



Sept. 26, 2011

Campus Advisory Council
Agenda

1. Members Present

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| ___ Tamara Engel | ___ Debbie Mahoney-Merritt |
| ___ Bernie Evangelista | ___ Richard Stanley |
| ___ Kelly Lewellen | |

Committee Chairs Present

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| _ ___ Fundraising / Susana Rodriguez | ___ Enrichment / |
| ___ Room Parent / Sheri Graciano | ___ Facilities / Rick Parks |
| ___ Stewardship / Temperance | ___ Lunch / Lori Embury/Stella McMillin |

Others in Attendance:

2. Principal's Report

- a. Enrollment-We have 245 students enrolled. We just did a lottery for a 2nd grade student.
- b. Staffing- We are looking for a replacement for one TA in the lower elementary class.
- c. Programs and Events:
 - i. We had 2 wonderful assemblies on peace, once at the start of the month and the other on the International Day of Peace.
 - ii. We had a lockdown drill on the 8th and a Fire Drill on the 22nd.
 - iii. Our Middle School Class went on their Ropes Course to Coloma.
 - iv. 2 6-9 Classes will go to the Discovery Museum this Thursday.
 - v. The Upper Elementary Classes will go to CSUS Aquatic Center on the 30th for their first field trip.
 - vi. The volleyball team started practices last week. Games will be in October.
 - vii. We will have Fall school pictures tomorrow.
 - viii. Star Power Tutoring will start in October.
- d. Facilities
 - i. The Bulletin Boards in the office were decorated with fabric using our school colors, burgundy and gold, and it brings a touch of elegance.
- e. Calendar/Upcoming Events:
 - i. Whole School Assembly on October 6th – RESPECT
 - ii. Parent Conferences – Week of October 10th
 - iii. Governing Board Meeting – October 10th – Elk Grove
 - iv. School Closure – October 26th – Staff Development

3. Committee Updates:
 - i. Stewardship:
 - 2 committee meetings have taken place.
 - Jessa volunteered to be the Landscape Architect.
 - There is interest to work on the space between the pre-school and the first wing. We are looking for a parent volunteer to lead the garden club.
 - There was a parent request to hold meetings in the evening.
 - ii. Grant Writing:
 - 1 committee meeting took place.
 - List of grants will be reviewed.
 - There is a specific grant that needs to be written by students and the information was forwarded to the middle school teacher.
 - There is a big grant from Clorox for \$25,000 which requires voting by the community.
 - iii. Enrichment:

One parent, Sarah of the GP class is interested in leading the Art.

4. Other Items for Discussion:
 - i. Pancake Breakfasts – Tabled for the October Meeting
5. Approval of the August 2011 minutes.

August minutes were approved via email by the team members.
6. The financial report will be presented in the October meeting.

7. Action Items

| | Action Item | Person Responsible | Due Date | Status |
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Agreements

| | Agreements Made | Date |
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8. At 6:00 p.m., Rick Parks and the members of the CAC will lead a dialogue with the community on the Heart and Soul of the School.

Parent comments:

- Do we need District approval on every project? Mostly yes due to liability.
- How fast is the approval process? Depends on whether or not money is involved.
- Do we have to keep the Jefferson name? Yes because this is their facility. CMP Capitol is the name registered in the Charter and CDE.
- The district is looking at what we're doing in our lunch program!
- Could we develop the outside garden area?
- Could we have a space where classes meet, other than the MP room?
- The office staff, admin and the teachers are really welcoming.
- Could we update the MP room to make it homier?
- Could it be done by students?
- Parent shared a committee should just come up with the list for people to vote on.
- Get the momentum going to keep interest high.
- Have a grand vision.
- Areas to consider:
 - Covered Areas
 - Mesh Fence/ Front grassy area
 - Dirt areas between the buildings (Watering Hole/Cave)-Outdoor Connect
 - Multi-Purpose Room-Color, Student Display
 - Play Area-black top