

Hilliard Middle- Senior High School
SAC Minutes for January 29, 2018

Chairperson: A. Moore

The January 29, 2018 meeting of the 2017-2018 school year for Hilliard Middle –Senior High School was called to order at 3:45 P.M. All present were welcomed and thanked for their commitment to School Advisory Council. Those present: Amanda Moore, Rob McCannell, Terisia McKelvy, Kevin Webb, Tammy Johnson, Alana Isham, Nick Mirando, Monica Cason. The minutes from the November 27, 2017 meeting were read and approved as read.

- **School Performance and Focus Areas:**

- Student input- there was no student input at this time
- School Improvement Plan Midpoint Reflection: looking at our goals, are we progressing toward meeting our goals; all strategies are in place and teachers continue to progress monitor
 - End of course exams: Geometry (Fall 2017) 100 percent passed; Biology Fall 2017 56 percent passed. . All of freshman passed; lower quartile and ESE students didn't perform as well; US History Fall 2017: 70 percent (lower quartile of students struggled and didn't pass)
 - New ESE support facilitator was hired
- PBS Celebration Update:
 - the cash in of middle school tokens is going well (giving direct rewards)
 - Assembly for 2nd 9 weeks: students were recognized for Perfect Attendance, All A honor roll, and AB honor roll, stand out students who display characteristics of responsibility and respect, and students who achieved certifications from Mrs. Stamps
 - Referrals- only a few are repeat offenders; we are below the referral rate from the 2016-2017 school year.
- Science Action Plan and STEM
 - We have an action plan in place to help improve our science scores. The science department working with Monica Wright from district office
 - Our first STEM night is scheduled March 15, 2018; science department will partner with CTE classes for some of the class activities; the science department will also team with computer lab to showcase student science fair projects.
- Middle School Math Tutoring will be begin the last week in January. It will be held on Wednesday and Friday mornings from 8:00-8:30. It is free tutoring to prepare students for the upcoming FSA test. It is being offered to 6-8th grade. Any freshman or sophomore struggling with concepts can meet with math teachers in the morning before school for tutoring.
- School Recognition Fund for distribution- funds were distributed the 2nd week of January
- Open House for second semester Monday, January 29, 2018 from 5:30-7:00.
- SAT school wide testing and writing test will be Wednesday, March 7, 2018. SAT will begin at 7:30 AM for juniors and a few seniors; FSA writing will be administered to 6th-10th grade beginning at 9:15 AM.

- **Financial Report**

- Current Balance: \$9448.23
- Current Fund Requests:

- Math calculators for Algebra 2 students. Floor was open for discussion. The amount requested is up to \$400. A motion made by Amanda Moore and seconded by Kevin Webb. A vote was taken and passed.
 - Money set aside for use of substitutes: Floor was open for discussion. The amount requested is up to \$500 set aside for substitute money so that teachers can observe their peers in action in all subject areas. Motion made by Mrs. Isham and seconded by Kevin Webb. A vote was taken and passed.
 - STAR Lab: rental of the portable planetarium for STEM night. More information will be given once price has been decided.
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- Car Show scheduled for Saturday, October 6, 2018
 - Other Business
 - Next Meeting Dates (start time of 3:45 pm): March 12

With there being no further business to be brought before the council, a motion was made by Kevin Webb and seconded by Rob McCannell to adjourn, the motion carried.