

SACS Minutes for the February 4, 2019 meeting

Welcome by Ms. Welch – 4:00 meeting begins

Updates by Committee Chairs

- ELA –
 1. At the committee meeting, concerns were shared regarding the amount of students in RTI in grades 3-5 with phonological awareness deficits.
 2. Ms. Pearce and Ms. Pichard shared information about Lexonik which is a phonics program. They attended a workshop and felt positively about this program.
 3. Two professional developments were held on Early Release on January 30th. Fifth grade teachers presented AVID strategies and Ms. Ott presented EET.
- Math –
 1. Ms. Panzarino stated that students had just recently finished STAR testing and teachers were presently reviewing data from this STAR testing window.
 2. It was requested that next year we choose a meeting date that is a bit later in the year to allow more time for data review.
- Technology –
 1. Ms. Hatfield and Ms. Mitchem recently attended a training in Texas in which they learned about Quiz Is. They will share more information from the training at the next SAC meeting.
 2. Teachers in various grade levels are having trouble with N- computing systems which is affecting Classlink, I-Ready, and internet connection.
- Parental Involvement –
 1. Holidays Around the World was successful- a big thank you to Ms. Myhre. A suggestion was made that we pre-sort books by grade/age levels for easy distribution.
 2. Chili-cook-off was a hit and the DJ was enjoyed. A suggestion was made to bring a Sweet Shop back. After discussion it was tabled because this was not profitable in previous years. Also, we will be asking for sweets for the Country Fair soon.
 3. The profits from this event (Chili Cook-off) and Dress Down go to a scholarship fund. Mr. Hernandez wants to investigate the benefits of putting the funds in a CD/endowment so that the interest earned is providing the scholarship.
 4. Country Fair is quickly approaching. Please reach out for volunteers. Ms. Davis suggested that we explore options for electronic payment to make it simpler to manage funds for school activities.

SIP Mid-Year Reflection report – Information was shared, reviewed, and discussed. Please see attached report.

Next SACS meeting will be held on May 6th.

Ms. Panzarino moved to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Ms. Barrett. Meeting adjourned at 4:42 p.m.

