## Salemwood School Council September 25, 2018

## Present:

Van Huynh, Acting Principal
Christina Terranova, Grade 5-8 SEI
Alan Rodriguez, Grade 4 SEI
Lisa Pastore. Grade 3
Amanda Maffeo, Grade 6 Writing
Jennifer Hedrington, Grade 7 Math
Lindsey Wyman, Community Member, Minuteman Press

## Agenda:

- 1. School Council meetings
  - a. 7am, K-4 conference room
  - b. Upcoming meetings: 11/13, 1/15, 3/12, 5/14
- 2. Parental involvement with school council
  - a. An informational paper is being sent home asking parents/guardians to sign up for school council
- 3. PTO
  - a. The school would like to work on parent outreach and getting parents more involved
  - b. For field trips if a parent completes a cori form they may attend the field trip but in order to lead a group without school staff they need to be fingerprinted.
  - c. Currently the PTO has 2 staff members who have children. Volunteers are needed.
  - d. Class Dojo has been successful in passing along communication and translating announcements in various languages
- 4. Start of School
  - a. 3rd and 4th grade am and pm line up needs some work. At pm dismissal, it is difficult to dismiss students due to parents being up front. Additional pm staff to ask parents to move away from the door would be helpful. Van will assign pm duty workers.
- 5. School Improvement Plan 2019
  - a. The school council will be looking over the school improvement plan with a focus on social emotional.