

School Governance Meeting (SGC)

Tracey Elementary

2/27/17

Meeting started: 5:00 pm

Members Present:

Carole Constandaki, Naglaa Bahnasy, Lisa Kaplan,
John Sincerbeaux, Robert Riddell, Carla Monteiro,
Amy Silvester, Theresa Rangel, Tiffany Kiarikidis,
Adil Khan, Amanda Griffith

Members Absent: Susan Kivits, Godfrey Azima

Minutes Keeper: John Sincerbeaux

1. Discussion on Reading Data:

- a. K- Discussed students below, at and above benchmark. Discussed how many students are being pulled out for intervention and missing whole group.
- b. 1st Grade – First grade is showing growth and has received support with interventionist.
- c. 2nd Grade – Currently happy with performance.
- d. 3rd Grade – Third grade has two different assessments and we are working on correlating the test.
- e. 4th Grade - The 4th grade test is similar to what students will see on the SBAC. It is a challenging assessment. We are seeing growth and students are moving along.
- f. 5th Grade - 5th grade is performing very well and has made exceptional growth. 5th

Grade has been doing a lot of student-centered activities and working collaboratively.

2. Discussion on Math Data:

- a. 3rd Grade- Has shown some growth and support is being provided. An extended day will be offered for grades 3 – 5.
- b. 4th Grade – Will need support and will benefit from the support (extended day).
- c. 5th Grade – Currently within performance and grade level showed great growth.
- d. K- 2 Benchmarks have been a Tracey initiative and are allowing K-2 teachers to target instruction etc. at the lower grades.

3. After School Enrichment:

- Has been a great experience and has been well received from the community.

4. How do we determine the number of years a member serves on SGC? We need to find this out for both parents and teachers.

5. Assignments

- Norwalk Educational Association - Had a list of donors that could serve us well. This could help support the letter we want to send out to community.
- Grant Report- Carla and John – We need to work on getting our timing right for grant writing. We will need to work on generating things in August.
- Stews – They will do gift cards and wishing well – Possible options for Tracey.
- Parent Survey – District has extended the parent survey. 35 percent from each school has been deemed appropriate for valid data. Parent conferences - a great opportunity for parents to complete the survey.
- Read Across America – All community is supporting this initiative, as is central office and outside community members. This is

the first time that Tracey has taken on this initiative.

6. Budget Information:

- a. The district has provided nothing yet for budget information. It was promised on Feb. 1st, but still has not been provided from the district.

Meeting adjourned at 6:11pm

Next meeting: TBD – Budget Proposal – Dates will be sent out.