October 17, 2018

SDMC Minutes

Members present were Ms. DelPino, Ms. Gilford, Mr. Eaton, Ms. SantaAna, Ms. Thibodeaux, Ms. Jean, Ms. Trejo, Ms. Cockrell, Ms. Haynes

Review of last meeting minutes

Attendance

Attendance data is posted outside of office. Attendance needs to be at 98.8% but has gotten as low as 84%. One incentive will be on Oct. 26. There will be an ancillary activity/dance. There is a Restorative Circle attendance prize incentive for classes with 100% attendance. There will be a cafeteria sale of goodies on ½ days after school or given schedule in PTO room as incentive for attendance.

Donuts with Dads will have a guest speaker on Nov 16th who is author and coach at middle school.

PEIMS. day – Mc Donald's sausage biscuit and hash brown as incentive as per Ms. Cockrell the business partner.

Ms. Thibodeaux and Ms. Cockrell asked if they can visit home of consistently absent students to assist with issues preventing attendance. Truancy letters to be mailed soon. They want to conduct their visits before then.

Ms. Cockrell discussed signature prizes per grade level as December incentive. Staff needs to provide feedback as to what prizes they would like to have. Ms. Jean will survey students. Some suggested prizes are slime scented pencils, legos, and puzzles.

November festival booths were listed by Ms. Thibodeaux. Students will be donating items for grade level booths. PTO will be sending a letter/flyer to parents asking for donations provided teachers will inform what is needed. We all need to encourage students to buy festival/carnival tickets.

Cafeteria Incentives

A reward was discussed at end of each week for good cafeteria behavior. Ms. Gilford spoke out against rewards for everything. Ms. Trejo brought up PD for staff monitoring cafeteria. Ms. Jean informed about a color system to bring noise level down based on loudness of crowd. It is not a reward system but intended for accountability.

Budget

Ms. Yolanda Rodriguez assisted the campus in getting our 66K book bill from previous years dismissed. Also, dismissed was 42K extra duty bill from last year.

November Food Drive

Class bringing most canned goods will be given a reward. Ms. Haynes to provide dates to start and end canned goods drive. We will select families to receive food basket starting with backpack buddy list and homeless families.

Campus Safety

Door behind intermediate hall going to the parking lot has been left unlatched.

There was a motion to close meeting at 4:42 P.M. by Ms. Jean seconded by Mr. Eaton.