

BEECHWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SBDM MEETING MINUTES

June 7, 2023

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

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

- II. Opening Business
 - a. June Agenda Approval - 1st Mrs. McGuire 2nd Mrs. Chaiken
 - b. May Minutes Approval – 1st Mrs. McGuire 2nd Mrs. Dickman
 - c. Good News Report
 - o Field Day huge success, lots of great parent volunteers
 - o Promotion ceremonies went very well, the weather was beautiful and the bleachers were packed.
 - o We will miss our 6th graders, they have been a great class that have contributed a lot to Beechwood Elementary.
 - o Camps are underway, campus is busy with students participating in those opportunities.
 - o OM teams participated and represented Beechwood well in World competition.
 - o State Testing went well

- Public Comment: New Council Members attended: Jennifer Withrow, Josh Grooms and Jonathon Fong , and Mrs. Pies joined the meeting as a guest.

- III. School Improvement Planning:

- IV. Student Achievement Report/Data

- V. Budget Report:
 - a. We look at the budget February - May so we can make purchases for the upcoming school year in June.
 - b. Mr. Ashley shared the end of the year report with the council, the report is also in the SBDM drive.

VI. Bylaw or Policy Review/Readings/Adoption

- a. 2023 Updates, Mr. Ashley will put state updates or school updates in the drive. If any council member would like to see a policy updated please bring that to the meeting or submit it in the drive for council review. If there are any changes submitted we will do a first read/discussion at one meeting and a 2nd read/vote at the following month's meeting.

VII. Program Review/AdHoc Committee Reports

- a. Reports/Minutes – committees are formed to give the opportunity for input and involvement in topics the council discusses. Committees can be formed based on topics the council believes would be beneficial.

VIII. New Business:

- a. Elementary Start Time 8:15am - start times for elementary and high school will remain the same for 2023-2024, possibly could change once construction is complete.
- b. Tuition Update - 18 - 18 is the number of students who have been offered a tuition spot, the second round is open now and will close on July 27th.
- c. New Staff - Mr. Ashley thanked those council members who participated in new staff interviews. We are currently fully staffed.
5th Grade Language Arts - Rachel Sharp
Speech/language Pathologist - Racheal Turner
PT Speech - Cristy Buchanan
1st Grade Teacher - Betsy Stoeckle
Instructional Assistant - Owen Alcorn
Instructional Assistant - Ashley Noah
Gifted & Talented - Ashley Ritchie
- d. **Singing Tigers, Drumming Tigers, Chess Club** - Mr. Ashley shared a proposal (also located in the SBDM drive), for a \$1200 stipend for the coordinators of the before mentioned clubs just as the coordinators of basketball, cross country, volleyball receive. Mr. Ashley would like the council to consider the stipends and the guidelines in which these stipends would be offered. Other clubs beginning this year that should be discussed(Cheerleading/Hit Seekers).
- e. Construction Update - Elementary lobby will not be accessible beginning the week of June 12th.

IX. Upcoming Deadlines/Agendas/Meetings:

- a. Newsletter/Dates–
 - i. Mr. Ashley shared Tiger Talk dates for open house and back to school dates
- b. SBDM Elections Discussion - Mr. Ashley discussed SBDM training with new members and who will need the 3-hour vs. 6-hour training.
- c. Next Meeting is July 19th @3:30pm in the Art Room

XI. Adjournment – 4:32 pm, 1st - Mr. Ashley, 2nd - Mrs. Rosen