

Notice of Special Called Meeting

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SPECIAL SCHOOL-BASED DECISION MAKING COUNCIL MEETING

Garden Springs Elementary School will hold a special called SBDM meeting on Thursday, November 7, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. in the school library. The meeting agenda is as follows:

Meeting called to order at 4:04.

Members Present: Joey Sheroan, Jen Bailey, Kathleen Kiely, Lennie Underwood and Angela Newsome

Members Absent: Penny Curry, Harold Ikard and Emily Stuart

1. Approve Agenda - Kathleen Kiely made a motion to approve, Jen Bailey seconded, council consensus.
2. Approve Minutes from Prior Meeting
 - a. October 7, 2019 Meeting Minutes - Kathleen Kiely made a motion to approve, Jen Bailey seconded, council consensus.
3. Review Meeting Norms
4. Public Comment
5. Good News Report
 - Goodnight, GSE - We are excited about our new bedtime story video series Goodnight, GSE. Families can click on a link to a video on Dojo to watch a video of one of our staff members reading a bedtime story.
 - GSE Cross Country - Congratulations to our boys and girls Cross Country Teams for both finishing in 3rd place at the FCPS district competition. Ellie Lavey finished in 1st place out of 89 girls who ran and Carson Lavey finished in 8th place out of 113 boys who ran. All of our runners did a fantastic job. Thanks to Coach Simmons and all the parents who helped our team.
 - Pawsitive Parties – Students who had greater than 85% positive Dojos and no office referrals enjoyed an extra recess time.
 - Primetime Reading – We've had great turnouts for our Primetime Reading nights each Monday. Families enjoy dinner, a read aloud by a guest storyteller, receive books to read at home, and are entered to win door prizes. Each time families attend Primetime Reading their name is put into a drawing for one of two Nook

electronic readers. Thanks to Mrs. Snyder for writing the grant to make this possible and to Mrs. Turner for coordinating the food for these events.

- Red Ribbon Week - We had several special activities throughout Red Ribbon week to promote the fight against drugs.
 - Hispanic Heritage Month Assembly - Representatives from the Salsa Center Latin Dance Studio demonstrated several Latin dances, had students and staff join in the fun, and we had a parade to celebrate our Hispanic students at our recent assembly.
 - Family Title I Night – Parents visited their child’s classroom to learn more about content curriculums, information was shared about ELL program, Title I program, and our GT/PTP program. They also had a chance to enjoy the fantastic soups and hot dogs prepared by our GSE staff.
 - PTA Reflections Arts Contest Winners – A number of participants and winners from primary and intermediate in a variety of categories including visual arts, photography, music composition, and literature.
 - Boo Grams – 5th grade raised money for the DC trip recently by selling Boo Grams.
 - Storybook Pumpkins – We had some fantastic entries into our Storybook Pumpkin Decorating Contest.
 - Dress Up Like Your Favorite Book Character Day - It was so much fun seeing all the creative costumes for Dress like Your Favorite Book Character Day.
 - KPREP Awards Program – We celebrated our students who scored proficient or distinguished or had high growth on the KRPEP assessment at our recent KPREP Awards Program.
 - Jen Bailey received a math grant for math night in March.
6. Student Achievement
 - a. 3rd Grade IOWA/COGAT Testing - Mr. V stated that these test are designed to determine IQ scores and content area scores for 3rd graders. 12 students received scores which qualify them as gifted. Most scores were averaged and above average.
 7. Staffing and Hiring Updates
 - a. Myron Pedroche – School Resource Officer (Itinerant) - The district has hired Mr. Pedroche to service GSE. He will be coming for lunch occasionally to begin building relationships with students. He has also agreed to work with at risk students.
 8. Title I Report

- a. Title I Fall Advisory Council Meeting - Mrs. Newsome reviewed the topics discussed at our recent council meeting. The Title I parent and family events and activities were discussed as well as the parent and family engagement policy and compact. Further, we discussed results from the district parent survey and from those results, it was decided we would try to increase parent participation by improving communication methods.
9. Budget
 - a. Monthly Budget Summary
 10. Continuous Improvement Process
 - a. What Works Well
 - b. Amplify Science PLC Professional Learning
 - c. Team Time
 - d. Walkthrough Data Review
 - e. Technology Survey
 - f. KPREP Analysis and Next Steps
 11. Old Business / Consideration for Approval
 12. New Business
 - a. CSIP Needs Assessment - The staff met recently at a faculty meeting to analyze state testing data and determine next steps. This information will be used as the CSIP needs assessment is developed.
 - b. PD Requests
 - Mrs. Newsome has requested to attend the national Reading Recovery conference in February. Her attendance is required by the RTA grant and funds have been set aside for her to attend. The district Title I office will be paying registration while school funds will cover hotel, travel and food expenses. - Jen Bailey made a motion to approve, Lennie Underwood seconded, council consensus.
 - Ms. Epperson has also requested to attend the Reading Recovery National Conference. As stated in a previous staff email, the school will not have remaining professional development funds to use after all grant participants have fulfilled PD obligations, but Ms. Epperson will be using her classroom money (\$150) to fund her hotel expenses. The district Title I office will be paying for her registration and she will travel with another teacher within the district to avoid mileage charges. Angela Newsome made a motion to approve, Jen Bailey seconded, council consensus.
 - Mrs. J. Chapmen (math grant +2 teacher) has requested to attend the Kentucky Center for Math Conference in March. This is required by the math grant. Motion for approval made by Angela Newsome, seconded by Kathleen Kiely, council consensus.
 - c. Next Meeting Date – December 2nd
 13. Adjourn - Adjourn at 4:25 - Motion made by Kathleen Kiely, seconded by Jen Bailey, council consensus.

*** Portions of this meeting may be closed pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(f) of the Open Meetings Act.**