

Morningside Elementary
SBDM Minutes
October 19th, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 3:31.

Members present were Heather Goodman, Karen Henson, Kayla Hindle, Amelia Abell, Mika Tyler, and Michael Betts.

Council reviewed the current agenda. Michael Betts made a motion to approve the agenda; motion was seconded by Karen Henson. All were in consensus.

Council reviewed the September meeting minutes. Mika Tyler made a motion to approve the minutes; motion was seconded by Kayla Hindle. All were in consensus.

No public comment.

Heather Goodman shared the Principal's report with council members including the following information:

- Enrollment- The school currently has 454 students.
- Updates:
 - Vision screenings took place on 10/2.
 - Flu shot clinic took place on 10/4.
 - PTO spirit store and cookie dough fundraiser items have arrived.
 - Report cards go home 10/20.
 - Fall parent conferences have taken place.
- Upcoming events:
 - Red ribbon week will be 10/23-10/27.
 - Make-up picture day is 10/24.
 - On 10/25, the Academic Team has their first competition.
 - Halloween parties are scheduled for 10/31.
 - Book fair begins on 11/2 and will end on 11/10. We have our Thanksgiving lunch that week on 11/9.
 - Club day will be on 11/3.
 - A Veteran's day breakfast will take place on 11/10.
 - Student council is making posters for Red Ribbon Week.

Council reviewed the Budget Reports for Section 6 and Activity Accounts. Morningside received an additional \$1440.00 for the September allocation. Mrs. Goodman suggested that additional funds be placed in the Contingency account. Michael Betts made a motion to approve this suggestion; Mika Tyler seconded. All were in consensus.

Council reviewed the CSIP- Phase Two-School Assurances. Karen Henson made a motion to approve this phase; Mika Tyler seconded. All were in consensus.

Heather Goodman presented information on the fall STAR benchmark reports by grade level. Most grades were around 50% for students scoring on grade level. We are hoping to increase those numbers on the next STAR test.

Heather Goodman presented Council with the first reading of Policy 25.01, School-wide Writing Program. Council reviewed the document and Mrs. Goodman discussed suggested changes. Mrs. Goodman will revise the policy and it will present it to Council for the 2nd reading and approval at the next scheduled meeting.

Heather Goodman shared with the Council Committee minutes from September. The reading and writing committees worked on revising the writing plan. The math committee discussed assessments for our new math program. The science/social studies committee discussed ways to make the new social studies program more user friendly. The PBIS/safety/culture committee looked at behavior data and found that most were occurring on the playground. The Title 1/Parent involvement committee set a date for Merry Morningside (12/7) and started planning that event.

The next scheduled meeting will take place on November 16th at 3:30.

Amelia Abell motioned to adjourn the meeting. This was seconded by Kayla Hindle.

Meeting adjourned at 3:57 PM.

Heather Goodman, Principal

Karen Henson, Co-Chair