Site Based Management Team Minutes Monday, February 8, 2016

Call to Order

Those in attendance: Stacy Butera, Steve Campbell, Vanessa Falbo, Jennifer, Hoover, Steve Kelly, Jill Messer, May Mulford, Joyce Nash, Alli Sanderson, Mary Thomas, Dr. Jonathan Tyson, and Louis Werder

Parent Representatives: Jackie English, Robin Price, Jean Stein, and Sharyn VonCannon

Departmental Updates

Guidance

- During homeroom
 - o instructions on Jr PSAT scores, (Feb. 11), will be given.
 - Free tutoring information through college board; equals personalized tutoring!
 - ACT pre-admin session, (how to report scores to colleges)
- Registration for next school year
 - will be underway around late Feb with teacher recommendations
 - help to choose electives
 - o students to meet with guidance to help with this process
 - Goal is to be done with registration by spring break

English

- Tutoring T/TH (english)
- ACT blitz 116 registered, 5 slots available
- yearbooks are on sale (distribution in May)

World languages

- Tuturoing
- pacing
- International Festival (April 14 or 28 @ Unionville Elementary)

Social Studies

- American Hist II for Seniors
- Model UN, EU challenge (participate in March)

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Math

- Tutoring held on Tuesdays & Thursdays
- calculators have been distributed/checked out
- ACT Blitz
- PLCs
- ACT prep

Science

- morning tutoring
- PLCs
- develop purpose in the classroom, collaborate with each other (group learning, individual learning), foster an environment for result orientative, step outside the box, have students be able to process (hands on learning)
- student teacher on campus working with Mrs. Walker

CTE

- CTE month FCCLA breakfasts
- FFA breakfast
- HOSA (and american heart month), healthy snacks
- blood drive March 17, ages 16 and up

ROTC

- physical fitness, competition in March
- drill meet
- military ball (parkwood & monroe)
- public speaking,
- space curriculum
- trip to NY including: Westpoint, Roosevelt mansion, skyscraper, fiddler on the roof

ARTS

- Band Disney
- Theatre autism awareness, interview and create an original work (art students will create an original piece)
- Art field trip to Sea Grove for the day

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Budget Priorities

School Board finance committee

Identify some priorities

- 1. Do no harm to classroom size student/teacher ratio
- 2. Technology is everything up-to-date
- 3. Facilities
 - a. Parking
 - b. auditorium
 - c. classroom space/floaters

F Bldg will be renovated

2016-17 Calendar

August 29 is the earliest day to start.

Early release days (will be staff development days)

DPI Updates

All core subjects have a state exam: Math, Science, SS, English; Counts 25%.

English II has EOC

Teachers voted by department

NC will give state exams starting next year. (Holds teachers to a level of accountability.)

State Board of Education - Core suppression - (next school year)

Class size is a concern.

Open Forum

June 13 @12:30 Graduation - students there @ 11:00

SV @ 9am graduation

Piedmont Serves is hosting a winter clothing drive

Discussion:

1st Semester - Class on campus was taught at the Honors level & CP level

Exams: the Honors students had no assistance and CP students took exam with study guide Honors is weighted

Honors students received the same study guide, but not able to use on the exam.

How to differentiate between Honors & CP

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Upcoming Events:

Next Meeting: March 14th

Upcoming Dates:
ACT-March 1st
Blood Drive-March 17th
BBQ-March 18th
Spring Sports Parent Meeting-February 10th @ 6:30
Spring Sports Begins-February 15th
Make-up Day-February 15th

Adjournment

4:32 pm