

Local School Improvement Council (LSIC)

Name of School:	Sharon Dawes Elementary	Name of Chair:	Ally Stacy
Date of Meeting	10/8/24	Name of Principal	Hilary Summerhill
Place of Meeting	School Library	Start/End times of meeting	2:30-3:30

1. Call Meeting to order
2. Roll call
3. Reading and approval of minutes
4. Principal's Report
 - School/Parent Policy- Hilary explained the School/parent policy that parents can request a meeting at any time.
 - School/Parent/Student compact- Hilary explained that this is similar to school/parent policy. It tells you about the school, parent, and students expectations in order for the school and children to be successful.
 - Discipline Data- Hilary showed that our school is "green" on this right now (meaning that we currently have not had a lot of student discipline write ups.
 - WVGSA Data- Hilary explained that our School's scores are available to be viewed by the public online (for grades 3-5). Reading is a focus area for our school this year, meaning we are focusing on building up the students' reading skills and we are hoping we will see growth and more improvement in reading on the WVGSA scores.
 - Attendance data- We began a push last year to improve attendance (and it did improve). We are continuing to monitor and encourage good attendance this school year also.
5. Officer/Committee Reports
6. Items to be discussed
 - a. Behaviors on school bus- Ally has stated that report of at least 6 different students have been hit, bullied, etc on the school bus. Her suggestion was that the bus driver can have the students sit by grade levels on the bus.
 - b. Partners in Prevention updates- Jana Cooper gave a brief update about the funding for the Afterschool tutoring. She asked what the attendance currently is for the afterschool program, which it is currently serving 45 students. 3 teachers are funded by Partners in Prevention, 3 teachers are funded by Title I with a total of 6 teachers providing after school tutoring this year. Afterschool tutoring services grades 2-5 students and the teachers have tutoring rotations. They are provided Reading Math, English, and homework help. Partners in Prevention has applied for the "Accelerated Reader" program with rewards. They would like

to have a Reading Night in the spring allowing students to get books to take home to read.

7. Motions, Orders, Resolutions, Ordinances and Measures Proposed- suggestion of sitting with grade levels on the school bus to help with discipline issues

8. Announcements- Hilary mentioned that we will have Read Aloud coming back to do “book tastings”. Tennille has sent out Pizza Hut “book it” information to students.

It was brought up that our school needs a new playground. Someone suggested that high school kids may need volunteer hours to help with projects around the school, maintaining school grounds, etc.

November 19th is the next LSIC meeting.

8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 3:30pm.