



MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Van Huynh

Principal

Salemwood School

**Salemwood School
School Council (Virtual)
2021-2022**

Meeting Date: Tuesday, October 26 at 6:30 pm

<https://zoom.us/j/91578473889>

Agenda Items:

1. Introduction
2. Expectations/Goals
3. Public Comment
4. Principal's Report
5. Positives/Events

Next meeting date: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 at 6:30pm

Notes:

1. Introduction:

Attendance:

Amanda Maffeo, Gr 6 Study Skills; Kathleen McGourthy- ESL Interventionist; Violet Walsh- Gr 4 ESL;

Van Huynh-Principal

Parent: Kelly Yin- Parent

Community member: Robin Jorgensen -Kiwanis

Student representative: Absent

2. Expectations/Goals:

-Voice

-School Improvement Plan

-Once a month? Every other month?- Bi-monthly but flexible and willing to meet as often as Needed



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3. Public Comment

- Translate flyers; donate to Boutique/Clothing Bins
- Schools are under a lot of pressure-quarantine due to being sick can be a stressor

4. Principal's Report

- Enrollment- 951 (lowest number); All students in person/no remote
- PTO- have family members involved with our teachers; nice to see families and students in different light; meet families
- Successful first family event- Fall Festival 10/15/21- suggested donations \$10 per family.
- More events to be held throughout the year- showcasing our school to the community;
- Quarantining
- Shortage of staff
- Open position still needing to be filled; Gr3/Gr 5 Special Education, K-8 Health, Math Interventionists, ILP paraprofessional, daily substitutes.
- Student Government- Gr 6-8
- Monthly newsletter from Principal- smores- translated
- SEL needs of students and staff; behaviors/trauma

5. Positives/Events

- No School Tuesday, November 2, 2021- Professional Development Day for teachers
- Next PTO Thursday, November 4, 2021 at 7pm
- No School Thursday, November 11, 2021- Veterans Day
- Thanksgiving break- 11am dismissal Wednesday, November 24. No school Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26, 2021