

School Advisor Council Meeting

Pacetti Bay Middle School (PBMS)
245 Meadowlark Lane
Saint Augustine, Florida

2/17/2022

2:17 – 2:58 PM

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Attendees: Ted Banton-Principal; John Manias- SAC Chair; Bruce Laga-SAC co-chair; Laura Wynn-District Buddy; Robyn Lightsey; Cynthia Lee; Kimber Ponce-SRE; Sherri Blackmon (PTSO); Holli Winter PBMS AP; MS Lamos; Jillian Ferro; Tina Mobley; Sarah Della Porta; Constantine Espinoza; Shauna Smalling

1. Welcome, Mr Manias opened the meeting at 2:16.
2. Financial update- Mr. Laga: there were zero expenditures and zero to update to last month's financial report.
3. Needs assessment survey report. The school is required to have a 35% participation rate in the survey completion for parents. The team offered different ways the news to complete the survey is going out to the parents and the team is confident of an reaching the goal earl.
4. Online/in school registration for next year. Electives are being completed Friday, 2/18 for 6th and 7th grade PBMS students. Mr Banton notes that PBMS now feeds 4 different high schools with differing ways to schedule. Variants on scheduling from PBMS to the high schools are more complicated due to PBMS having to wait upon the high school to begin their process.
Next year at PBMS we will add to the creative writing course and the STEM course schedule to include more classes based upon the students' desires.
5. Funds request:
 - A. Ms. Winter speaking on behalf of the PBIS team is requesting funds for storage areas for the selections made by the students. The success of the PBIS program has led to out of stocks! The PBIS team is looking for funds to replace items and obtain storage areas for the program. Ms. Winter asked for 2000.00. Motion was made by Shari Blackman, seconded by many.
 - B. Kate Houston reapplied for funds to supplement her stock of rewards for the iReady student competition. Earlier this school year, Ms. Houston requested funds to purchase gifts for gains made by students on the iReady test. The motion to provide funds was made by Shari Blackman and seconded by all.
6. Ted Talks: Mr Banton bragged about the gains made last year by the 6th grade math students. He made mention to honor the 6th grade teacher and especially Ms McCay. McCay worked

throughout the year, she was battling cancer and still assisted her students and the other PBMS 6th grade math students to be the county leader in gains in the FSA Math exam.

More news:

- PBMS led the district in teacher retention last year at 90%.
- Sequence changes will be made next calendar year for Civics moving to 8th grade and U.S. History moving to 7th grade. The year will feature more U.S. History classes to make the transition.
- Update on the outside lunch area-we need a concrete pad poured so the student may eat outside as a group, then the already approved umbrellas will be purchased.
- The EOC and FSA testing calendar is in process.
- New teachers: Ms. McCaleb our new 8th grade math teacher, Risa Waldron left for another school
- Mr. Banton gave a shout out to the OPTSO for all of the wonderful things that they have provided for the teachers and the students this year.

7. Next meeting is March 24.

8. Meeting adjourned at 3:04 PM