

Pacetti Bay Middle School SAC Meeting

November 16, 2017

Attendance: Lisa Fink, Hannah Hart, Kristine Beringer, Staci Farrell, Wenona Arline, Gentry Grimes, Sterling Grimes, Catie Grimes, Tara Therre, Jay Martino (for Donna McMaster), Hedy Sberna, Meghan Ryan, Allison Birbal, Susuan Paczkowski, Monica Freeland, Chamane Williams, Jay Willets

- Meeting was called to order by Lisa Fink at 5:00 PM

Finance Update

- Approximately \$2,785.82 in the SAC Budget, pending some purchase orders

Science Olympiad (Allison Birbal)

- Science Olympiad started last year at PBMS
 - 18 participants
 - 3 medals
 - 9th place
 - Top 7 teams move on to the State Tournament
- It is a Science Club that meets afterschool and during open PAWS sessions
- 23 different science events
 - 15 competitions – Regional, State, and National level tournaments
 - Regional Tournament is February 17, 2018 at Embry Riddle in Daytona Beach

Electives Presentation (Meghan Ryan)

- Electives offer students a variety of choices
- Some are pre-requisites for high school (Spanish and technology)
- Physical Education
 - A semester based class
 - Turkey Trot is November 17th
 - 2 mile fun run for students and teachers
 - All proceeds from t-shirts donated to Dreams Come True
- Band
 - 264 students currently in band
 - Sounds of the Season Concert will be held on November 30th
- Theatre
 - 3 Levels Offered:
 - Basic Theatre
 - Theatre 1
 - Theatre 2
 - Afterschool Theatre Opportunities
 - Group Musical Number
 - NYC Trip will be in February
 - 48 student openings
 - 2 acting workshops
 - Seeing 3 musicals
- Chorus and Exploration of Music
 - Performance on December 19th at 6pm
- Arts

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- 2D Art – 6th Grade
- 3D Art – 7th/8th Grade
- Digital Art - 7th/8th Grade
- A/V Arts (TV Production)
 - Students create videos for our Wildcat News Network
 - Great intro to communication academy at Nease
- Journalism
 - Alternate writing styles
 - Interviews
 - Public Service Announcements
 - History of Journalism
- Spanish
 - Exploratory – 6th Grade
 - Beginning Spanish – 7th Grade
 - Intermediate Spanish – 8th Grade
 - High School Spanish I
- Computer
 - Intro to Technology (STEM Class)
 - Computer Apps and Business 1
 - Digital Information Technology (DIT)
 - High school business class centered on Office 365

Science Textbook Update (Wenona Arline)

- Committee members from SAC met with Mrs. Arline
 - Looked at textbooks using a rubric
 - Conversations around
 - PBMS is going to suggest we use the Houghton Mifflin Curriculum
 - All schools will submit recommendations and county will make a decision

Good News from Mr. Willets

- 1,487 Student Population
 - 7 new families from Puerto Rico
- Next iReady assessment will be in January
- Pacetti Cares
 - “Socktoberfest” – Sock sold, every 100 sold, an artificial limb is purchased for someone in a developing country
 - PBMS raised enough money to buy 5 limbs
 - Hurricane Relief Drive (9 pallets of supplies)
 - Hurricane Harvey, Hurricane Irma
 - Humble Middle in Houston, Texas
 - Local community members and students
 - Puerto Rico
- Just released parent notifications for Schoology
 - Additional Schoology training for teachers facilitated by Brock O’Shell
- 40 additional portable spots available/approved
 - Mr. Willets anticipates more portables being added for next year

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- Girls on the Run
 - Team building, self-esteem building club that culminates in a 5K
- The **May 10, 2018 SAC meeting time has changed from 5:00PM to 2:30PM**

Next Meeting Date

Next meeting will be December 14, 2017 at 2:30PM in the media center

Meeting adjourned at 5:52