

Haynes Bridge Middle School SGC

October 30, 2019 4:30 PM

- Meeting called to order at 4:33 by Lisa Hubbert, Beth Beach seconded
- Agenda change for suggestion box approved by Beth Beach, Becky Williams seconded
- October meeting minutes approved by Nancy Kasik, Beth Beach seconded
 - Members present: Lauren Malekebu, Becky Williams, Carol Stuhltrager, Nancy Kasik, Yamileth Aubain, Lisa Hubbert, Beth Beach, Reham Beshr
 - New member introductions: Reham Beshr (appointed staff), Aisha Perry (teacher), Mr. Jensen (community representative)
- Principal's Update:
 - CCRPI results are in and we came in .9 points lower due to various factors. In most cases, we met our growth goals. ELA had a lot of growth. ESOL was not included this year, which hurt our scores. We are now competing against ourselves, closing the gap, after we improved so greatly last year. We are still a B, but hoping to achieve an A next year. We are close and optimistic about doing so.
 - Lauren is interviewing for a Special Education teacher. She is hoping to move quickly in filling this position. The Bilingual Parent Liaison started today.
 - Looking at possibly doing block scheduling in the future. Camp Creek Middle School has drastically improved their scores over the last few years and they have implemented block scheduling. They are similar in size and demographics to our school. This allows them to spend more time focusing on math and language arts and less time on social studies and science.
 - We discussed how to get teachers and students to take iReady more seriously. The message needs to be consistent across the board. There is a strong correlation between milestones and iReady scores. There is a new goal to have students take Algebra I in 8th grade. The district is working on a plan for implementation.
 - Lauren will send out the survey to the parents. We have renamed it School Satisfaction Survey. She will also administer one to the staff and share their results with the SGC.
- Parent Engagement List:
 - Discussed members polling results on Parent Engagement. We will have a working session to compile the results. Some responses were attending sneak peek and curriculum night, checking students grades consistently, showing teachers appreciation, discussion with students regarding school, volunteering, teacher emails and correspondence, reading of weekly newsletter, supporting a positive image of the school, attending seminars or school functions.
- SGC Suggestion Box
 - Request was made by a student to have more recess. Currently, the students have it once or twice a week. Lauren will give the suggestion to Student Council to address.
- Action Items:
 - Lauren to send out two-question survey to parents.
 - Nancy to send survey results from last year for review.
- Open Items for Next Meeting:
 - Review Survey Results
 - Create Parent Engagement List
 - Determine Meeting Schedule for the Year
- Future Meetings: November 13th at 4:30, December 4th at 4:30
 - Nancy Kasik motioned to adjourn at 5:36, Becky Williams seconded

