Narcoossee Middle School

School Advisory Council (SAC)

Meeting Minutes

February 2, 2023

Members in Attendance:	District	Non-District
SAC Chair	Lisa Gray	
Principal	Gary Weeden	
Secretary	Kimberly Casselman	
Treasurer		
		Ayesha Desormeaux
		Nikki Hawkins
	Jessica Busquets	
	Kimberly Woodell	
		Monica Harvey
		Indrea Davis
		Kanyon Davis (student)
		Cortecia Boyd

→ The SAC for Narcoossee Middle School held its fifth meeting of the 2022-2023 school year on Thursday, February 2, 2023.

→The meeting was held in the media center of Narcoossee Middle School located at 2700 North Narcoossee Road, St. Cloud, FL 34771.

Call to Order

 \rightarrow Lisa Gray called the meeting to order at **5:03pm**.

Minutes for November and December needed review and approval. Approved at 5:05pm.

Guest Speakers

5:15-5:20pm-Ms. Biela- Books on order for our media center- book lists for purchase were shared with SAC; adding books to list as needed for students

Motioned and approved unanimously by SAC at 5:20pm

Question about how book fair did- was a bit down, but earned about \$1000. There will be a second chance in April.

5:20-5:27pm- Ms. Leah Boyd- Funding Request of \$2500 for calculators

Short 200 calculators due to population growth and wear and tear.

Some are broken due to age

Handheld calculators are better than laptop calculators in regards to the cognitive processing of information by the students

Need 100 four function calculators; 200 scientific calculators

Online calculators interfered with tests last year and did not work appropriately

*Parent asked why they had to buy calculators for their child if the school has them here. Ms. Boyd pointed out that the calculators for school can only be used in school and some of the student work that is done at home needs a calculator.

Motioned and approved unanimously by SAC at 5:27pm.

Principal's Report 5:04-5:14pm

 \rightarrow Ms. Jane Mabra (filling in for Mr. Weeden)

SIP Update: FAST Scores/Data

proficiency projections- can be anywhere from an A to a C.

students are borderline from level 2 to 3

plans are in place to help prepare students for Standards Based Tests

Science will be doing their MOCK test for Science at the end of February

Civics will have a practice exam coming up soon

Parent Questions

how to get FAST results- in Focus; need to get code from Ms. Boyd and get access to the scores.

School Notifications

4 teachers resigned over winter break, but all positions have been filled

February is a busy month: college and career month; Fridays- college shirts; Rodeo Day holiday for students and teachers on 2/17/23; MOCK science test 2/20-2/24.

Budget: Balances and Requests 5:28-5:30pm

→\$8816.38

 \rightarrow Ms. Leah Boyd- calculators for testing (refer to guest speakers on page 1)

Community Partners: 5:30pm

 \rightarrow N/A

Student Updates: 5:31-5:37pm

 \rightarrow classes are okay

→progress reports are ready soon

 \rightarrow not very tardy to class

→gradventure trip coming up- 250 spots available

--students will have a letter to get to parents and then payments will open

--\$140 is the price

 \rightarrow PBIS is selling takis on Tuesdays. We will be opening the BEAR Bucks store next week in the cafeteria.

New Business: 5:37-5:44pm

 \rightarrow Motion for Lisa Gray to serve as chair – not needed to motion; just making SAC aware that co-chair Ms. Elizabeth Smock resigned due to personal reasons.

 \rightarrow Ms. Cartecia Boyd has mentioned a program referred to as "Parent University" to educate parents on resources for their children. It may be helpful to build on this.

 \rightarrow Kudos to Ms. Lopez for early morning tutoring for math.

Adjournment:

 \rightarrow Motion to adjourn motioned and seconded

→Meeting adjourned at **5:46 p.m**.

→Next Meeting: March 2, 2023 @ 5:00 p.m. in NCMS Media Center