd, **Mariella Sullivan**