DAG HAMMARSKJOLD PTAC MEETING

Minutes of Meeting: April 1, 2015

In Attendance: Sashi Govin, Nick DaPonte, George Bikakis, Andrea Valley-Paskiewicz, Virginia Mautte, Julie Rogers, Christine Lion, Kim Vegliante, Cliff Overstrum

Pilot Schedule:

- Surveys to parents, students, staff
- Feedback at meeting -
 - Block sections very long
 - Longer times are hard for 6th graders
 - Too much sitting
 - Seeing student school avoidance on block days
 - Kids check out? on block days
 - Teachers showing Disney movies, Curious George, Spongebob O Block
 - Flipping lunches and times causing issues for students
 - o Student feedback to parents late schedule
 - Missing class on block days is not working
 - Unable to have them follow up on Math and ELA

System-wide PTAC:

- Checklist
- Website all set
- Budget meeting Town Council, April 9, 2015, 6 P.M. at Town Hall;
 Looking for parents to go
- Lyman Hall track update
- Virtual backpack on Wallingford website (system-wide forms)
- Course selection at the high school:
 - World Language concern -- Spanish 3 Honors
 - High school math offerings; calculus
- Parent check list
- "Perks of Being a Wallflower" discussion was tabled
- Nomination set: Christine Lion, President (System-wide PTAC) for next year
- Button making to support the budget