

Wheeler School Council

Minutes 2024-25

Meeting Date: Tuesday, September 10, 2024

Meeting Location: Wheeler Rm 3

Members present	Lori Hubbuch, Tami James, Joseph Morgan, Kathie Skinner, Betsy Skattie, Jillian Freeland, Martha McGowan, Jen Warnstedt, Lacey Sly
Members absent	
Constituency group represented	PTA Alisha Ambrosino, Shawna Van Riper, Shineeka Wilson

I. Called to order at 2.33 P.M. by Jody Lake

II. Approval of Minutes for April 3, 2024

DISCUSSION NOTES	Approval of Minutes
CONCLUSIONS	
ACTION ITEMS	
Approved by Shawna Van Riper, Seconded by Joseph Morgan	

III. Call to the audience.

DISCUSSION NOTES	Morgan: What is the anti-bullying protocol, 6 year old reported that he had been picked on. Told adult but was then told to stay away from that kid.
CONCLUSIONS	Lake discussed the word bullying and that if it is in fact bullying it should go to the counselor or social worker. Baltes: We also want to make sure that the teacher was informed about this, they will be able to do a PBIS circle in their classroom and work on the relationship between the students.

DISCUSSION NOTES	Jillian Freeland Spoke with Mrs. Lake about the lack of developmental curriculum in our schools and discussed having a class during the 21 st Century time for Jillian to teach a class.
CONCLUSIONS	Lake: We will not be able to have this class during the first semester but we can look into having it during the second semester.

DISCUSSION NOTES	Morgan: Are we still having the perfect attendance awards quarterly?
CONCLUSIONS	Baltes: We are still going to have those because we want kids to be recognized for doing well. We are going to start having quarterly assemblies that will include grades, attendance and student of the month.

DISCUSSION NOTES	Joseph: Will we have a place to have performances that won't be outside?
CONCLUSIONS	Baltes: Yes we going to have our winter performance over at Palo Verde. In fact we are going to visit Palo Verde for their Winter Performance.

IV. Reports

DISCUSSION NOTES	Principal's Report
CONCLUSIONS	Been a successful start to the school year. We are concerned about enrollment of 333 with 55 students and the district does not count preschool. When you look, we are down. We are trying to seek help from our community that we are such a great place as to build our enrollment. Looking forward to working with the PTA.
ACTION ITEMS:	

V. Action Items

ITEM TITLE	Mrs. Skattie
DISCUSSION NOTES	Would like to have a reward for students who get perfect attendance each month. Popcorn glove, pie in the face for principal or reversal dunking booth. I feel like COVID has sucked the fun out lots of things. And would like to bring the fun back in for perfect attendance. James: sounds fantastic Ambrosino: We like that it is monthly and chance to win comes every month. Wilson: Lunch with principal/pizza party with principal. Popcorn/cotton candy Bounce house is very expensive. Booth Fickett had them last year. Trunk or Treat is free and if we had it during carnival then we might lose money. If we could get more volunteers we could have more stuff. Baltes: willing to be taped to the wall, silly string, no dying of hair. Will do anything, sign me up.
RESOLUTION	

Discussion/information items

ITEM TITLE	Tax Credit Report
DISCUSSION NOTES	Undesignated funds Amount: \$42,036.68
RESOLUTION	

VI. Submission of items for next agenda.

- a. Money for perfect attendance

VII. The meeting was adjourned at 3:19P.M. by Jody Lake