



## **SAC MINUTES VIA MICROSOFT TEAMS**

Date: March 30, 2021

Time: 3:15pm

Facilitator: Tia Holness

In Attendance :

Tia Holness (SAC Chair)

Tara Zdanowicz (Principal)

Christopher Brightman (Assistant Principal)

Mrs. Barbera (Literacy Coach)

Kerry Ann P. Tracey

Shaheewa Jarrett (SAF Designee)

Wendi Tuttle (Non-Instructional)

Yvonne Moniz (BTU Steward)

Anthony DeGrace

Marie Aime

### Call to order

A meeting of the Challenger Elementary School Advisory Council was held on Microsoft Teams on March 30, 2021 at 3:15pm

For informational purposes only. No voting.

Chair Tia Holness called the meeting to order at 3:15pm.

Melissa Firdman will record the minutes for this meeting.

### Minutes

Share Feb 24<sup>th</sup> minutes. No approval – informational meeting only.

**Literacy Coach - Ms. Barbera** – Info re: reading assessment done 3x/year. Most accurate depiction of where students are – BAS – one on one reading with teacher.

AP1 Sept-Nov

AP2 Dec-Feb

98.2% of students were reached Chart shown to show growth of 57.6% for AP 1

Now, 50% of students are on-track.

Grades 3,4,5 – Only students who are struggling or meet certain criteria are tested.

ESE Students – SIP Plan goal – 19 students maintained and 18 increased 2 or more letter levels.

Writing camp for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students started.

KG Roundup – evening session for parents to get a tour of school.

Tentative date Thurs April 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Principal Update – Tara Zdanowicz**

School board offering vaccinations for all staff members.

3, 4,5, - survey sent to parents of virtual learners via class DoJo. Testing will be done on campus. Child can either be in attendance or absent. Testing will be done in the building.

Budget projection – about where we were last year.

JumpRope for Heart Time –Coach Hamad has been promoting this to support heart disease awareness.

### **Safety Update/Customer Survey – AP Mr. Brightman**

Behavior and safety – see where we are at in terms of monitoring the appropriate adherence to behavior protocol.

Model correct behavior – hallway/cafeteria, etc.

School Wide Positive Behavior Plan Team – will be brought to SAC and voted on.

Parent/Staff/Student Surveys – Will be sent and we will get feedback.

**Ms. Holness will speak for Ms. Sanders re: Title 1 report. No updates**

### **SAF Designee- Shaheewa Jarrett –**

March 18<sup>th</sup> meeting – Natalie Lynch Walsh: Chair of Task Force. Reported on schools undergoing construction projects. Change in management company. Any info online re: projects will be updated in the next few months.

Mr. John Sullivan – District Government Relations Team.

Jeff – Chair of Committee – a LOT going on in Tallahassee. Huge financial loss.

Voucher Bill – opposed to this. Preparing to oppose this and voice opinions on Senate bill 48

House Bill 359 re: penalties based on mandatory assessments as deemed by Governor.

Bright Futures Bill – geared toward graduates.

Strict limitations. Young people organized and spoke out against these limits.

Overwhelming backlash to this scholarship and its' restrictions.

Encourage to get info and reach out to representatives to voice your opinions.

School Board Website – Legislative info and take action tab. Link put into chat.

Each state has control over curriculum and how they test.

Weekly legislative update link put into chat.

Will amend date of next meeting.

Chair thanked attendees and adjourned at 4:10pm

