HOWEVALLEY ELEMENTARY

**SBDM MINUTES**

### May 21, 2015

**2:30 p.m.**

Members present:

Theresa Collins-teacher, Donna Ghaderi-teacher Kathy Cofer-teacher, Deborah Lewis-teacher, Jennifer Sadler-parent representative, and Beth Handel-principal/chairperson.

Visitors: Mr. Gary Milby, Associate Superintendent of Finance

Mrs. Handel presented the proposed May agenda and SBDM Committee approved the agenda as presented. (Collins,-1st, Ghaderi-2nd )

Mrs. Handel presented the April SBDM minutes for approval. (Ghaderi-1st,

Cofer-2nd)

**Good News-Testing is over for KPREP and MAP. School year is coming to a close!**

**Mrs. Handel presented the PD Plan for the 15-16 school year with no changes.**

**Mrs. Handel discussed the summer Kindergarten Jump Start Program. The program will run from July 21-23 from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Kindergarten staff will work on acclimating students to the school, reviewing PBIS procedures, and having fun while getting to know their students.**

**Mrs. Handel presented the school classified and certified staff plans for 2015-2016 for review. Both plans may be subject to change if status of staff members change.**

**Committee discussed school space and the only recommended change will be GT will move to room 205 for next year if the room remains vacant.**

**Mrs. Handel shared SBDM election results and training information. The following staff were elected: Theresa Collins, Donna Ghaderi, and Kathy Cofer. Tanya Stilwell and Jennifer Sadler were elected as parent representatives.**

**Mrs. Cofer shared information about the K-3 Primary Program Review her committee worked on. They saw improvement in all areas due to better rationale and support evidence.**

**Mrs. Dinsmore shared results of the Practical Living/Vocational Studies Program Review. She said the committee had much more supporting evidence and they also saw improvement in all areas.**

**Mrs. Collins shared results of the Writing Program Review. She said the committee rated Howevalley too low the previous year. The committee worked diligently to reword rationale and collect meaningful evidence. Mrs. Collins said the committee was very confident in the proficient rating.**

**Mrs. Hornback was not available to share results of the Arts and Humanities Program Review because the committee was actually finishing up work during today’s meeting. She will share at the next meeting.**

**In other business, Mr. Milby stated that the city of Elizabethtown is still waiting to hear if a final resident will approve sewer lines through his property. The land has not been leased this year for crops and as soon as a decision is made about the sewer lines then the project should begin to develop. Mr. Milby dispelled some rumors about Howevalley Elementary moving into the old GC Burkhead building. He said it is available if an emergency exists but there are no plans to move the school there.**

**With no other business Mrs. Collins made a motion to adjourn. (Ghaderi-2nd ) The meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.**