

BEECHWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SBDM MEETING MINUTES

May 3,, 2023

****TENTATIVE UNTIL APPROVED BY COUNCIL****

- I. Call To Order:3:30 pm
Council Members Present: Zach Ashley, Ashley Chaiken, Jonathan Fong, Kendall Niemeyer, Heather Dickman

- II. Opening Business
 - a. May Agenda Approval - 1st Mrs. McGuire 2nd Mrs. Chaiken
 - b. April Minutes Approval – 1st Mrs. Rosen 2nd McGuire
 - c. Good News Report
 - o MAP test are complete and data looks great
 - o Final round of data meetings on Thursday, our intervention team is amazing and the growth being shown in students is impressive.
 - o Spring brings lots of activities, testing and special events
 - o Chinese Cultural Night was a HUGE success, very well planned and attended.
 - o First Grade breakfasts are well attended and fun for all.
 - o Defensive Learning 6th grade presentations went ve4th Grade Derby Horse Races
 - o PE with my person is very fun for the students and their guests

- Public Comment: Comment sent to members via email - can we not allow smart watches during the school day and include that in the student/parent handbook.

- III. School Improvement Planning:

- IV. Student Achievement Report/Data
 - A. KSA Updates/Schedule - Week of May 15th, although not all will test the whole week, we as a school will remain in test mode for the whole week.
 - B. Include charging chromebook in Tiger Talk

- V. Budget Report:
 - a. Budget Discussion - we approved the budget at the April meeting, it is possible that the administration will ask SBDM to budget 10k to go toward a position split between several different funds. More to come on this in June as talks continue on how to balance positions.
 - b. Technology money - we have been setting aside money to address technology needs in classrooms. The high school received grant

- VI. Bylaw or Policy Review/Readings/Adoption

- VII. Program Review/AdHoc Committee Reports
 - a. Reports/Minutes – no meetings

- VIII. New Business:
 - a. Elementary Start Time – 8am/8:15am - at this point and time the high school and elementary start times will remain the same as they are now at least for the next year. This also pertains to early release days for HS with the idea that while we complete construction we remain on the same schedule.
 - b. Tuition Update - Committee has met and letters are currently going out to the first batch of applicants. We said yes to 12 total students, 8- 6th grade, 1 staff in 5th grade, Kindergarten on hold with 12 applicants, these applicants will attend a meet and greet the last week of May with final decisions going out by May 26th.

 - c. May 1 Allocation - Mr. Ashley discussed the May allocation sheet and explained any changes that occurred, Mr. Ashley let SBDM members know they are invited to attend interviews.

- IX. Upcoming Deadlines/Agendas/Meetings:
 - a. Newsletter/Dates–
 - i. Board Meeting on Monday, Mr. Ashley encouraged SBDM to tune in or come in person.
 - ii. Lots of dates for upcoming school year events.
 - b. Promotion Information - dates, outside on football field weather permitting, weather decisions by noon on the day of.

- c. SBDM Elections Discussion - parent vote happening next week, teacher email will go out next week. June meeting will include current and new

XI. Adjournment – 4:16 pm, 1st - Mr. Ashley, 2nd - Mrs. Chaiken