Cunningham Creek Elementary/SAC Minutes for September 12, 2019

Members in Attendance:

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| Administration | Teacher/Support Staff Representatives | Parent Representatives |
| Edie Jarrell-absent | Kristen Jacobs-K-present | \*Marie Young-present |
| District | Marlene Patterson-secretary-1st-present | \*Nyasha Boyd-present |
| Melinda Bogart-absent | Kourtney Williams-5th-present | \*Annie Ling-present |
| SAC Chair | Mickey Mickley-Related Arts-absent | \*Sam Horowitz: **Co-Chair-present**\*Jim Zoellner-absent |
| Courtney Zitzewitz-3rd-present | Deb Stubee-ESE-present | \*Kellie Pritchard-present\*Stephanie Maurice-absent |
| \*Natalie Tenoso-present\*Kami Carter-present |
| Business Partner | Jeanette SantosNon-Instructional-present |  |
| Trevor Olesiak-present |  |  |

Meeting was called to order at 3:36PM.

The minutes from September 12, 2019 were reviewed. A motion to accept was made by Mrs. Stubee. Mrs. Santos seconded. Minutes were approved.

The meeting schedule was presented. Mr. Horowitz motioned to accept the meeting schedule. Mrs. Young seconded the motion. The meeting schedule was approved.

The Principal’s report could not be given at this time because Mrs. Jarrell had a planned absence and Mrs. Miller had a death in the family.

Mr. Horowitz stated that two times a year the district holds a District Focus Group Meeting. Mr. Horowitz and Mrs. Boyd also attended the meeting. He shared the following from the meeting:

1. On October 21, 2019 from 5:30-6:30PM, there will be a Standards Listening Tour that will be open to the public.
2. Update about new schools: New schools will be built in 2020-2021. Talk to Bev Slough if you have further questions.
3. Next District Focus Group Meeting is December 11th at 9:00AM at the Fullerwood Center in St Augustine.
4. INK (Investing in Kids) was discussed. Grants are being awarded to teachers. The deadline is quickly approaching. INK is asking for applications. If you need money and you are a teacher, you can apply. Making a Mark through INK is a program that wants to honor one elementary and high school teacher each month. Mr. Horowitz encouraged parents to nominate teachers from CCE.
5. The Director of Policy and Legislation spoke. His anticipation is that this is a refining and tweaking year and not a major overhaul year.
6. The district has someone to represent our interests in Tallahassee. If you have questions, we can bring him in to meet with us.
7. There was a lot of talk about safety that mainly affects middle and high school students.

\*Mr. Horowitz talked about Rollover Funds: The suggestion was to combine last year’s money with this year’s money.

-Mr. Horowitz is encouraging teachers to take a day to invest in themselves, which will in turn help teachers to invest in their classrooms. Mr. Horowitz stated that whatever money is left, could go towards supplies for the classroom. Teachers who opt out of the TDE will have $190 to spend. Teachers who want to pool their money can do that also.

-Mrs. Stubee stated that the proposal stated $100, not $190 dollars. Mr. Horowitz will fix this.

-Mr. Olesiak was concerned that the proposal might be too broad. He suggested a tool called “4 Helpful Lists”. This would give the teachers a tool to help them narrow down what they wanted to do on the TDE day. Mrs. Z. stated that she did not want to make this more cumbersome so that teachers would not want to take the day. Mr. Horowitz asked Mr. Olesiak to work up suggestions for the TDE day.

- Mrs. Young motioned to accept the proposal. Mrs. Ling seconded the motion. The proposal was accepted. Teachers will have to fill out a Fillable Proposal. Mrs. Carter suggested contacting business partners to offer places to go for the TDE day. The proposal was voted on and accepted.

Good of the Group:

\*Mr. Horowitz suggested that if you come across opportunities that would benefit teachers, please bring it to SAC.

\*Mrs. Carter suggested programs with the Navy for the TDE day.

\*Mrs. Boyd suggested that teachers be nominated by parents for INK.

Mrs. Young motioned to adjourn the meeting. Mrs. Stubee seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 4:03PM.