

**Jupiter Farms Community Elementary School  
SAC Meeting- September 13, 2023**

1. **Meeting called to order/Determination of Quorum**-meeting called to order at 3:09 by Mr. Rebholz.

**2. Welcome and Introductions**

Present:

Michael Rebholz

Kristina Sanford

Rebecca Barrow

Anne Shimkus

Abbie Vita

Andrew LaRoe

Jason Ballard

\*Members completed the School Advisory Council (SAC) Membership Report

3. **Roles and Responsibilities: secretary and vice-chairperson (vote)** Ms. Barrow-Secretary

**Agenda:**

4. **Adoption of Agenda with flexibility:**

No objections to adopting the agenda with flexibility.

5. **Adoption of Minutes with flexibility:**

This is the first meeting of the year.

6. **Public Comments Specific to Non-Agenda Items:**

Abbie Vita-9/11 is celebrated every year, but what about Veteran's Day. (November 11th) The SAC committee suggested one of the House's host a small celebration. Cindy Lucia volunteered Revoir to host it.

Andrew LaRoe asked if the school had a school store where students can buy school supplies. Mrs. Shimkus and Mrs. Sanford reported that we used to have one, but the cost and getting volunteers to man them are road blocks.

Mrs. Sanford shared that students are able to earn ROAR tickets and can trade them for pins. The pins are very popular with the students.

Mrs. Sanford shared that they will be implementing 'pin trading' to encourage involvement.

Mr. LaRoe shared that in the service, they traded coins. Mrs. Sanford stated that she would look into it.

## **7. New Business:**

### **A. Principal's Report: (Slide presentation)-Mrs Sanford:**

- **Review Bylaws (handout)**
- **Review Sunshine Laws**

### **B. School Improvement Plan-** SAC committee will vote on the SIP prior to the next SAC meeting.

- FY24 FSA Goals/Scores were reviewed in comparison with the goals/scores from SY23
- JFCES was #1 in the district in 5th grade Science scores.
- WIGs (Wildly Important Goals)-Goals by grade level to improve student achievement. Mrs. Sanford explained what WIGs are and how/why they are important.

### **C. School Culture-The House System**

- Part of the House System, new students will be able to be assigned a 'house' the first day of attendance and they will be assigned a mentor to help with transition to the new school.
- The Mission of the House System was shared. \*\*building a sense of community/belonging.

### **D. Treasurer's Report:**

- SY24 beginning balance -\$3,659.14

## **Public Comments Specific to Agenda Items(2 minutes/person):**

- Is the Ron Clark Academy logos/house emblems able to be copied and used for apparel? Mrs. Sanford shared that RCA does not encourage it. The images are copyrighted and no one can make a profit off of their images.

## **Future Meeting Date:**

- Oct. 11, Nov. 8, Dec. 13, Feb. 14, Mar. 13, Apr 10, May 8

Mr. Rebholz adjourned the meeting at 3:44 with no objections.