SAC Agenda

May 1st, 2018

Members in attendance: Sheila Lawshe, Sarah Blevins, Emily Blum, Jose Caride, Andrew Keffer, Ashley Cousins, Tina Waldrop, Rebecca Keffer, Kathleen Hunting, Linda Villadoniga, Alex Pappas, Shelley Erb, Amber Noseworthy, Kristyrae Larson Richard, Stacy Asselta, Bonny Furlong, Melissa Kurdyla,

Meeting called to order: 5:30 1st: Jose Caride 2nd: Sheila Lawshe

Approval of April minutes: 1st: Andrew Keffer 2nd: Jose Caride

Murray Principal: Mr. Schwarm presented about orientations, they started auditioning for the Center of the Arts in February, and the auditions are open to any rising 6th grader interested in musical extracurricular activities. They sent out acceptances for 115 students. The 8th graders took the students on tours, to lunch, and through classrooms. The students explained the changes from elementary to middle. There was a parent orientation the same night and the parents received information about Murray. The school is used for many activities outside of the school settings. They are partnered with St. John's Middle athletics and PAL. They have a positive behavior incentive and use Live School-digital rewards system where they can spend "coins" at a school store. They have large positive incentives-Madden video game day afterschool, Dessert Wars with judges, dodgeball tournaments, and the Jags reading reward trip. MMS is departmentalized- students have 7 teachers working with each student, organization is key, they use AVID bulldog binders, planners, and interactive notebooks. SAC chair and co-chair for 2018-2019: Mrs. Waldrop presented our board for the next school year- Chair: Sarah Blevins, SAC Co-Chair Ashley Cousins, Secretary: Alex Pappas, 1st: Kathleen Hunting, 2nd: Jose Caride. Vote was unanimous.

Five-Star: One of the final three reviews are coming up, we will be handing it over and it will be completed on the 23rd. For future reference, committee needs to be a five-person committee...a teacher would be helpful because of the service learning projects. We will recruit in August for other members to join this committee. We need to have a SAC and Five Star Representative present at the SIP meeting and we need a copy of the invite saved for this SIP meeting.

Title One update: In regards to the parent family engagement plan, we discussed recent activities at Osceola. We had a volunteer appreciation breakfast, business partners breakfast (the banners are hung near the PPU circle), we honored our outstanding school volunteers, we had a spirit night at Panera last week, tomorrow we have our kindergarten walk for our incoming kindergartners, and we have a large amount of events coming up in May to celebrate the end of the year. We are finishing up FSA and Science testing, beginning iReady diagnostics, and resource testing will take place at the end of the month.

Comments: Kathleen shared that our security bags came in and we will use them starting next year. We will put our Green Go folders, first aid, crackers, and waters in the bag for emergency situations.

Meeting called to close: 6:02 1st: Amber Noseworthy 2nd: Kathleen Hunting

Next meeting date: TBA