

title one annual meeting!

September 10, 2015

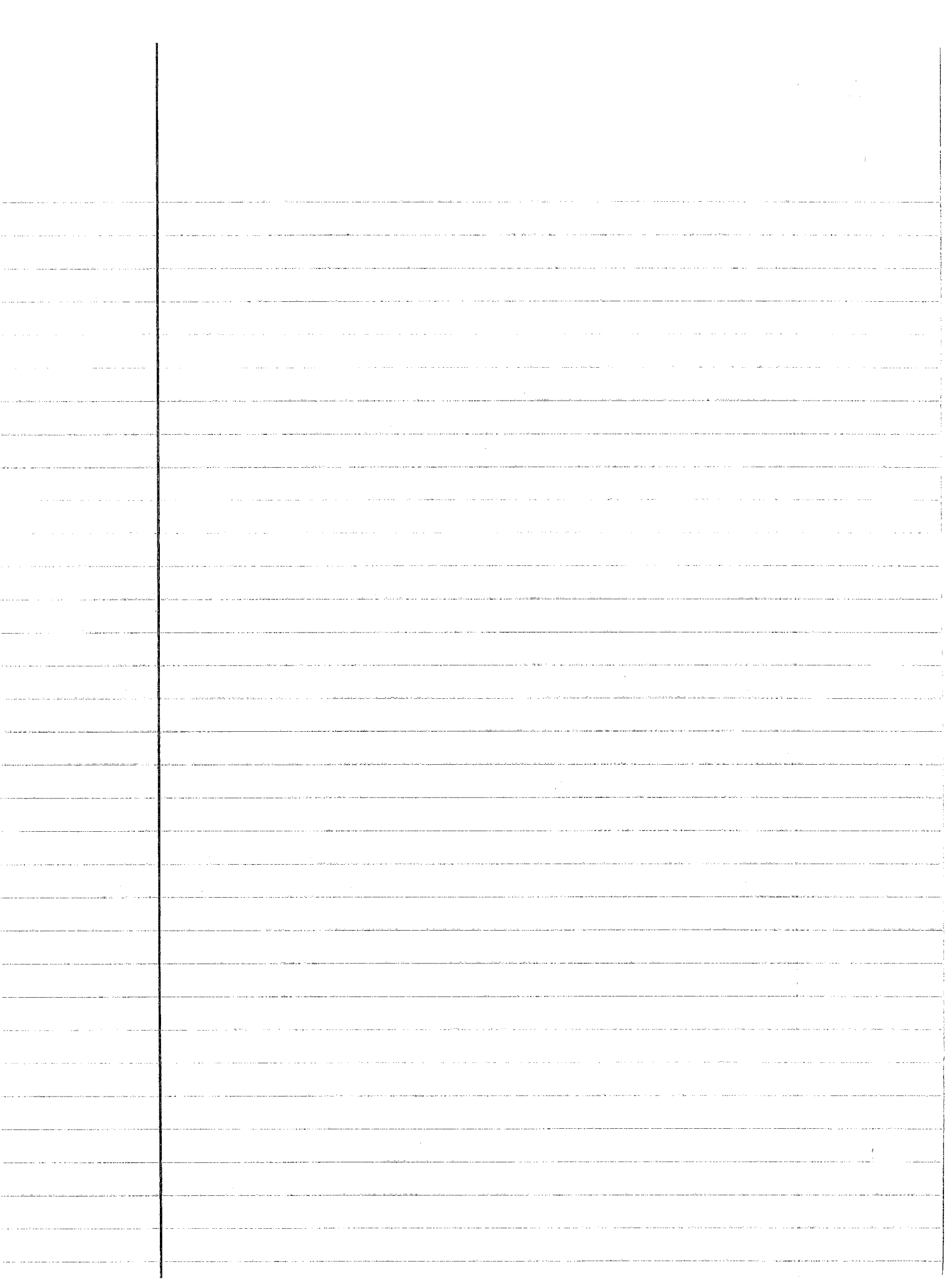
The SAC-PTO meeting was held at Maratee Elementary School on September 10, 2015 at 6:00 P.M. Everyone signed the sign in sheet. We had a very large gathering. Mrs. Houston addressed groups, SIP Goals - This means school improvement. Goals - instructions for all students in all areas. We have two main goals; ① Special development for Teachers, ② address ELL students. We will have a copy in the office when published. Our fence is finished. It is to keep our students safe. Marquee update - We are going to have it changed because we are no longer a Magnet School. The new one will have a meeting on it.

On September 15 we will be having a fund raiser to help make improvements in the school. Our next SAC meeting will be November 5, 2015.

We are going to have a new program at school. We are ordering some new lap tops for parents to use at school in the resource room. They get to check out government programs, employment, food stamps, etc. We will have no child care.

Mrs. Hany, our chair person, gave us a talk about Parents Volunteering with their children and how it can change a child's life. This is the time in life where they get very definite impressions. The teachers at the school really care for the children, and we are trying to give them more than what we had.

