

Palm Beach Public School Advisory Council

Minutes ~ December 9, 2020

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 pm. J.Rodriguez welcomed everyone and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Quorum was determined.

Attendees:

Members: D. Black, N. Mihelich R. Mezentsev, T. Murphy, J. Rodriguez, L. Rodriguez, C. Schwab, L. Stehman

Guests: L. Butler, M. Schmitz, J. Sorentrue

Chair Report: J.Rodriguez

- Reviewed November minutes.
 - Motion to approve by R. Mezentsev, second N. Mihelich
- Review bylaws
 - Discussion opened to SAC
 - Motion to approve by C. Schwab. Vote held and passed. Bylaws were approved.
- Virtual member attendance
 - Governor's order was not extended. At least five voting members need to be present in person in order for a meeting to be held.
 - Vote needs to be held to determine if members who attend virtually will be able to have votes counted. Discussion opened to committee members.
 - Motion to allow online votes to count by N. Mihelich, seconded by R. Mezentsev. Vote passed.
- Budget balance \$570.41 has not changed since last meeting.

Principal Report: C. Schwab

- Dates to remember:
 - Report cards will be going home electronically on Friday
 - There will be a tile on the student portal for report cards.
 - Spirit week next week:
 - Monday: Hats Off to the Holidays - wear a holiday hat
 - Tuesday: Candy Cane Day - wear red and white
 - Wednesday: "Baby It's Cold Outside" - favorite cold weather attire
 - Thursday: Tinsel and Shine - wear your decorations
 - Friday: Pajama Day (PTA fundraiser)
 - Teacher breakfast served next week before break
- SAC officer appointment
 - L. Stehman (historian) will not be a voting member in the new year. Principal appointed Lynita Butler as a replacement midterm historian.
 - Motion to replace L. Stehman with L. Butler as historian by C. Schwab, seconded by N. Mihelich. Vote passed.
- Question posed about "Make Your Choice" survey for the second half of the year. Principal can make exceptions for the choice in extenuating circumstances.

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Assistant Principal Report: M. Schmitz

- Diagnostics Information:
 - Three week block in January
 - 3rd - 5th ELA and Math, 5th will also take science
 - In the fall the students took the previous grade's diagnostic. This diagnostic will be their current grade level.
 - As of now we will still be taking the FSA in the spring.
 - Students will have to come to campus to take the actual FSA, so students will have to come to campus to complete the diagnostics
 - iReady diagnostic will also be held after winter break for K-5

Good of the Order:

- C. Schwab recognized L. Rodriguez and the Palm Beach Police Department for their long standing partnership with our school to give all students at Palm beach Public a gift.
 - Due to COVID, the in school gift giving will not be taking place this year.
 - Instead, the Police Department will be providing the families most in need with a \$100 gift card and gifts.

Next Meeting: January 13, 2021 at 4:00pm

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by N. Mihelich. Second by C Scwab. Meeting adjourned at 4:32 pm.

Minutes submitted by D. Black, Secretary.