



Berry Elementary

Environmental Science Magnet School

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SDMC Committee

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 11, 2022

Start time – 3:35 pm

End time – 4:18 pm

WELCOME

- Introduction of 2021-2022 SDMC Members
- Updates to Faculty and Staff
 - Ms. Anita Winston will join BSC Team as a Teacher Aide. Mr. Olvera will continue to support BSC.
 - Mr. Rodney Miller will join the Enrichment/Ancillary team as an Environmental Science contract employee
 - Ms. Roxelin Garcia will join the PALS team as a Teacher Aide
 - Ms. Abram will join the staff as a Speech Interventionist
 - Ms. Cynthia Castro will join as a Dyslexia Interventionist
 - Ms. Dawson will join as a long-term sub for Art
 - Ms. Rangel will be on maternity leave. Ms. Vasquez will cover her class.
 - Ms. Scarth will become the teacher of record for 5th grade reading.
- Budget Status
 - Discussed current enrollment and how it affects the school's budget.
 - Ms. Baez has resigned and will relocate due to husband employment. Position will be closed.
 - PreK and 5th grade positions were closed and will be re-opened once candidates are identified for 2022-2023 SY.
 - Tutorial's teachers will be selected based on their student's enrichment and remediation needs for after school and Saturdays. The 2021- 2022 school accountability rating will be effective for the following 2 school year due to implementation of STAAR 2.0.
 - Every Saturday will be available for tutorials until March -Spring Break.
 - Clubs and Afterschool enrichment will commence 1/24 and may be delayed by one week.
 - Automatic gates- We are still waiting on final quotes to budget appropriately.



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- Feedback on Berry King and Queen fundraiser
 - Parent meeting will be held to explain how the fundraiser will function.
 - SDMC voted and agreed to fundraiser
 - Father -Daughter Valentines dance will be postponed due to Covid Restrictions.
- Parental Involvement and Curriculum nights:
 - Spaghetti dinners to draw attendance
 - Target Date 2/21/2022
 - Mock quizzes for the parents which will be graded'
 - Possibly held again in March TBD
- Proposed Future Meeting Dates:
 - Tuesday March1, 2022
 - Tuesday May 3, 2022

Concerns

- Schedule changes to Master Schedules and cafeteria lunches will start 1/31/2022 and expect possible hiccups and remind teams to be timely.
- Possibly moving Black History Program to a later date in February 28. Delay is to see if we can hold in person with limited attendance once district lifts restrictions.

Meeting adjourned at 4:18 pm.

Thank you for your support!



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Committee Representative	Representative Name
Chairperson	Alvaro Montelongo Jr.
Parent	Elsa Ramirez
Parent	Jessica Perez
Community Member	
Community Member	Jarrod Thompson
Business Representative	Bessy Carcamo
Professional Staff-Teachers (Special Education Rep)	Georgena Ellison
Professional Staff-Teachers	Graciela Real
Professional Staff-Teachers	Alma Marquez
Professional Staff-Teachers	Ana Arevalo
Professional Staff-Teachers	Gwendolyn Sterling
Professional Staff-Teachers	Shernaz Boomla
Professional Staff- Teachers	Eursla Lewis
Professional Staff-Teachers	Stephanie Torres
Professional Staff- Other	Leticia Martinez
Professional Staff- Other	Rodolfo Ramos
Professional Staff- Other	Engeline Trevino
Professional Staff- Other	Sherri Stevenson
Non-Instructional Employee	Eliza Saenz
Non-Instructional Employee	Oneida Cruz