



Holly Springs STEM Academy School Council Meeting Agenda

January 13th, 2022 @ 7:00 am

School Council Members
Amanda Schoeniger ✓
Destiny Allen (2)
Ashley Whitworth (2) ✓
Kayla Johnson (1) ✓
Erica Basso (1)
Courtney Cox / Teacher (1) ✓
Naticia Zocca / Teacher (1) ✓

Attendees ✓

1. Call to Order ✓

2. Approval of Agenda ✓

3. STEM/STEAM Update ✓

- EDP Poster design progress [\(A\)](#) vs. [\(B\)](#) ✓
 - Unit development progress – Grade level units 1 and 2 have been completed. Teams are currently working on unit 3. The team has invited the GADOE STEM/STEAM representative for a school Admin/ Lead teacher virtual visit.
 - Build Parent and Community Partnerships ✓
 - [Partner Levels Flyer](#)
- Certification Goal- Spring 2023, latest Fall 2023

5. Teacher of the Month Program ✓

- Feature in Monthly Newsletter

- Partner gifts (Chick-fil-A, Nothing Bunt Cakes, Special parking, Honey Bake Ham) -each nominee receives a special gift for being nominated with the overall TOTM receiving additional recognitions.

- PTA is sponsoring Tea for the staff

6. Wildcat Welcome Initiative ✓ - 3rd grade gifted student project initiative. They have also created Welcome gift bags for all new students and Wildcat Way vignettes for students to watch.

7. Wildcat Way posters ✓

- Cafeteria (banner), Bathrooms, Hallways, Playground (signs)
- Gym- forth coming

4. School Calendar- Third Quarter Events ✓ -hoping events will be able to occur as scheduled with COVID numbers.

- MLK- No school
- Beta Club Induction Moved to Jan. 24th
- STEM Night, Friday Feb. 4th 5-7 pm
 - First Grade Music (patriotic)
 - Olympic Theme
- Feb. 21-25 Mid-Winter Break
- Spring Picture Day – February 28th
- PTA Winter Dance – March 4th 6-8 pm
- Exceptional Children's Week – March 7-11th
 - PTA Event – Mar. 11th

5. Competition Club/ Events ✓

- Reading Bowl, Math Competition and Academic Bowl Teams will continue to meet with social distancing measures in place.
 - Reading Bowl – Saturday, January 29th @ ET Booth
 - Math Competition – Friday, Feb. 4th 4:30-7:30 pm (conflict w/ STEM Night)
 - Academic Bowl – April 16th 7:30-2:00 pm

7. Next School Council Meeting / March 17, 2022 ✓

8. Q and A ✓ -parent representative expressed concerns related to morning carpool line back up. The council discussed admin presence to encourage cars to pull all the way up to the front crosswalk.

9. Adjournment ✓