



MINUTES

Spalding Drive Elementary School Governance Council

Date | time 01/18/2022 | 7:20am | *Location* Virtual
SGC Website: <https://www.fultonschools.org/domain/3340>

SGC Members

Jennifer Rosenthal, Principal | Kimberly Parkman, Elected Parent | Nicole Waller, Elected Parent | Julie Alterman Stifel, Elected Parent | Melany Jsames, Elected Teacher | Serra Ahlgray, Elected Teacher | Chris Calnin, Community Representative | Candace Johnson, Community Representative | Tanner Cohen, Appointed School-Based Employee | Crystal Walton-Wyche, Appointed School-Based Employee

Time	Item	Owner
7:20am	<p>Call to Order</p> <p>Kim called the meeting to order at 7:24 am via Teams. In attendance were Jennifer Rosenthal, Kim Parkman, Julie Alterman Stifel, Melany Jsames, Serra Ahlgray, Nicole Waller, Tanner Cohen, & Crystal Walton-Wyche</p>	Kim Parkman
7:21am	<p>Action Item: Approve Agenda</p> <p>Melany made a motion to approve the agenda & Nicole seconded it. Agenda approved unanimously.</p>	Kim Parkman
7:23am	<p>Action Item: Approve December, 2021 Meeting Minutes</p> <p>Melany made a motion to approve the minutes from the December meeting & Nicole seconded it. Minutes approved unanimously.</p>	Kim Parkman
7:24am	<p>Informational Item: Superintendent’s Council Meeting Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 360* Feedback Project will survey different groups of stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Metis Associates formulating survey ▪ Got council members’ feedback on various sections of survey ○ Update and Q&A with Dr. Looney focused mostly on Covid 	Kim Parkman
7:26am	<p>Informational Item: Principal Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are managing with current covid surge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ have made alterations to protocols <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ PK-2 eating in classrooms ▪ 3-5 eating in cafeteria (better to space those larger classes out) ▪ Carpool students more spread out ▪ Recess more spread out: classes not intermingling ○ Hope to relax some of these protocols next week • 3 Parapro vacancies: pre-k, kindergarten, & special education floater • Declaration window for 2022-2023 SGC will open on February 2nd <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Members with terms ending: Kim, Chris, Tanner, Melany 	Jennifer Rosenthal

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7:36am

Strategic Plan Pillar #1: Student Achievement

Jennifer Rosenthal

Discussion Item: Update on testing, areas of opportunity

- iReady reading diagnostics results were encouraging
 - 102% median growth in reading
 - 78% median growth in math (highest in Zone 4)
 - Students participating in targeted instruction w/Ms. Ford
 - 91% showed growth in reading
 - 100% showed growth in math
 - Highest grade level growth in math: 5th
 - 60% of ESOL students showed improvement in reading

Goal: Progress update on school-wide initiatives

7:45 am

Strategic Plan Pillar #4: Fiscal Responsibility

Jennifer Rosenthal

Informational Item: Charter Funds Amount, Directives.

- Have purchased Reading A-Z
- Remaining Items currently on list:
 - Broadcast equipment for morning news, etc. (\$9438.18)
 - Teacher planning days (\$4200)
 - Generation Genius (\$1795)
 - Standards-based books (\$801.12)
 - Turf on playground (cost still unknown)
- Motion and Second to purchase broadcast equipment, teacher planning days, Generation Genius, and standards-based books; approved unanimously.
- Possibility of adding
 - murals for walls inside building and/or on playground
 - updated/additional playground equipment
- See Padlet for updates: <https://padlet.com/rosenthal/802k814j9vt6utbe>

Goal: Purchase broadcast equipment, generation genius, and subs for planning days. Find out about county responsibility/willingness to fix drainage issues on playground, meet with playground equipment salesperson.

8:10am

Discussion Item: Set next meeting agenda

Jennifer Rosenthal

- Outreach & Communications committee to meet this month re: 2022-2023 elections
- Kim will email agenda before next meeting. Let her know if you have items to add.

8:15am

Action Item: Meeting Adjournment

Jennifer Rosenthal

- Move to adjourn by Melany; seconded by Nicole. Unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at 7:59 am.

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