

4/25/2023 SAC Minutes- Media Center

Called to order 3:09

Members:

Coleen Carlson, Parent
Jennifer Roman, Parent
Jennifer Shytle, Teacher
Rosemary Corwin, Teacher
Roger Roache, SRO
Jeaniey Geremia, Support Staff
Josefina Melendez, Principal

Non-Members:

Mrs. Roman approved the minutes from the previous meeting. Mrs. Shytle seconded the motion.

Old Business

Book Vetting

Mrs. Melendez recapped the process of vetting the book from the library and the school and explained the process in which the SAC committee would be involved.

New Business

Book Vetting List

A list of books were provided to the SAC committee through email prior to the meeting to be vetted for their input. Mrs. Roman asked if these were new titles or replacements from titles that were lost or damaged. Mrs. Melendez stated that these were new titles. Mrs. Roman also asked what the process would be if a parent had a concern about any books that were presented in any of the SAC meetings. Mrs. Melendez stated that the parents could come to the SAC meeting to present their concerns or email Mrs. Melendez or Mrs. Huston directly. If a book was found in question, Mrs. Huston would be asked to re-vet the book. Seeing no concerns with the list of books presented, the SAC committee agreed with the Media Specialist to approve the books listed

Insight Survey and Youth Truth Survey

Mrs. Melendez explained the data on the Insight Survey and the Youth Truth Survey.

Mrs. Melendez stated that based on the Insight Survey, the plan for next year would be to implement Discipline and Culture Coordinators. Mr. Burks and Mrs. Shepherd volunteered to lead the group. The goal is not to tell people what to do, but to make messages clear and teach children how to behave for their own future success. The idea is to have mentors come in for students who are struggling. It will be a collaborative effort with everyone. Mrs. Melendez also stated that she will be looking to get teachers more leadership roles, bring in more fun, learning activities that families can attend and build community.

Mrs. Melendez stated that the Youth Truth survey was geared towards the school culture. Students have stated that they are getting tired of other kids impeding on their learning and not being able to do anything about it.

One of the goals for next year would be to assemble a student advisory committee to get the student's perspective and to promote student leadership as well.

Deputy Roger suggested having class presidents. Mrs. Melendez stated that she agreed and that it would be something similar to a student council and an advisory team comprised of students advising the administration on school culture.

Open Agenda

None

Next Meetings: May 9,

Motion to Adjourn was made at 3:59 by Mrs. Shytle and 2nd by Mrs. Carlson