

DPAC MM 11/7/19

CALLED TO ORDER @6:34 PM.

WELCOME:

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES: Will approve at Jan meeting, not on website at the time of this meeting.

PARENT GROUP REPORTS:

CRANE: No rep.

FYLE: Andy Whitmore presented; 25 people in attendance. Fundraisers wrapped up in Fall- Save Around books, book fair held- \$1000, 275 attended boo bash-great feedback! Some highlights: Happy Pirates entertainment, CLIX photo booth (this was an offered perk included with school pictures contract), DQ fundraiser night =\$100, \$70 boxtops, 54 items spirit wear sold. Still to come: Chipotle fundraiser, Leo's Pies.

LEARY: Last meeting Leary's librarian presented, combined book fair with bingo night, 109 save around books still out, discussing different fall fundraiser, Boo Bash held at Roth d/t space constraints.

WINSLOW: Last night of the Book Fair hosted a Culture hour! Highlights: Pete the Cat, building BOE Rep and Mr. Wright attended, FUNDRAISER brought in \$8600 profit for fall, boo bash- pizza tickets sold ahead, open house well attended.

SHERMAN: Meeting held on 10/15- Shirley from Transportation presented, working on getting LOTE club going, 80 kids attended boo bash, Fall Fling set for 11/22 for 6th grade- will be fundraiser for end of year 6th grade. Planning for end of year events- 6th grade moving up night switched to day vs eve. RH is only district that was doing evening moving up ceremony so it was changed. Beginning to look into next year event planning.

Bo to look into moving up ceremony details- transportation, locations and will report back next meeting

VOLLMER: 12 parents attended last meeting. \$7k Save Around book sales. This is less than last year, many parent complaints, a lot of work (Bo reports receiving many complaints about this) 60 books not sent back. Opt out offered- \$1395 made, not enough made so spring fundraiser will happen. Monster mash different format this year- no charge. 820 signed up 630 attended! Chaotic d/t unsupervised kids. Book fair, bingo night, roller skating to be drop off- last year 120 kids attended. Making this a drop off event will hopefully be less crowded.

BURGER:no rep.

ROTH: Very small meeting, 7th grade activity night well attended. Planning 12/20 holiday event crockpot lunch & cookies- staff and families will be invited to participate. Natural Helpers overview, 3 day retreat in March. Food drive and sock collection, Question asked about Kicking 5k money- where did it go? Roth Rally on Friday before Thanksgiving break; Dedicated Voices to present for Senior Breakfast on the same day!

SHS: pltw discussion, homecoming- food trucks- one broke, 2 didn't show. Questions about sports ceremonies open house well attended.

DPAC LIAISON REPORTS:

MPAC: Equity presentation by Diane Wynne, vulnerability relating to equity and how to build kids up and support

HEALTH & WELLNESS: every other month- no meeting

SAFETY: No rep

RHMPA: No rep

SPORTS BOOSTERS: 580 students registered for winter sports! Modified registration ends next week, jv/v ends tonight. Boys v volleyball are in the semi finals! Fundraiser using Special Tees ends 11/10 for xmas. Tom met with coaches to start turf advocacy group.

TEACHER'S CENTER:no rep.

YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD:no rep

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Parent engagement priorities reviewed (handout) highlights: this year switch platforms from School Messenger to Blackboard gives ability to send more specific messages to more than one contact. Travis presented at BOE on "rebranding"- developed strategic plan to focus on positives. Mental health new focus. Parent asking if they can be

told ahead about lock down drill. Add 504 with special ed, parent asking about limiting chromebook searches to be more appropriate results.

Survey (handout)- revisions made based on DPAC recommendations, aligned with priorities. Last year admin in mid feb during break- do we keep the same for this year? Participation was significantly up last year. Agree to keep same time. Revision suggestions? Translation services to be looked into for implementation. Mr. Wright to follow up. May bring back to PTOs and bring additional feedback in Jan.

Presentation by Diane Wynne, Director of Wellness and Equity - thanking group for invite. Psychologist in RCSD, worked to be proactive, asst principal in Greece, worked to incorporate restorative practices with ALL staff including lunch monitors, transport staff. Some youth risk survey results given to HS kids. 35% reported felt sad/hopeless every day for 2 or more weeks 40% had trouble concentrating d/t mental health concerns. District focusing on professional development- several presentations at staff meetings. 2 wellness events- 12/5 anxiety depression night presentation. Trauma/ Illness/Grief team consistency throughout district, expanding community connections esp k-6. Reviewed social emotional learning core competencies. Courageous conversations about race 4 agreements- stay engaged, speak your truth, experience discomfort and expect non disclosure. Equality vs equity- removing barriers. Parent asking how to deal with groups not wanting to offend other groups, ex costumes at boo bash. Approach should be open minded. Discussed parent education, questions about curriculum challenges. Brene Brown author of Daring Greatly. The Culture of Love by Luvelle Brown superintendent at Ithaca. The continuum of cultural competency cultural destructiveness to cultural proficiency.

BOE REPORT:

State conference in Rochester this year- Riverside Convention Center -Nerlande and Jaime Scripps presented for RH. Program and service review approaching- that starts the budget talk/season.

RH DPAC group on FB. By Buraq.

Mr. Wright thanks BOE for being supportive of Diane's newly added position.

ADJOURNMENT: 8:12pm