



Celebration School  
School Advisory Council Minutes  
May 14th, 2023

**CALL TO ORDER**

A meeting of the Celebration K-8 School Advisory Council was held in the Great Hall. Carl Fiore, president, called the meeting to order at 5:16 P.M. Andrea Bracco, secretary, recorded the minutes for this meeting.

**ATTENDANCE**

Members: Tania Filak, Tracey Perrault, Andrea Bracco, Teia Hooper, Christy Flanagan-Feddon, Tanja Coronado-Odom, Andrea Baker, Thomas Bracco, Natalie Cushnir, Nasser Aboulela, Debi Wisneski, Rebecca Hamilton, Gary Weeden, Hali Stewart, Carl Fiore

Attendees: Debbie Jones, Jackie Alfonso, Katie Woodall, Kim Doepke

**MINUTES** – *Carl Fiore*

- March minutes motioned to be approved by Christy Flanagan-Feddon and seconded by Tracey Perrault.
- April minutes motioned to be approved by Tracey Perrault and seconded by Christy Flanagan-Feddon.
- Motion to approve April minutes, (no meeting minutes) approved by Tania Odom, Tania Filak seconded the motion and motion carried.

**AGENDA** – *Carl Fiore*

- Tania Filak motioned to amend the agenda to add officer elections, seconded by Debi Wisneski the motion carried.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS** – *Carl Fiore*

- Discussion on how to inform the committee about who would like to be considered for the officer positions occurred. The committee decided to go around the table of current SAC members and poll who would like to be considered for which position and a all in favor for each person was conducted and the results were as follows:
- Motion to vote for Andrea Baker or Carl Fiore for SAC Chair by Debi Wisneski
  - 2 yay votes for Andrea Baker,
  - 8 yay votes for Carl Fiore,
  - 5 abstained

- Debi Wisneski motioned for Carl Fiore to be the SAC Chair for the 2023-24 school year, seconded by Christy Flanagan-Feddon, motioned carried.
- Motion to vote for Andrea Baker or Tania Filak for Co-Chair by Debi Wisneski, Hali Stewart seconded the motion.
  - 3 yay votes for Andrea Baker,
  - 7 yay votes for Tania Filak
  - 5 abstained
  - Debi Wisneski motioned to approve Tania Filak for co-chair, seconded by Christy Flanagan-Feddon
- Vote for Teia Hooper for Treasurer,
  - 12 yes
  - 3 abstained
  - Debi Wisneski approved the unopposed candidate Teia Hooper for Treasurer 2023-2024 school year, Tania Filak seconded the motion, motion carried.
- Vote for Andrea Bracco for Secretary
  - 13 yes
  - 2 abstained
  - Debi Wisneski motioned to approve the unopposed candidate Andrea Bracco, for the 2023-24 school year Secretary, Tania Filak seconded the motion, motioned carried.

**SAFTEY REPORT** – *Mr. Weedon on behalf of Deputy Plaza*

- No incidents since last meeting
- Mr. Weedon updated on school safety, only a few minor incidents in the self contained classrooms
- Currently we have 2 school nurses, usually we only have 1 nurse
- Debi Wisneski asked a question regarding a bees' nest, it was sprayed today
- Tracey Perrault is concerned that students are riding electric scooters and bikes very fast on Mulberry and are a danger to the families
- Christy Flanagan-Feddon had a question regarding visitors, some visitors that are not Oasis approved are allowed on campus without an escort. Mr. Weedon will review the school's policy and procedure.
- Andrea Baker requested that Mulberry be closed during drop off and dismissal, but CDD denied the request. Deputy Plaza can temporarily close the road at any time, and usually does during pick up and dismissal. Parents can email again to request the road closure, there is a new contact at the CDD

**PRINCIPAL'S REPORT** – *Mr. Weedon*

- FAST testing update, all ELA scores were above the district and state average and most Math scores out paced district and state
- EOC scores passed rate, 93% Algebra, 100% Geometry
- May is filled with student events, including honor roll
- Hiring update, some teachers are leaving but most openings have been filled (need 2 5<sup>th</sup> teachers, 1 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher, 7<sup>th</sup> grade ELA and a Business Tech teacher, a dean and a math coach)
- Summer projects start June 1<sup>st</sup>, track, parking lot, tree of life concrete, Mulberry downspouts
- The school received 2 refillable water stations in the gym and cafeteria. Should be completed mid-July.
- Mr. Weedon hired a new custodian; we are only 1 position short but have multiple candidates

- The district has been able to hire more bus drivers
- SIP will be drafted by July, once final data is received
- Teacher Appreciation was a huge success

### **TREASURER'S REPORT** – *Teia Hooper*

- Our current balances provided from our bookkeeper are \$17,157.84 in one account and \$194.85 in the smaller account.
- \$400 deficit that needs to be investigated, possibly PBIS money

### **FUNDS REQUESTS**

- No funds request this month

### **OPEN FORUM**

- Nasser Aboulea asked a question regarding co-teach classes for next year, there will be co-teach classes due to classroom shortages
- The dual language program has grown so much that it is starting to pull resources from other programs, might need to narrow down the following year
- Andrea Baker followed up on VPK students being auto-enrolled, Debbie Jones stated that students not zoned for our school need to apply for choice
- Andrea Baker questioned how total school seats are determined and what is the current number? Debi Wisneski said the number is 1700 students.
- Dr. Allen and Dr. Clayton are working on mailers to verify student registration addresses
- Teia Hooper confirmed start/end times 9:30 AM and 4:30 PM have changed for next year to alleviate bus routes
- Tania Filak let the committee know that HS PTA is looking for Teacher Appreciation chair volunteers for next year

### **NEXT MEETING DATE & TIME**

- The next meeting will be held on August 22nd at 5:15pm in the Great Hall.

### **MEETING ADJOURNMENT**

- Tracey Perrault motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:03 PM. Tanja Odom seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Submitted by,  
Carl Fiore  
Chairperson  
Approval Date: