

SBDM Beechwood Elementary Minutes

2024-2025 (TENTATIVE UNTIL APPROVED)

Date

4.8.25

Time

3:30pm

Location

Elementary Art Room

I. Call to Order

Members Present: Zach Ashley, Hannah Burns, Ashley Chaiken, Dawn McGuire, Michelle White,, Jennifer Withrow

II. Opening Business 3:30pm

- a. April Agenda Approval 1st McGuire , 2nd White
- b. March Minutes Approval - 1st Korba , 2nd Withrow
- c. Good News Report
 - a. Summer opportunities are in full swing, some new camps are being offered this summer.
 - b. EDGE Showcase - students and staff shined showing off the new products created during classes.
 - c. Defenses of Learning - students present a digital portfolio of work to staff, admin and community partners will be there to provide feedback.
 - d. Academic Team - very successful seasons for both elementary and middle school.
 - e. Future Problem Solving may be an addition to the academic teams, excited about the opportunity for our students to participate in this part of the Academic Team program.
 - f. Girls on the Run - practice is happening now and race is coming up, girls are excited about it and staff are making signs for each runner to show support.
 - g. Tiger Trail is coming up in April, this has become a community event.
 - h. Mrs. Raybuck will officially be the Elementary librarian beginning in 2025-2026.
 - i. Assistant Principal Week - thanks to everything Alicia Wittmer does for our staff, students and families.
 - j. Mural Making in 4th grade, this will roll into a seminar/EDGE program.

- k. PONDS coming to provide an dance class with our MSD classroom.
- l. EC Etics coming to work with our first grade classes on an EDGE program.

Public Comment: Mrs. Rachel Fait - provided perspective on the Special Education Allocation (Tier II, Minutes and ongoing Support/Refinement for Interventions) She also discussed PD to enhance Interventions (new ideas, best practices) and asked that SBDM update parents on how development of interventions is proceeding.

III. School Improvement Planning

No New Update

IV. Student Achievement Report/Data

- a. KSA Details and Schedule - Mrs. Wittmer provided information on dates and planning. May 12th - 16th. Currently in the process of defining the exact times testing will occur in each grade level.

V. Budget Report

- a. Budget Update - Mr. Ashley shared the current budget.
- b. YTD & Projected - Mr. Ashley shared the YTD, discussed the difference between this year and the projection for 2025/2026. The school fundraiser is the difference as we do that every other year.
- c. Mr. Ashley discussed the various entries on the YTD and what they mean.
- d. Meeting in May - we will need to make budget decisions, Mr. Ashley asked the council to review materials and be prepared to make those decisions.

VI. ByLaw or Policy Review/Reading/Adoption

- a. Title Update - No new update

VII. Program Review/AdHoc Committee Reports

- a. Reports/Minutes - no new update

VIII. New Business

- a. Principals Report
- b. New Hire - Mrs. Raybuck has been hired as the 2025-2026 Librarian
- c. End of Year Details - Mr. Ashley shared the last week of school details.
- d. SBDM elections will come up in May. Mr. Ashley discussed how the elections take place.

IX. Upcoming Deadlines/Agendas/Meetings

- a. Newsletter Dates - Newsletter
- b. Enrollment Info. - Mr. Ashley discussed potential enrollment numbers for 2025-26.
- c. Tuition Plan Update - Currently Kindergarten is open.
- d. Cell Phones - the council asked if there was an appropriate way to address cell phones among 5th and 6th graders.

IX. Adjournment: 4:30 1st Chaiken 2nd McGuire

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