

DRAFT

SLT Meeting

6.12.18

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)

Rachel Schwartz (parent, 1st Grade)

Anu Agrawal (parent, 5th Grade)

Not Present:

Carrie Beth Griffith (appointed PTA Liaison)

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

Minutes:

A. May meeting minutes approved.

B. Newly elected SLT members introduced

Jason Schultz (parent, K)

Sonal Patel (parent 1st and 3rd Grade)

Ron Miller (parent 2nd and 5th Grades)

C. Selected 2018-2019 Dates for SLT Meetings:

September 6th at 3:30

October 2nd at 3:30

November 13th at 3:30

December 4th at 3:30

January 8th at 3:30

February 12th at 3:30
March 5th at 3:30
April 9th at 3:30
May 7th at 3:30
May 28th at 3:30
June 18th at 3:30 (if needed)

D. District 2 Diversity Vision Statement

In partnership with students, families and surrounding communities, District 2 will provide equitable access and opportunity for all students to attend an inclusive and diverse learning community. As culturally responsive and sensitive environments, all District 2 schools will enable each student to maintain a positive self-image, be socially responsible, and achieve academic success to thrive in our emerging world.

- Members were asked how the vision statement lives in our school and how it does not. Here were some thoughts:
 - Teaching staff is mostly white, paras mostly minorities
 - There is a desire to change but efforts can seem individual and ad hoc
 - The potential to diversify and integrate our school is there but it is not actualized
 - Does everyone feel they are a part of this community? Data suggests not.
 - In our ICT classes most of the model students are white and most minority students have IEPs (diverse but not integrated)
 - Teachers are reading more books with characters of color.
 - We are starting with a zone that brings a diverse population to the school
 - Our G and T classes are not diverse but we are taking steps to address this

E. G & T Diversity in Admissions

- Bob reported that PS 11 met its target to diversify G and T seats in Kindergarten (staying within the district) and in 1st (by going out of district).
- The lowest qualifying score for students taking these seats was higher than the lowest qualifying score for PS 11 siblings- in both grades.
- Members would like to start an initiative to do more local outreach to try to get more zoned and/or district families interested in these G and T seats

C. Potluck Planning

- The potluck is scheduled for Friday, June 22nd.
- SLT members will arrive at 5:30 to set up.
- New rule in place: children must be accompanied by an adult to enter the yard and attend the picnic.
- New bathroom policy: all students must be accompanied by an adult to enter the building to use a restroom. No other parts of the building will be open to the public.
- SLT members will each take a shift to guard the entrance from the yard.
- Bob will make a flyer to highlight these new policies. He will also make a flyer for the entrance from the yard.

D. CEP

- Members broke into small groups to write the new CEP goals for 2018-2019. We began the work but will need to meet again on June 19th to complete it.

Next meeting: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 from 3:30 - 5:30.