Pelican Island Elementary SAC Meeting Notes Feb 29, 2016

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 3:55 pm

Member present

see sign in sheet

Reading of previous minutes / old business

Mr. Sims made a motion to have the minutes read and approved from the last meeting -- seconded by Mrs. Campbell

Treasure's report

Treasure's report was read by Mrs. Jobe -- balance is \$3,427.58

Old Business:

- Mr. Kohlstedt gave some updates for the Environment Campus and Community Schools programs.
 - Environmental Campus: district office has approved some initial financial funding for the program. A 30' X 60' greenhouse is to be delivered and setup at PIE by April 22, 2016. There is also a ribbon cutting ceremony scheduled on April 22, as well as some Earth Day activities. Soon after the green house is up and running an Aqua phonics component will be added.
 - Community Schools: Mr. Kohlstedt will be doing an on-site visit to a community schools program in Orange County, Fl. Insights from his trip will be presented at the next meeting. PIE had a lot of survey inputs. The goal was 75--120 were received. There was a lot of positive input to the direction of the school, teaching staff, and student performance. The community had a general request to add sports programs.

New Business:

- Several discussions took place.
 - Concern of having SAC meetings on Monday was addressed. The
 meeting day was moved to Tuesday due Monday conflicting with too
 many members work schedule.

- Mr. Kohlstedt said there are currently no academic deficits at PIE based on recent benchmark testing despite having a 43% ESE student population.
- O A grant is being written to add the 21st Century Program to PIE starting in the Fall.

Next Meeting:

April 5, 2016 @ 3:45 in the PIE Media Center

Meeting Adjourned:

4:09 pm

Meeting notes submitted by:

Date: 2/29/2016

//// Signed //////
Jeffrey L. Ferguson
PIE SAC Secretary