

Sugarloaf SAC Board Minutes

January 9, 2012

Roll Call: 6:00 pm

Present: Harry Russell, Kelli Fricke, Jenny O'Brien, Mindy Conn, Jill Palladino, Joelle Keane, Raquel Silvestro

Excused: Ollie Iarrobino, Laurie Cook

SAC Chair Report – Kelli Fricke

On a motion by Joelle Keane and seconded by Raquel Silvestro, the minutes were approved from the meeting held on December 12, 2012.

The teacher of the month award and certificate was given to Valerie Parker for January. Kelli Fricke will e-mail everyone for new nominees for February and March.

Board was asked to renew Brain Pop for the teachers and students. Mr. Russell will have to check if the money is still available since the money from the Believe fundraiser was supposed to be for after school programs and we only made half the amount of money we usually make.

Our Teacher of the Year is Jill Palladino and Our Inclusion teacher of the year is Anna Marie Steepy. Barbara Lytton is our Volunteer of the year for the district in her age group.

The guest speaker scheduled for tonight's meeting is Mr. Russell, Deputy Morgan our SRO Officer, Sgt. Tesk and Lt. Elomina from the Monroe County Sheriff's Office. They discussed our School Safety Plan in great length. "ALICE" Alert-get the word out

Lockdown-use technology and procedures to inform, counter and evacuate
Inform-communication

Counter-apply skills to distract, confuse and gain control

Evacuate-get out if the situation allows.

"We have a plan"-Sugarloaf has a partnership with local law enforcement. Our AP and Counselor is our first contact and we need more in our schools!

What parents need to know-

US 1 and Crane will be shut down

School will deliver the students to a northbound and southbound location-will know this exact point by next meeting but they have a place now.

Connect Ed to notify parents

possible twitter accounts from school for another way to communicate

Mr. Russell wants more signs for locations at the school since it is an open school. Need more cameras and working cameras, need more safety lock downs that do not interfere with a fire hazard. Need to always fight to keep out SRO Officer.

Principal's Report – Harry Russell

He has been granted the money for the STEM grant.

Joelle Keane asked Mr. Russell why the Middle School midterm grades were not in yet. He replied there may be possible curves from the district. She also asked if any of our Sugarloaf teachers were involved in helping to write the mid terms like they have been in the past. Mr. Russell stated an e-mail from either him or district was sent to the teachers 'a while back' with the dates of the mid term writing. Mrs. Mc Pherson stated the teachers had the mid term exams for 2 weeks and a day before the exam so they should have covered all the benchmarks for the students.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm

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In attendance-see sign in sheet that Ollie Iarrobino has in the secretary folder.

Discussed doing a Spring Fling with the Outback fundraiser. Mindy Conn talked to Outback and they are willing to come to the school to do the fundraiser. Kelli Fricke has the carnival equipment, Mr. Russell will do drinks and public relations to try to get donors. The school is trying to get more community involvement with this. Jill Palladino discussed possibly adding a 5 K race to help with Mrs. Borden's medical expenses. Mr. Russell will discuss the spring fling with the staff at it's next meeting.

Meeting adjourned 7:20pm