

Pearl Ridge Elementary School
SY 2018-2019
School Community Council Agenda/Minutes
10/22/18

Members Present:

Chairperson (Parent Rep.):

Community Representative: Jackie Isara

Vice-Chairperson (Community): Diane Takushi

Parent Representative: Kevin Speyer

Administration: Blaine Takeguchi (Principal), Sherri Tallman (Vice Principal)

Classified Staff: Laura Yanagihara

Teachers: Jennifer Omoto, Jennifer Sarpi

Students SCC Representatives:

Members Absent: Jonathan Katayama (Chairperson), Kyler Lum (Student SCC Representative)

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 3:40pm by Diane Takushi.

Ground Rules:

Participation

Start and end on time

Listen to everyone

Listen with empathy

No put-downs

Positive atmosphere

Solution oriented

Mutual Respect

Uphold 3 BEs (Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Safe)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- None

APPROVAL of 9/17/18 MINUTES:

Jennifer S. moved to approve the minutes. Laura seconds.

Today's Agenda

- Reports
- Follow up on Old Business
- New Business
- Community Input
- Reflection

REPORTS:

- Admin:
 - Thursday, Oct. 25 - Annual Fire Inspection
 - We usually pass every year
 - Nov. 1 & 2 - Vulnerability Assessment
 - Check campus safety and take inventory of access points
 - Trying to get ball rolling on conducting an active shooter drill
 - Done by DOE--school request
 - Health and Wellness Policy
 - Received teacher feedback--would like flexibility with DOE guidelines
 - Safety committee will draft own PRE Health and Wellness Policy
 - Will also review cell phone policy and make adjustments as needed
 - SEL program
 - Majority of faculty voted on Choose Love
- Student Council
 - Bully Free Week it this week
 - Monday, Oct 22: Band Together Against Bullying - Dress up like your favorite band member, or musician.
 - Orange wristbands will be passed out tomorrow for Wednesday's National Unity Day (for students & teachers)
 - Tuesday, Oct 23: The Bullying STOPS Here - Wear red like a stop sign.
 - Wednesday, Oct 24: Orange Unite! - Wear orange in honor of National Unity Day.
 - Thursday, Oct 25: Partner Up Against Bullying - Find a friend(s) and wear matching clothes.
 - Friday, Oct 26: Stomp Out Bullying - Wear your favorite pair of shoes to school.
 - GLO pencils last Friday to those students who turned in a completed GLO Family Packet
- PTA
 - Friday, Oct. 26--Halloween Event
 - About 150 students planning to attend
 - Activities
 - 5 games
 - 5 crafts
 - 10 trick-or-treating activity
 - Friday, Nov. 9 Hustle for Health
 - Still in planning process
 - Tuesday, Oct. 2 Zumba Night
 - Parents said they enjoyed it, children lost interest.
 - Maybe plan for January next school year.
 - Grants were given to teachers in 2 rounds.
 - Mr. Banes- garden supplies
 - Ms. Lum- Science Olympiad
 - Ms. Lindsey- starting a small school farmers market
 - 4th grade - funds for field trips leading up to Aulani (culminating activity)

OLD BUSINESS:

- School is looking into locking doors from the inside - dependent on Bill, discussions underway
 - According to DOE policy, doors cannot be locked from the inside
 - Bill needs to be approved for rooms to be locked from inside (Jan. 19)

NEW BUSINESS:

- Feb. 28 - WASC Accreditation Visit for mid-term check up
 - 6 critical areas of follow-up (recommendations)
 - 3 of the 6 deal with the GLOs
 - Unsure if visiting team will meet with SCC

ANYTHING FROM THE COMMUNITY:

- None

REFLECTION:

- **What went well?**
 - Blaine emailed a reminder.
- **What can we do better?**
 - Improve our attendance.

NEXT MEETING: December 17 @ 3:30pm in the Library *Please email parent/community reps a reminder (emails above)

- Dates for SCC meetings for SY 18-19 (last year held 7 meetings--see below)
 - ~~August 20~~
 - ~~September 17~~
 - ~~October 22~~
 - December 17 (community)
 - January 28
 - March 4 (community)
 - April 15 (will revisit date)
 - May 13

Agenda

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ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned by at 4:03pm by Diane Takushi.