**December 10, 2015**

*Attendance:* Lisa Fink, Pam Robbins, Angela Sands, Taylor Cordona, Michele Irizarry, Chris MacEwan, Lyn Repsher, Beth Stojanovic, Stephanie Gionet, Donna Frank, Heather Toombs, Michele McLean, Jay Willets

* Meeting was called to order by Lisa Fink at 2:19
* *Finance Update*
* Zero dollars in our budget
* *Project S.O.S*
* Pamela Robbins representing Project S.O.S (Strengthening our Society)
* Non Profit CEO for S.O.S. visited to share information oh now SAC can help students and strengthen our society
* Shared a personal story that led to her involvement in this organization
* Student sponsorship is $25.00 per teenager that includes 8 lessons of critical life skills, time with Project SOS Youth Development Specialists, an interactive workbook that is 91 pages of colorful lessons to reinforce healthy choices
* Mission is to change the youth culture
* *Mastery Connect*
* Stephanie Gionet shared PBMS’s latest assessment tool- Mastery Connect
* Mastery Connect is an electronic assessment tool that provides instant feedback for students and teachers
* Civics and Science have been piloting this for a few weeks and PBMS is opening it up for all teachers for the 2nd semester
* Mastery connect has tons of great features including: ability to upload teacher created assessments, share assessments with others in the community, provide instant feedback to students, breaks down mastery vs remediation by standard, etc…
* *Good News from the Principal*
* Enrollment 1223 as of today
* New associate teacher hired – Michele Hodges
* New art teacher – Paula Athens
* New critical thinking – Mr. Meadows
* Winter band performances and chorus performances were a huge success
* Finished our food drive with great success and donated to St. Francis House
* Luncheon Monday with students in bus accident and fire rescue/ police
* Washington D.C. trip coming in January
* Books a go go – gently used books collected and resold to schools at discounted rate
* Reverb church is sponsoring 20 families for holidays
* PTSO is working toward a food program for families in need -250 families at or below the poverty level
* Final newsletter for this quarter will be going out next week (Spelling Bee Winner, Science Fair Winners, Special Needs program accomplishments)
* *Public Comment*
* Questions and concerns about tardy policy
* Discussion about school expansion in St. Johns county
* Meeting was adjourned at 3:25

 Next meeting at 2:15 on January 14, 2016