

SAC Meeting

Mar. 8, 2016

Janine Jones called the meeting to order at 3:45. **Attendance:** Scott Simpson, Janine Jones, Kevin Oberlink, April Glaser, Marie Gruber, Linda Stewart Manning, Junie Lopez, Ruth Jasmin, Heather Moxley, Michele Murphy, Kimberly Nance, John Young, Michael Greto, Curtis Carpenter, Kristina Berryman, Dawn Dalton, Brian Holmes, and Wendy Garcia. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Kim Nance and seconded by Curtis Carpenter.

Principal's Report:

- Third Grade has their rocket launch this week- Wed. and Friday, so that modifications can be made between each launch.
- Kindergarten goes to zoo on Friday
- 3/17 is Casual for a Cause. Everyone will wear green.
- Spring Break is the week of Mar. 21- Mar. 25th.
- FSA for 3-5th follows Spring Break.
- Bee Bots are being used and well liked. We have applied for another grant to purchase more. We also had money left over. We are purchasing Pro-Bots to meet the needs of 2nd and 3rd grade students.
- Dr. Seuss day was a huge success and raised \$500 to put towards curriculum in the future. Students really enjoyed the day!
- EcoFest at ELC was a huge success and many OMS students won awards.
- We've decided to purchase Singapore Math for our school. Training will be provided. Felt it was an excellent tool to help teach conceptual math. Still will address Florida Standards. It will help differentiate us as a math magnet.

PTA Report-

- Krispy Kreme fundraiser on Mar. 17th for the PTA.
- We will also sell Spirit Sticks that day
- Student can wear a green shirt and uniform bottoms. All funds from this will go to benefit the local veterans.
- McTeachers night that night, as well.

School Improvement Plan:

- Revisited SIP plan.
- Goal 1- Technology: Keyboarding has been a problem in the cafeteria and the keyboarding competitions have ceased due to the slow pace of the Wi-Fi. Hope it is resolved over the summer. Regarding the media center, we've had problems with the laptops they are using in there. They are old and don't hold their charge. We are looking to get more computers for the media center. 4th and 5th grade teachers are using the new laptop cart in classrooms and science lab. A district wide committee is being formed to create Computer standards district wide. The initiative is being led by our school and will meet here to establish these standards.

- Goal 2- Differentiate instruction: Rather than looking at other schools for ideas, we are moving within our own schools to observe each other so that we can set up our classroom time most effectively. Additional Personnel- HERO's program in place and have 14-15 working now. Working still on utilizing gifted teacher's expertise. CPalms has been a source for LAFS centers.
- Goal 3- Standards based instruction aligned to MAFS and LAFS- Has been professional development regarding Singapore Math. This will continue into next year. Mrs. Akers has been unpacking the standards with 1st and 2nd grade and third grade had a day to collaboratively plan for LAFS standards. Planning on asking SAC for funds to pay for subs for more collaborative planning days next school year. 1st and 2nd grade will be given this opportunity this school year. Through the IRTIPS program we have been focusing on scales that address standards. Simultaneously, this has a positive effect on vertical planning.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45.