

## SGC Minutes 1/15/19

Attendees: Smallwood, Knight, A. Brown, DaSilva, Ferguson, Geathers, Sutton, Harris, Sarratt

5:08 Call to order

- Introduction of Ms. Sarratt

5:09 Reading of previous agenda minutes

5:17 Motion to accept by Knight, second by Ferguson, all in favor

5:18 We are still in need of a new parent member

5:19 Outreach and Communication report shared by Ms. DaSilva

- Partners – Coca-Cola, Lowe's
- Focusing resources and funds on math (Lakeshore items for teachers), Reading (classroom libraries), and climate (school beautification i.e. bathrooms)
  - Math – monetary donations, teachers to choose own supplies
  - Reading – aligned to Units of Study
  - Climate – artists with rolling schedule, outdoor maintenance, teacher incentives for PBIS
    - Discussion on items needed for beautification project

5:31 Strategic Plan monitoring tool

- Revisit strategic plan and go over pillars that will be in place until 2022
- We have to complete the strategic plan monitoring tool for district:
- Baseline data – 61% literacy, 31% math
  - Explanation of how scores were tallied using lexiles and GMAS
  - Discussed need to focus on both reading and math and create a balance between the two
- School culture
  - What does it mean to recommend a community based school?
  - Only 12 parents responded to survey; sent out for the first time this year
- Teacher retention
  - Schools advised to start at 100%
  - Need for further clarification about what counts toward the percentage and what doesn't
    - For example, if a teacher leaves after 7 years, does that count against us?
- Partnerships
  - Begin at 0%
  - Must be aligned to strategic goals (ex. Reading, math, climate)
  - Need to revisit in March
- Family engagement
  - Based on survey
  - Parent workshops

5:57 Flexible Funding

- Received chromebooks and carts
- 4 of 6 grade levels have field trips planned

6:01 Vote on Jasmine Sarratt to be a part of the council

- President of Fidelity bank
- Brown motion to accept, second by Sutton, all in favor

6:03 New business

- Election season coming up
- Ferguson, Briggs, Brown, Lewis, Knight spots are available
  - Who is appointed? Who is elected?
- March meeting to be open for public comment and parents
  
- Community members to meet with Geathers
  - Knight, Sarratt, Harris, Brown
  - Come up with specific strategy for donations

6:11 Set agenda for next meeting

- Feb 19 5:00 (may need to move up in calendar for budget meeting)
- March 19
- May 24

6:16 Motion to adjourn, Ferguson second