Stanley Switlik Elementary School

SAC Virtual Meeting August 18, 2021

- Meeting opened with pledge of allegiance. Mrs. Paul welcomed all in attendance and introduced the following 2021-2022 SAC Board members: Catherine Dunn, Chair; Nicole Strama, Vice Chair; Tiffany Sauders, Secretary; Kim Thompson, Teacher Liaison, Christy Meier, Kate Chaffin, Leslie Christensen, Maria Gonzalez, Kimberly Joly, Ashley Keeney, Christina McIntyre, Liz Samess, Sally Powell, Chris Willis and Tanya Sly.
- 2. Future SAC meetings will meet on the following Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m.

September 1st

October 6th

November 3rd

December 1st

January 5th

February 2nd

March 2nd

April 6th

May 4th

3. Safe and Healthy Schools, Christine Paul

We have had a few cases but only one we know of that potentially spread via the classroom last school year. Most of our positive cases spread through the household so we ask parents to be cautious and keep your child home if they are not feeling well. We are spacing seats at least 3 feet apart and maintain seating charts so we can identify students who may have been in close proximity with someone who has tested positive. Masks are mandated, an opt out form is available for parents who do not agree. Most of the students do wear masks. The latest information regarding procedures is found under MCSD Covid-19 Response, linked from the district main webpage. The School Board will examine community conditions every two weeks to determine best measures to take.

4. Achievement Data & School Grade, Christine Paul

Mrs. Paul identified our BLPT leaders who help plan and develop our school improvement goals:

Christine Paul, Principal Sarah Adams, Assistant Principal Zoraida Collazo, Office Manager Christy Meier, Academic Coach Tanya Sly, Literacy Coach Chris Willis, School Counselor Heather Hendrix, Kindergarten Gayzel Collins, First Grade
Kat Vals, Second Grade
Bailey Francisco, Third Grade
Randy Collinet, Fourth Grade
Jeanette Wert, Fifth Grade
Tisa Lall, Special Areas
Michele Licause, ESE/Support

New teachers and staff who joined Switlik this year:

Tom Ballenger, Emergency Fifth Grade Regla Calandra, Fifth Grade Amelia, Title I Interventionist Jesika Ban, Lab Manager/Para Bill Eller, Guidance Assistant Selena Gonzalez, Nurse Tech Miriam Hribar, Head Start Annette Maxwell, K-2 VE Roxy Murphy, EL Interventionist Aspen Philips, Emergency First Grade Gina Paskiewicz, Fourth Grade Misty Reininger, Third Grade Pauline Hawes, Paraprofessional Nurdys Rosal, Paraprofessional Mallorie Woodbury, Paraprofessional

Mrs. Paul shared 2020-2021 Data Analysis information, which will guide us in setting goals and making improvements for the 2021-2022 school year. Based on the data, we know we want to continue to improve our ELA lowest quartile and continue to improve our relationships goal with the SEL Screener. Grade level teams are going to focus on five priorities – relationships, core instruction, rigor, goals and MTSS, which helps make sure all students get the support they need.

5. Ribbon Cutting 9/21 and 50 Year Anniversary Grand Open House 9/22, Christine Paul

We are hosting a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on September 21st. Information will follow. Our Grand Open House will be September 22nd.

6. PBIS, Sarah Adams

Ms. Adams continues to serve as the district MTSS coordinator. MTSS is providing every kid what they need when they need it.

As a part of our Positive Behavior Intervention Support program, I BElieve was formed. It includes school wide BE's which are aligned with the district. Mr. Willis writes and sings songs that relate to the BE's. They can be found under the SSE PBIS webpage. Ms. Adams enthusiastically shared that she recently joined the Advisory Board, which will match fundraising money up to \$25,000 for PBIS. This will significantly help us celebrate students and staff in an effort to encourage positive behavior!

7. Student Handbook, Sarah Adams

Our handbook was updated this summer. There are no major revisions. The handbook is accessible under our SSE website.

8. Arrival & Dismissal Procedures, Sarah Adams

Please help us make drop-off and dismissal run as smoothly as can be. Be on time -8:10 is drop off, please have your student(s) ready to exit and do not drop them off early. We do not have supervision. Our scheduled pick up time is 3:20. We ask that parents do not arrive before 3:20. Arriving early and waiting blocks the road, causing a traffic jam plus frustration.

Stay off your phone. Have your sign clearly posted in dashboard to help the process.

9. Lunch Form, Sarah Adams

We are again receiving free student breakfast and lunch but we are asking parents to fill out the form because it does help with funding. The free and reduced application is on our homepage.

10. Title I Presentation – Tanya Sly, Elizabeth Hogan

Tanya Sly is our Title I site coordinator. Elizabeth Hogan is the Family and Community Engagement Coordinator for the district.

Elizabeth explained that the purpose of Title I is to boost benefits for all of our students. We want all of our students to receive extra services – tutoring, parent resource center, activities and events. Title I brochures will be available soon. Elizabeth is here to help with any questions happy to assist in any way possible. Title I places emphasis on parent and family engagement. Elizabeth writes our parent and family engagement plan and has many resources available that she can share with parents and teachers.

Tanya Sly's contact information can be found in the brochure as well and she is happy to help. Information about upcoming activities is coming soon.

11. Meeting adjourned at 6:27.