

**PVPV/Rawlings Elementary School
School Advisory Council Meeting
Date: March 25, 2014**

Meeting Convened: 3:18 pm

Adjourned: 3:51 pm

Attendees: I. Royse, Y. Cubero-Gonzalez, K. Furness, L. Brubaker, D. Cook, C. Smith, K. Koerner, B. Pineau, E. Wendell, I. Yarborough, L. Davenport, D. Monk, V. Edeker, S. Kelly, P. Ervanian, T. Aman, M. Ackerman

Excused: A. Moss,

Unexcused: L. Bell, J. Gordon

Guests: L. Cabo

Call to order: Ilinke Royse

Approve Agenda for meeting:

Motion to approve the agenda was made by E. Wendell and P. Ervanian seconded the motion.

Review Minutes from February 18, 2014 meeting:

Motion to approve the minutes was made by C. Smith and D. Cook seconded the motion.

Meeting Notes:

Needs Assessment Survey

- Update to survey totals (238 responses as of March 23rd; 80 staff members as of March 23rd)
- No minimum responses required by county
- Survey will continue to be live and linked to our website until March 31, 2014
- Will review results in April's SAC meeting

Student Code of Conduct Suggestions:

- District is looking for suggestions/modifications to the student code of conduct and requested suggestions from SAC committees
- L. Davenport: suggested to add about security procedures and parent pick-up/dismissal procedures. (K. Furness: that is school specific)
- E. Wendell: asked if the student code of conduct includes information under the dress code section regarding religious exceptions for attire. (K. Furness: Religion is addressed)

SAC Membership 2014-2015

- Reviewed council by law regarding membership
- 6 parent slots need to be filled
- 3 faculty/staff slots need to be filled
- The April issue of The Wave will include information and an application for interested parents.
- Applications will be reviewed by the SAC committee
- If we receive more ballots than needed an election will take place.

Principal Updates- K. Furness:

- Activities occurring in our school: Tropicana Speech contest (winners announced); Battle of the Books; Principals of the day at PVPV (14 students!); A & B Honor Roll (524 students!)
- FCAT coming up: Progress Monitoring Data shows improvements all around
- Commissioner Stewart has announced the new assessment to replace the FCAT. Test will be more rigorous. Test will not be designed as a multiple choice exclusive test; more writing and even designing of graphs will be included. AIR is the new assessment. It will test Reading and Math. FCAT will remain as the assessment for science. AIR will still include mandatory retention. The tested student population will have been taught CCS since kindergarten.
- iXL has been purchased for Language Arts.
- One to one computing: K. Furness part of a Technology Task Force. Current plans include Pilot schools (South Woods, Palencia, Sebastian Middle, School HH, School II, St. Johns Tech, and Ketterlinus) to begin one to one computing. Technology used: K-2 I-pads and 3-8 Laptops/Computers
- Two teachers in grades 3-5 will go to a 5 day technology training over the summer. Teachers will learn new approaches to digital education opportunities.

Meeting adjourned: 3:51 p.m.

Motion to adjourn was made by P. Ervanian and seconded by D. Monk.