

## **SAC Meeting for 04/09/2019 Driftwood Elementary**

**Attendance:** Deeana Pomales, Marina Rashid, Grace Alvarez,, Cindy Bensen, Tamara Faison, Melissa Flores, Michelle London, Joyce Santiago, Lois Jones, Laura Loffredo, Kristi Carlo, Shaniqua Hunt, Lourdes Cruz

**Call to Order:** A meeting of the Driftwood Elementary School Advisory Council was held in the Media Center on April 9, 2019. Deeana Pomales called the meeting to order at 7:32. Deeana Pomales will record minutes for this meeting.

### **New Business:**

Ms. Pomales opened the meeting with an update on SIP -Ms. Pomales reviewed the current bylaws 2018-2019 school year. She presented the current schedule of meetings (dates and times) indicated on the bylaws and proposed to the committee for changes for next school year 2019-2020. Ms. Pomales shared a suggestion of holding some of the SAC meetings in the evening (after school hours) and/or during other school-wide events such as curriculum night due to low parental attendance. Some members agreed with the suggestions, however not all were in favor. A parent suggested to keep the same meeting dates and times for next school year, but to review next year's school calendar and schedule some SAC meetings during schoolwide events. Mrs. Flores made the first motion on this suggestion and was seconded by Mrs. Benson . Motions were adopted by a show of hands from all present in favor of keeping the schedule the same on the bylaws (second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 in the Media Center) and to make changes throughout next school year as needed.

Ms. Pomales talk about the current SAC committee membership and electing/recruiting process of new members for next school year. She proposed to conduct the voting/election during the first SAC meeting of 2019-2020 school year. All present agreed to the suggestions.

Ms. Pomales reminded all present about signing up to proctor FSA testing and to see Mrs. Carlo for more information.

Mrs. Moran requested a vote for \$5000.00 from the current SAC balance of \$18,007.87 to purchase books/materials for the Dual Language program at Driftwood Elementary. Mrs. Flores made the first motion and Mrs. London second it. Motions were adopted by a show of hands all present in favor of the motions.

Mrs. Cruz presented/reviewed the 2019-2020 School-wide Positive Behavior Plan to all that were present. She opened the floor for comments, questions and concerns. No comments, questions and/or concerns were given. She handed out a voting ballot to keep or reject the plan. All members voted using the ballot. Majority rule of 14 to 0 voted to keep the School-wide Positive Behavior Plan 2019-2020 as is.

Mrs. Rashid spoke on behalf of safety and security updates. She also provided an update on the SMART project and the current stage we are in towards completion.

**Title I** – Nothing to share at this time

**Open Agenda:** Mrs. Santiago offered a suggestion for a school wide initiative of placing uplifting quotes around the school to coincide with building character traits/ and positive behavior.

**Next meeting Date and Time:** Next SAC Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at 7:30 in the Media Center.

Ms. Pomaes Motion the meeting to be adjourned t at 8:22 for SAF (School Advisory Forum) updates. Motion carried unanimously

**SAF Updates:** Mrs. Alvarez shared information on safety and security updates. She provided information on the website for parental feedback about district wide safety and security initiatives. Mrs. Alvarez provided in formation about the Broward County Library. Mrs. Alvarez asked for input from all present. No input was provided.