School: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Montessori Academy (MLK)

Meeting: SAC Meeting

Date: 11/13/18

1. Introduction – Mr. Darryl Wilson (SAC Chair) warmly welcomed faculty members, parents old and new to the School Advisory Council (SAC) meeting. He asked if there were any community or business representatives in attendance. None were present.

Members present included: Mr. Lindsey, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Bonnie, & Ms. Moody

Note: The meeting was started at 5:41pm by Mr. Wilson.

Quorum was Established. However, the October SAC minutes were approved.

1. Principal’s Report – Ms. Mitshuca Moreau (Principal) started off her report by informing the committee of how well grades 3-5 are doing with Math, Reading, and Science benchmark milestone test. Ms. Moreau stated the school will continue to provide rigorous instruction in all subjects in order to prepare students for BSA testing in January. She also encouraged 5th grade parents to attend the District Magnet Showcase at Plantation High on Nov. 14th at 6:00pm. She went on to state that the BTU in partnership with MLK will be providing a complete dinner to interested families on Nov. 20th and Nov. 21st in the school’s cafeteria. There will also be a church give away of 50 turkeys at a soon to be announced time.

Ms. Moreau also went over the reason SAC is task with creating A+ funding proposals and voting on them as a committee. She stated that money is provided by the district to give to schools who either have earn an “A” letter grade or have gone up a letter grade. The money is limited as to its usage. However, the money can be used for teacher bonuses. The school has a general fund that it uses for school supplies.

Mr. Wilson (SAC Chair) then opened the floor for A+ Proposals to be presented. There were four proposals posed and two proposals were voted on by the SAC Committee:

**1st Proposal:** 100% of funds will be allocated to teachers and staff employed ¾ of the 2017-2018 school year. - Voted

**2nd Proposal:** Teachers and staff employed for the 2018-2019 school year will receive $75 each, and remainder of the funds will be distributed equally to teachers and staff employed ¾ of the 2017-2018 school year. - Voted

**3rd Proposal:** 60% of the funds will go to the 2017-2018 instructional staff employed ¾ of the school year, and 40% of the funds will go to non-instructional staff employed ¾ of 2017-2018 school year.

**4th Proposal:** None of the above

**Mr. Wilson stated we will be reconvening in January to vote on the two proposals that was decided on by the SAC Committee. Mr. Wilson also stated there will be a third none of the above proposal to be voted on as well at our SAC meeting.**

1. Academic Report – Ms. Mesenger (Science Coach) informed the committee of how well science is doing this school year in terms of students improving on their benchmark milestone test. She also stated that there’s a science tutoring camp occurring on Wednesdays for students in 5th grade. She encouraged parents to send their children to the camp. Science teachers are currently using J & J Bootcamp materials and Stemscopes to build proficiency in Science. As a result, there should be even greater success in Science.
2. SAF Report – No report was given.
3. Mr. Lindsey (Title 1 Liaison) informed the SAC committee that Title I Addendum was in its final stages of completion. He then asked the committee for input on the plan. No suggestions were given to change or add to the addendum.
4. Old Business & Upcoming Events

* Honor Assembly Nov. 14th (K-2) Nov. 15th (3-5)
* Red Ribbon (Oct. 22nd thru. Oct. 26th)
* No Bullying Month (November)
* Dad’s Chat/5000 Role Model induction Cermony (Nov. 13th)
* K-1 Field Trip (TBA)

Mr. Wilson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:25pm. Ms. Moody (Committee Member) seconded it.