

LSA Site Council Notes

Organization: School Site Council

Meeting Date: Thursday, December 10, 2020

Time: 6:00 pm

Meeting Location: Zoom Webinar

Requested By: Rafael A. Garcia, Linden School Principal

Agenda 12.10.2020

Attendees:

- Rafael Garcia
- Rachana Gray
- Cynara Cannatella
- Eden Garhart-Smith
- Elaine Elliott
- Lisa Hanifan
- Jasna Nightingale
- Kymberly Bryson
- Julie Jones
- Stacey Scott
- Heather Provenzano

1. Welcome

2. Public Comment

- No one in the waiting room
- Ms. Jones & Ms. Scott--no comment

3. Approval of the minutes from October 29 , 2020 and November 19, 2020

- October 29 notes approved.
- November 19 notes approved.

4. Principal's Report

- Linden will have a spirit week 12/21-12/23
 - 12/21--Candy Cane Day
 - 12/22--Twin Day
 - 12/23--Cozy PJ Day
- Report Cards
 - Mailed home 1-4
 - Available for X2 for 5-8
 - 12/16 report card conferences
 - 12:45-2:45 and 5:30-7:00
 - Teachers will assign asynchronous work from 12:45-2:45
 - Using Calendly for conference sign up
- Early Release on 12/23 11:00 dismissal
- Access to Smore

- Newsletter distribution platform
- Translation feature

5. New Items

- Considering SEL opportunities
 - Students showcasing talents
 - Clubs?
 - Monthly cross grade level meetings
 - Previously called “Friday Frenzy”
 - Set goal for both a whole group celebration & small group interaction in January
 - Ray will follow up with SEL team Friday 12/11
- Current opportunities to socialize with classmates & teachers
 - Breakfast bunch
 - Lunch bunch
 - Snack club
- Would it be possible to create a Parent list-serve/directory?
 - It was previously discussed that this should be brought to PTO.
 - It seems like PTO would like approval to organize.
 - Could we approach again?
 - Consider inviting Denise to a SSC
 - Consider seeking parent volunteers to collaborate at each grade level and/or homeroom
 - Organize in google sheets?

6. Select dates for future meetings

- Tuesday 1/12/2021
- Tuesday 2/9/2021
- Tuesday 3/9/2021

7. Personal Privilege

- Wish for a Happy first night of Hanukkah!
- It seems like things are going so well this fall/winter. From parent perspective, students are engaging and getting the support they need.
- Grateful to the parents for their support with online learning.
- Wish for a restful winter break and great 2021!