PALM BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Principal Chairperson Christie Schwab Ray-Lee Mezentsev Poonam Rani Hooda Devon Black

Vice Chairperson Secretary

Historian Lynita Butler



MINUTES January 12, 2022

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 4:02 pm. R. Mezentsev welcomed everyone and led the Pledge of Allegiance. A quorum was determined.

Attendees:

Members: D. Black, L. Butler, A. DeJesse, P. Hooda, N. Mihelich, R. Mezentsev, C. Schwab, M. Sotillo (virtual) Guests: M. Schmitz, A. Walters (virtual)

Chair Report: R. Mezentsev

- Reviewed virtual meeting expectations.
- Vote to allow virtual members to vote (must be done at every meeting)
 - Must have in person quorum for votes to count.
 - Motion by N. Mihelich, seconded by C. Schwab. Motion approved.
- Approval of December minutes
 - Motion by M. Sotillo, seconded by N. Mihelich. Minutes approved.
- Budget balance \$1875.00 with \$1157.00 slated for Science Bootcamp materials
 - Should have updated balance by next meeting. 0
- Bylaws review
 - Bylaws were sent out during last meeting. 0
 - No changes to be made to bylaws. 0
 - Motion to approve bylaws by D. Black, seconded by N. Mihelich. Motion approved. 0
- Vice Chairperson
 - P. Hooda nominated by principal. Unanimously voted to become vice chairperson. 0

Principal Report: C. Schwab

- Dates to remember:
 - 0 Jan 6-21: Diagnostic testing window
 - Jan 17 No school holiday Ο
 - Jan 24 100th day of school 0
 - Jan 24 28: Literacy week 0
 - Week of classroom activities based on literacy
 - No parents on campus for literacy parade.
 - Jan 28 PTA Spirit day canceled 0
 - Jan 31 Feb 4: School Counselor Appreciation Week 0
 - Feb 7 11: National School Counseling Week 0
 - Honoring Ms. Bicksler and Mrs. Barrientos
- Palm Beach Public won iReady reading growth for the entire central region. Students will be rewarded with a treat for their growth from the first diagnostic to the second.
- iReady competition where students can win books for Literacy Week

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PALM BEACH PUBLIC COMETS

Assistant Principal Report: M. Schmitz

- Diagnostic Testing
 - Reading and math for grades 3-5, science for grades 4-5
 - Makeup tests are ongoing for students who were absent for the test.
 - Final data won't be released until the end of January or beginning of February
- Arts and Tutorial Program
 - This is the 11th year having this program
 - Tutoring for struggling students as well as arts (dance, music, etc.) programs from 2-4
 - No bus or transportation for students.

Good of the Order:

- Question posed about testing for next year with the ending of FSA.
 - Unsure of what will happen for next year.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn L. Butler, second by N. Mihelich. Meeting adjourned at 4:21 pm.

Minutes submitted by Devon Black, Secretary.