

Daniel Bagley PTA Meeting Minutes 11/8/11 6:30-8:00pm

PTA meeting 11/8/2011

Held in the cafeteria 6:30-8

Welcome and Introductions – Kari Cantey

Due to the large number in attendance introductions were not made

Principal Update – Erika Ayer

Introduced Robert Bernstein – Data Coach

The department has downsized from 4 employees to 1

MAP Presentation is attached and a question and answer period occurred afterward

Questions about MAP – Email Ms. Ayer

- **MAP testing window 12/1 – 1/20**
 - Ms. Bissel working on schedule with teachers
 - K/1 test consists of 2 reading sections and 2 math sections
 - 2-5 test is slightly longer and consists of 1 reading section and 1 math section
- **Progress reports**
 - District piloting a new progress report this year and is requesting parent feed back
 - Report created by a committee of teachers and central office staff
 - 2 pages front and back based on state standards

- **Monday Morning Meeting**

The new schedule is:

- First Monday of the month the entire school body meets (K-5)
- Second and Fourth Monday K-3 meet
- Weekly 4/5 meet to talk about issues that impact that grade band

Parents are invited to attend MMM

- Don't forget to sign up for parent teacher conferences
 - N/NW 85th Paving Project
- Looking ahead be aware that N/NW 85th repaving project is scheduled from Mid-June – October with traffic being rerouted to N. 80th.
Front office is working with BLT, SDOT and School District to stay on top of the project because it will impact families at Daniel Bagley

Principal coffee 11/9 at 9:30

BLT – Mary Janisch

- **Lunch**

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- In an attempt to address the noise issue and kids rushing out to recess without eating the BLT is proposing moving from 2 lunches to 3
 - Order for lunch and recess would switch for K/1 and 2/3
 - Need to discuss in detail with teachers
 - Look for changes after Thanksgiving and information will be communicated in the Buzz and on the V-list
- Results of Climate Survey –
 - Taken by 4/5 graders
 - Results showed a higher level of bullying than expected
 - 4/5 leadership team is reviewing
 - Questions that have been raised is if students understand what bullying is, how were the questions asked in the survey and whether the younger students should be surveyed to better assess the climate

Special Initiatives Grant – Allison Rice

- The Grant Committee met for the first time and reviewed the nine proposals that were submitted and decided to move forward on four of them
 - Four proposals were under the dollar threshold needed for a vote
 - One was an assembly request that needs to be approved by the staff
 - Three proposals were above \$500 and need to be voted on by the PTA –A motion was made and seconded to the vote on each individual proposal (rather than as a slate)
 - \$600 – purchase of clay and glazes for Art Instruction
 - Passed
 - \$1000 – purchase Technology Curriculum for grades 2-5
 - Passed
 - \$600+ - IPAD for Special Education
 - Tabled until review of technology constraints in the building, application support and ongoing maintenance is complete
 - Will vote on at December Meeting
 - The Grant Committee is reviewing the process for submission and voting criteria to ensure that proposals align with school priorities and work in partnership with the staff and that the criteria for a PTA vote is not set to low

Questions about the Grant Committee or submitted proposals can be sent to <mailto:bagleybee@hotmail.com>

Free Money Program – Lexy Relph

Free Money Program information is updated every two weeks

A new program with Amazon has been established <http://www.amazon.com/?tag=danibageelem-20>

When holiday shopping remember to purchase Scrip cards

Ms. Scordas for Liz Filep

Diane Ravitch speaking at Town Hall

Giving Circle – Debbie Woosley

The bulletin board will be up next week –the goal is to provide a gift for all family members not just the Daniel Bagley Student

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Bethany Community Church also supports our families by providing 75 gifts
The bulletin board will be on display until 12/2

Treasures Report - Michiko Kono

Due to copier problems additional copies of the budget can be requested

Highlights include: \$27K raised to date for the Jogation

Free money has raised \$3000

Harvest Hootenanny was not a fundraiser but was such a successful event and raised \$1600

Next Meeting December 13

Meeting Adjourned at 8:00