

Bashaw Elementary - SAC Meeting Notes

August 30, 2018

Josh Bennett called meeting to order; second by David Morgan.

It was reminded that meeting notes are always posted on website after each meeting.

Attendees: Amber Walker (3rd gr teacher), Melissa Dowling (Special Area), Carolyn Thompson (1st gr teacher), Holly Wilson (2nd gr teacher), Elaine Cox (Engineering), David Morgan (SAC Chair), Joshua Bennett (Principal), Beth Marshall (Assistant Principal), Marsha Wilson (KG teacher), Kristen Castellini (ESE teacher)

New Business:

SAC Overview: Mr. Bennett reminded the purpose of SAC and that it is required at all schools. We have moved the meetings up a bit earlier to accommodate schedules (5:15 p.m. start). Mr. Morgan asked if we had a community member yet; none known. We asked that everyone look for contacts who might serve in this role. Mr. Bennett shared that one role of the SAC this year will be to oversee and approve the A+ School money which we will receive for our grade improving from a "C" to "B".

Construction update/ final work: Signs about scientists, engineers, mathematicians are hung on the buildings; much of sidewalk concrete was new; new flooring in Bldg 1, took out the portables and laid sod in that area. Project is technically still open due to AC and door issues they are working through. Admin has requested a track with the remaining money; this has not been decided. Mr. Bennett shared that many people have noticed and complimented the renovations and how good all the buildings and rooms look.

Security Update: Mr. Bennett described the new buzzer/magnet lock system in place at the front double doors and the exit door from the office into the main hallway. The only time these at the front door are not working is between 8 – 8:30. He shared about our Guardian, Louis Cruz, as well as his duties and training to be in this position. Previous to him starting on the 20th, we had daily Manatee Sheriff's deputies each day. There will always be someone on duty in this role, regardless of whether it's a guardian or LEO.

We discussed the next areas that we plan to implement the magnet locks. This includes the loading/delivery door of the café and the double doors at the east entrance of the cafeteria. Ms. Castellini asked about the button that can be pushed to lock all doors at specified times. Mr. Bennett described the PANIC button that we now have in the front office. Mr. Morgan asked how that was going with the parents. We shared that it has been overall successful.

Future topics: No specific ideas.

Nominations: Process was reviewed in bylaws and nominations taken. Other nominations can occur between now and next meeting. David Morgan was nominated to continue as SAC Chairperson. Marsha Wilson self-nominated to be the teacher representative.

Old Business: None reported

Next meeting: Oct. 11th, 5:15 p.m.

Motion to adjourn by Carolyn Thompson; second by Elaine Cox.



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**Bashaw Elementary
School Advisory
Council
Aug. 30, 2018**

Agenda:

Call to order

New Business:

SAC Overview

Construction Update/Final work

Security update

Survey future topics/ discussion items

Nominations

Old Business:

None

Adjourn