



SUNRISE Elementary
School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
December 10, 2018

Welcome

Introductions & Attendance:

There were 15 people in attendance: Jamilyn Romaine, Eddie Fisher, Tim Olsen, Kelly Kervin, Gary Voigt, Joanna Voigt, Alicia Gillaspie, Cara Melachrinos, Jackie Nieves, Stephanie Dickenson, Rachel Robulock, Elizabeth Slater, Jamie Hamelin, Stephen Holmes, and Barry Pichard

Mr. Pichard's Corner

School Calendar 2019-2020

- A survey went out to parents and staff regarding next year's "tentative" calendar. The board will be approving the calendar and posting to BPS webpage.

December Activities

- Next week: K, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade programs will be in the cafeteria.
- VPK will be making gingerbread houses in the cafeteria
- Twisty Cone School Spirit Night - Next Tuesday

Other items added after printing:

- Mrs. Abreu will be videotaped in the office while working. This is part of her being selected as a district finalist for Employee of the Year ☺
- We will be having a Shelter in Place Drill. Mr. Pichard will come on the morning announcements with instructions for teachers and for students. Everyone stays in their locked classroom and door windows are to be covered.
- Our School Improvement Plan (SIP) should be approved by the board tomorrow night at the School Board Meeting. It will then be posted on our webpage.
- We just had a school audit for school property (technology, media, music). Everything is accounted for and we had a perfect audit.
- PTO approved new cushions for the lobby (patio) furniture. It was \$63 each for the cushions, which are replacing the ones that are now 13 years old.
- Mrs. Arner (music teacher) earned a grant, which allowed her to purchase stands for her xylophones for music performances.

Questions/Comments:

- Mr. Fisher asked what the difference is between a shelter in place and a lockdown. Mr. Pichard explained that a shelter in place means students and staff stay in their room. The door window is covered, but teachers may continue teaching and everything is normal. A lockdown means that the lights are off and everyone is quiet; no one is allowed to leave the room until the all clear has been given.

Next meeting: January 14, 2019 @ 2 PM

