SDMC Meeting Minutes—September 20, 2021

Mr. Samuel started the zoom meeting at 3:33 p.m. Attendees were:

Mark Samuel, Betsy Coker, Sophia Phillips, Stephanie Smith, and Carla Climer

Enrollment, Budgeting, Staffing and Safety were discussed.

--Projected enrollment was 520. As of today, enrollment is 524. PEIMS snapshot is October 29th.

--Budget—Shadowbriar is on track for projected 2021-2022 budget.

--Staffing—There are vacant positions in SPED, 2nd grade, and 4th grade. Two people will be completing their certifications in the next few weeks and will be long term subs in 2nd and 4th grade.

--Safety—only a handful of positive COVID cases on campus. Excessive absences will be monitored more closely. Arrival and dismissal are running more smoothly, but still a lot of tardies.

Partnerships were discussed. We have a partnership with Univar and Chemical Education Partners to help support science teachers with curriculum. KHOU is also a community partner. Shadowbriar received an $11,000 check. Suggestions on spending were to support learning loss, and the need for technology for ELL and SPED students. There is also a need for campus uniforms.

Shadowbriar will also receive ESSR (federal) funding. This will provide funds for a wraparound specialist who will be starting October 4th. We will also get another counselor and an interventionist. HB 4545 states that any 4th or 5th grade student that did not pass math or reading STAAR will get 30 hours of intervention. Title One Funding was discussed with funds currently being used for Communities In-Schools and an Hourly Tutor for student interventions. Additionally, we reviewed the Parent Involvement Policy and School-Family Compact.

Virtual Open House will be Thursday, September 23rd.

Mr. Samuel went over the School Improvement Plan (SIP) and SIP goals for this year. The SDMC agreed with the plan and goals. The goal for this year is for Shadowbriar to be an “A” campus with a focus on student progress and increasing meets and masters performance.

PTO—Ms. Climer suggested that each grade level take a month to support fundraisers at local restaurants.

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:25 p.m.