SDMC MINUTES  
January 23, 2020 3:30pm

Welcome Mr. John Flowers, Principal  
Mr. Flowers extended a heartfelt welcome to all and sincerely thanked everyone for their participation.

Introductions  
Community Leaders, Parents, Staff and Partnerships

Accountability Goals  
Currently we are a rated D campus. Our goal is to be an A campus. Our scores are trending up. Snapshots will be held on next week.

We are rewarding our students with incentives for their hard work and dedication.

Washer/Dryer Update  
Andre Reed, one of our phenomenal community partners has graciously donated to the Beehive a washer and dryer. Mr. Flowers thanked Mr. Reed for his donation and dedication to the success of the Beehive. The next item on the Beehive list is to receive an ice machine.

Upcoming Snapshot  
Discussion on our strategies to improve our scores. Ms. Mitchell gave an update of the fifth-grade class structure. We have structured the classes 1 teacher to 6 students. The small group setting will greatly improve the quality of instruction our students will receive. Last year fourth grade experienced low passage rates. Our focus is to increase our passage rate.

TELPAS  
Texas English Language Proficiency Assessment System is an assessment for English Language learners designed to assess the progress that limited English proficient students make in learning the English language. It is taken in kindergarten through grade 5 in four language domains listening, speaking, reading and writing. We have implemented strong writing standards throughout the Beehive. Ms. Taylor, our Instructional Coordinator provides a weekly prompt. The writings are to be turned in weekly. We were at 36% last year and our goal this year is 50%.

Baller Soccer Academy  
An update provided by Ms. Chavis, HISD made the decision we cannot use Baller Soccer Academy. An email of that decision was received by Ms. Chavis on January 23, 2020.

Yoga/Golf  
Ms. Chavis introduced BANJO. BANJO teaches chess, yoga, golf and mindfulness. BANJO is 100% free. BANJO sessions will happen through PE.
Cheer Squads
Ms. Mitchell gave an update. The squads are performing in the community. All are welcomed to support their hard work. Our cheerleading uniforms were supplied as a result of our community partnership with Representative Jarvis Johnson.

NS4S
Mr. Damond King, CEO and Founder has brought to the Beehive the nonprofit NS4S. Their first project is to plant a garden. Representative Jarvis Johnson is supplying us with garden materials. We will start with one garden. Our goal is to have a garden in each pod area.

Art Metro
The art metro project will be on our campus. The students will make art pieces. The Beehive has adopted a bus stop. The location is at the corner of Beall and W. Montgomery. We are working on getting a shelter for the bus stop.

SFA Field Trip
Mr. Flowers shared his vision for forming collegiate partnerships. Pathways promote educational growth to the college level and beyond. He welcomes any college or university to get involved. Partnerships have been established. SFA (Stephen F. Austin) U of H (University of Houston)

PTO Updates
An upcoming event is a Daddy Daughter Dance. There are various options for payment; to include cash app, checks and cash. We have reached our $100.00 goal from today’s PTO meeting. Incentives are being offered to encourage family and faculty support.

Muffins with Mom
Today’s event was a total success. We had over 200 in attendance.

Culture/Climate
All agreed there is a continued peace and calmness on our campus. The students are engaged in learning. Mr. Flowers extended kudos to all for going the extra mile. Mr. Bundy suggested the possibility of having a Spelling Bee.

Questions or Additional Information
Ms. Allen, our Dean of Instruction gave an update on our upcoming Math Literacy Night, Wednesday, February 5th 4:00pm – 6:00pm. It will have a Tailgate Theme. There will be 12 to 14 math stations and plenty of take-home activities. A Chef is coming in. We will serve popcorn, snacks and hot dogs. A suggested sponsor for the hot dogs was our PTO. Ms. Felder, DAT and PTO member volunteered to supply wieners and buns.

Mr. Flowers thanked everyone for all their hard work and commitment. We are constantly making Game Changing History.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:10pm.