

Pacetti Bay Middle School SAC Meeting

February 9, 2017

Attendance: Lisa Fink, Stephanie Gionet, Kristine Beringer, Ava Willets, Jay Willets, Hedy Sberna, Staci Farrell, Dana Goodson, Chamane Williams, Beth Stojanovic, Lyn Repsher, Donna Soncrant for Donna Frank, Hannah Hart

- Meeting was called to order by Stephanie Gionet at 2:30

Finance Update

- Zero dollars in our budget

FSA

Parents should have testing schedules via email or on can access on school website

Proctors needed for FSA writes

Feb 28- 6th and 7th grade (paper/pencil test)

8th grade- Monday March 6th

Students will take FSA practice tests for reading math, civics and algebra/geometry

FSA writes score is embedded in their Language Arts FSA score

6th grader- take writing, math and reading exams

7th grade- writing, math, reading and civics

8th grade- writing, science, math and reading

Minimal disruption is the goal

Technology Team

Presented by Hannah Hart

Virtual Reality in the classroom

Replicates real environment or simulation

Use phones or electronic devices

“immersive learning” or high engagement

Virtual field trips

Students experience for themselves

Google cardboard/Insignia cardboard glasses and Google Expedition App

Teachers become the guide/ teachers have control of the expedition

Google provides teacher prompts and question examples to probe students

Google Cardboard is 13 dollars/ Insignia is 10 dollars a piece

Class sets would be between 750 or 938 for 88 goggles

Good News from Mr. Willets

**Survey update- currently 232 parents have taken the parent input survey. One more email push will be made on Friday.*

1390 students, 125 staff, new music teacher hired

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Theater is going to NYC next Friday

8th grade Gradventure May 5th

Bus loop has been completed

Abe Lincoln came to speak to the 8th graders

10 year celebration for PBMS on May 13th

May 13th is also the kickoff to the Stop Hunger fundraiser

Emma Lasswell made it 13 rounds at the district spelling bee

Ultimate Frisbee is beginning soon

Cafeteria extension will be about 45 days out

NJHS underway

Free Seat Friday

6 portables coming end of Feb/early march

Next year prediction is 1450

New Elem school "M" principal will be announced soon

About 2 miles past PBMS

PTSO is selling Valentines Grams for 1.00

Sale at Mrs. Williams Boutique website MYJMCboutique.com

Next meeting will be in room 395 (Ms. Fink's room)

Next meeting will be Thursday, March 9 at 2:30 PM in Ms. Fink's room

Meeting was adjourned at 2:56