Waiting Approval

Spencer County Middle School

SBDM Council Meeting

April 18, 2012

4:15PM

Present: Mr. Downs, Susanne Krause, Lillian Mathews, Beth Coke, Mary Forberger and Teresa Arnold (taking Minutes)

Guest: Dorothy Beaverson

1. **Welcome : Mr. Downs called meeting to order at 4:15**
2. Mission Statement: To promote life-long learners, Spencer County Middle School will engage all students in challenging and meaningful work that will result in high levels of learning**. Mission Statement read by Lillian Mathews**
3. Invitation to Speak: Beth Coke has had several parents concern about the lack of rigor in the 8th grade Science Department. She also had question regarding 8th grade graduation, why it can’t be held at night. Mr. Downs address both issues.
4. Review and Adopt agenda: Mr. Downs amended the agenda by adding another item to # 5 Map Data. **Lillian Mathews made a motion to accept the amended agenda of adding the SCMS Map data and second by Mary Forberger.**  **Consensus.**
5. Student Achievement

* Curriculum Committee: Working on Program Review
* RTI: Reassigned a few students after reviewing the Map scores.
* K-Prep: Everything is ready to go
* Map Score: Looking over the scores we have made Lots of Progress but still 1 step behind the norm except Science. We will continue to work on these things.

**6.** Sponge Lab: Dorothy Beaverson and Lillian Mathews has found an awesome website

[www.spongelab.com](http://www.spongelab.com) this site is just like Study Island except its FREE and it’s a great program that allows the teachers access to supplement lesson plans with media sites. There are levels that students can get on and teachers can sit up assignments. It also tracks credit and points for students. This sited is sponsored by the National Science Foundation.

7. Action by Consent: **Mary Forberger made a motion to approve the consent items and second**

**by Susanne Krause. Consensus**

1. **School financial**
2. **Review Minutes 3/21/12**
3. **2012-2013 Supply List**
4. **Title I – Parent Involvement Night April 24th 5:00pm – 6:30pm**

* **5th – 6th grade Transition night Packets**
* **Advance Drama play right after**

**E. Fundraiser: Dance**

* **Kentucky Gourd Show – selling concessions, collecting admission, set up and tear down. May 18th -19th 2012**
* **Booth at Baseball Bash – May or June selling Flip Flops, Hair Bands and Accessories**
* **Little Caesar Pizza Kits - August**

**Adjournment**

**Mr. Downs called for a motion to adjourn. Mary Forberger made a motion to adjourn and second by Beth Coke. Consensus**