



## **SLT Meeting**

**5.18.18**

**3:30 - 5:30**

### **Attendance:**

Bob Bender, PS 11 Principal

### **Teachers:**

Erica Goldstick (4th Grade Teacher)

Kelsey Petrillo (5th Grade Teacher)

Sara Jutcovich (3rd Grade Teacher)

Dawn Rosevear (UFT liaison/ Teacher)

Julianne Toce (3rd Grade Teacher)

### **Community Representative:**

Debbie Osborne, PS 11 Programs and Community Based Organization (CBO) representative

### **Parents:**

Robin Broshi (parent, 4th Grade)

Jordan Wright (parent, 1st Grade)

Carrie Beth Griffith (appointed PTA Liaison)

Ron Miller (parent, 5th and 2nd grades)

Anu Agrawal (parent, 5th Grade)

### **Not Present:**

Rachel Schwartz (parent, 1st Grade)

### **Minutes:**

#### **A. April meeting minutes approved.**

#### **B. Enrichment Proposal**

- Proposal for kindergarten book exchange approved. No funds involved.
- When new PTA Executive Board convenes, remind them of the SLT proposal process.

#### **C. SLT Elections**

- Three two-year terms open for parents. Nominations open at May 18th PTA meeting and elections will be at the June 8th PTA meeting. Candidates do not have to be present at the meeting to run.

#### **D. Swimming Open House**

- Discussed how to give parents an opportunity to visit a swimming class. Possible option is to invite 2nd grade families to watch one session during the year since this is the grade where swimming is introduced at school.

#### **E. Poetry Night**

- To be held on May 30th. Need parent volunteers to help with set-up 5:30-6:15.

#### **F. Architecture Night**

- The event had to terminate early as kids were not listening and parents were not active in helping with discipline and following the instructions presented by the architects of the activity on hand.
- Will not continue architecture night moving forward.

#### **G. Family Friday Update**

- Given the success of the school-wide bullying Family Friday, discussed the idea of more SLT-supported Family Fridays. Possibly two per year with school-wide theme but different content for K-2 and 3-5.
- One topic to consider for next year is Race Equity.

#### **H. Parent's Book Club**

- Further discussed when parents will be able to align with teachers. Discussed meeting with Racial Equity teachers' group. Dawn will let Anu know which date works.

#### **I. Comprehensive Education Plan**

- June meeting will be to draft CEP. Two June meetings have been scheduled if necessary.
- Team tasked with thinking about academic goals for CEP for next meeting.

#### **J. Extended School Day Research**

- Ron Miller presented data on time in school and performance.
- Old data shows no correlations and new data shows correlation but flawed because there are many more variables.
- It seems extended day may be valuable to increase performance; however, it is not effective if extra material is added during the additional time.

#### **K. Next Year SLT Events**

- Discussed ideas of an event to add in lieu of Architecture night
- Discussed bringing back food to meetings to bolster attendance
- Possible topics could be STEM, social/emotional, and/or racial equity related
- Discussed how to incorporate cultural celebrations to school culture appropriately

#### **L. Safety**

- There will be construction for 18 months (masonry around roof)
- Considering how to manage this to have the least impact, possibly a phased approach.
- There will be no little yard/roof yard during construction so need to determine plan to ensure children have enough space to play.

**Next meeting: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 from 3:30 - 5:30.**