

Pearl Ridge Elementary School
SY 2018-2019
School Community Council Agenda/Minutes
9/17/18

Members Present:

Chairperson (Parent Rep.): Jonathan Katayama

Community Representative: Jackie Isara

Vice-Chairperson (Community):

Parent Representative:

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

Classified Staff: Laura Yanagihara

Teacher: Jennifer Omoto

Students SCC Representatives: Kyler Lum

Members Absent: Vice Chairperson: Diane Takushi, Parent Representative: Kevin Speyer,
Teacher: Jennifer Sarpi, and Student SCC Rep: Taybr Alexio

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 3:37 pm by Jon Katayama.

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:

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APPROVAL of 8/20/18 MINUTES:

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

Today's Agenda

- Reports
- Follow up on Old Business
- New Business

- **Community Input**
- **Reflection**

REPORTS:

- Admin:
 - Due to unforeseen circumstances, AC upgrade postponed to summer
 - Official enrollment count: 527 students
 - PRE gets additional funds according to Weighted Student Formula (WSF)
 - Two more student count dates: Oct. 5 and Dec. 20
 - For students who come in later, school will receive 75% in Oct. and 50% in Dec.
 - Students who leave after Aug. 20, school does not lose money
 - Projected enrollment next year is 496 students
 - [Logo Update](#)
 - Feedback
 - Logo looks fine, great
 - “Porpoises” font has a Water Park feel
 - Suggestion: Remove Porpoises and put only Pearl Ridge (top) Elementary (bottom)
 - Maikai Assembly
 - Previous Maikai award based on 8 Keywords
 - This year’s criteria is based on new Behavior Expectations
 - 3 BEs: Be Respectful, Be Responsible, and Be Safe
 - All students start on a clean slate
 - Students who won last year can win this year
- Student Council:
 - Treasurer’s Report
 - Previous Balance: \$1868.14
 - Income: none
 - Expenditures: none
 - Present Balance: \$1868.14
 - Committee Reports
 - Formal Affairs: no updates
 - Porpoise Pride:
 - Monday, Sept. 17: Rainbow Day
 - Tuesday, Sept. 18: Headwear Day
 - Wednesday, Sept. 19: Porpoise Pride Day
 - Thursday, Sept. 20: Ugly Tie Day
 - Friday, Sept. 21: Flashback Friday
 - Personal Pride:
 - On Thursday, Sept. 20 the committee will be meeting to look through the GLO booklets to tally how many completed booklets and prepare GLO pencils for each class.
 - Community:
 - Pocket Change for Puna Guessing Challenge ended on Friday, Sept. 14. The winner will be announced this week.
 - Unfinished Business or follow up to previous business
 - Music at recess: Mr. Takeguchi said no because it will distract the classes that

don't have recess.

- Swearing & inappropriate behavior: The faculty made “rules videos” and these will be shown on PRE25Live. If you witness something, tell an adult nearby. Remind others of the 3 BEs.
- 5 more minutes of recess: Mr. Takeguchi said that if we have 5 more minutes of recess, then we would have to end school 5 minutes later.
- CPOs need slips to write referrals: Mr. Takeguchi will speak with Mrs. Denis.
- 2nd recess should be extended to 15 minutes: Mr. Takeguchi said that if we have 5 more minutes of recess, then we would have to end school 5 minutes later.
- New P.R.E. Logo: Mr. Takeguchi will share the new logo at the Sept 17th SCC meeting.
- New Business
 - School Custodian Day - Oct. 2
 - Each teacher will be given one large star (class) and small stars (teacher) to write an appreciation message to the custodians. Thank you for making our school sparkle!
 - Student Council reps were each given a binder. The binder contains the Student Council Constitution, Roles & Responsibilities, Behavior Expectations, and Student Contract.
 - The Student Council contracts are due by Friday, Sept. 21 to Mrs. Ferreira or Mrs. Omoto.
- PTA
 - Welcome Luau was cancelled due to Hurricane Lane
 - Board elected to cancel and schedule one for beginning of next school year
 - Reimbursement checks went home last week
 - PTA Bingo Spaghetti Night
 - Friday, Sept. 21
 - Hustle for Health
 - Donation forms are due Sept. 27
 - Halloween Event
 - October 26
 - Still in planning process
 - Trick-or-treating
 - Arts and crafts

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:

- Attendance Policy
 - Blaine worked with counselors to revise policy
 - More reader friendly
 - Passed out
 - Attendance Procedures Handout

- Notification of Extended Absence/School Policy Regarding Instruction During Extended Absence
 - PRE Attendance Policy
 - DOE Attendance Parent Letter
- Jackie approved the Attendance Policy. Laura seconds.
- Health and Wellness Policy
 - Policy was shared in September Parent Bulletin
 - Sherri is the Safety Chairperson and will look over Health Wellness Policy with her committee
 - After Safety Committee meets and decides on guidelines, then policy will be brought to SCC to review

ANYTHING FROM THE COMMUNITY:

- None

REFLECTION:

- **What went well?**
 - We approved the Attendance Policy
 - Made suggestions for our PRE logo
- **What can we do better?**
 - Make sure everyone is invited to meeting

NEXT MEETING: October 22 @ 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 (community)
 - December 17
 - January 28
 - March 4 (community)
 - April 15 (will revisit date)
 - May 13

Agenda

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ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned by at 4:16 by Jon Katayama.