We need volunteers at school. Parents can help



November 5, 2015

The Little I School SAC PTO meeting met

at the school at 6:00 P.M. Everyone agreed the agenda

in sheet. Mrs. Jeter presented program and

translates for our Spanish families.

Mrs. Gurney talked about our "100 Years in School"

program. It is a new program we have this year.

At our presentation to our students, volunteers,

our new faculty, etc. we have found out that

our new children loved the topic. We had our

first event - now worked with students, act in

cafeteria with them, etc. We are going to do an

event a month from now. We are all very excited.

We have had an event in Feb. before the dinner

event.

Mrs. Heegland talked about "Challenging". We have a

speaker come in every year to talk about "Challenging".

to 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades. The teachers and workers

talk to the younger ones. Building a better tomorrow.

Teachers invite you on programs to take control.

They have all of the power. Fighting for a better

of power. Students need to stand up for

themselves and building needs to be reported

to someone. Mrs. Heegland will answer any

questions anytime.

Mrs. Jeter talked about the after school program.

Program is it is going to be different than sports.

There will be clubs for students. Math, reading

program, art, music, etc. We will have another

program in January for only Fall students.

The program is long invitation only, but parents

can apply. Mrs. Heegland will answer any

It is for 12 to 15 weeks. It goes from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m.

She also talked about the A.R. and Million Reading program. Grades 1 and 2 should read 20 min. Older children should read 30 minutes. When they read a book they will take an A.R. test on it. They were encouraged to have parent involvement. It is to better understand what they read. There will be prizes for both, Prizes and class parties with a big party at the end of school.

The fund raiser is for help with things the school needs for classrooms, etc. This one goes from Oct 30 to Nov. 15th.

We will have a Laptop for the top parent at end of year for volunteer work. Parents can put in whatever time they want. They must sign in and out at office. They can work in classrooms, cafeteria, etc.

We will have a parent resource center starting Nov. 16th, grand opening. There will be laptops for parents to use for paying bills, making doctor appointments, applying for Medicaid and food stamps, etc. It will be open Mon. Tues, Wed. 9:00-11:00 A.M. There will be a sign in and out sheet.

We had comments from parents. Mrs. Houston explained that the purpose of our fence is to keep our students safe. Parents need to come into the office - It is the same at all schools, only students can enter at certain places unless you have a key.

Miss Bordeaux is interested in being the new chair person. She was not at the meeting tonight, so we will check out to see if she is still interested. Mrs. Siler will be Vice-Chair person. She would handle things if chair person was not there.

Our next meeting will be Feb. 18, 2016.

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sharon Kawachi, Sec

No comments from parents
requiring adjourned -

Feb 18, 2016

The Manatee Elementary School Title I Advisory Council Meeting, met at the school on Feb. 18, 2016 at 6:00 P.M.

Mrs. Selt opened the meeting. The sign in sheet was signed by all. Mr. Benke translated for our Spanish families.

5 essential parent survey - Notices were sent home with all students for the parents to go on the computer to take the survey. Parents can go to the parent resource room tomorrow from 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. to take the survey. Breakfast will be served. Also they can take the survey next Mon., Tues, Wed. We need 200 families to take the survey.

FSA testing dates: reading, writing, math, and science,

Writing 4th and 5th - March 1st.

3rd - reading, math - last week in March, when we come back from break.

4th grade - 1st week in April, 5th grade - 2nd week in April. Some things are on the computer for the larger grades. 5th grade is the only one taking science.

ELL has tests.

Million reading Challenge. This is to get

them to read at home. They are to fill out reading logs. We have 340 thousand minutes so far. The better they read the better they will do on the tests. Children get to read 15 minutes here to work on their logs.

Mustang Club tutoring this is to bring them to meet the standards.

ELL program will run until the end of March, then & then the Mustang Club will finish the same date.

It was suggested from parents that children read more on week ends.

Next S.A.C. meeting is scheduled for May 5, 2016, but the date can be changed due to Canada's time. Third grade is the year the student can be retained. If they fail the test they can take a port folio test, if not that go to summer school. If they don't pass that they will be retained. They have three chances. Parents are encouraged to talk to teachers. Progress reports go out next week.

The meeting adjourns at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sharon Kainovich, Sec.

May 3, 2016

The title I SAC and PTO meeting met at the school at 5:45 P.M. on May 3, 2016. The title I meeting met at 5:00 P.M. The sign in sheet was signed by all.

Mrs. Houston opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. The meeting was translated for our Spanish families.

We are applying for a 21 Century Grant. It would cover remedial education, Math, Science, programs to promote parent involvement, etc. It would be run by our staff. This is the last meeting for this year. Next meeting will be signing up for different offices, etc. It will be an important meeting. Mrs. Sailes will be our SAC chairman.

For parent input it was brought up that it might be a good idea to hand out personal invitations to parents to come. We have volunteers to help hand them out. Also, to babysit children while the meeting is in progress.

The meeting adjourned at 6:00 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sharon Kawecki, Sec.