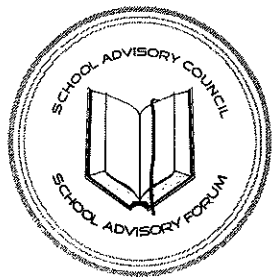


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**Riverglades Elementary
School Advisory Forum**

Date: Monday, August 27, 2018

Time: 9:00am

Location: Back of the Media Center

1. Welcome/Pledge/Introductions/Purpose
2. Approval of April minutes
3. Election of Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary
4. North Area/DAC Report
5. Administration Report
6. PTA Report
7. Safety/SRO Report
8. Other questions, concerns, comments.

**RIVERGLADES ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL ADVISORY FORUM SIGN-IN SHEET
(Please Print)**

Date Aug 27, 2018
Time 9am

<u>Participants</u>	<u>Group Represented</u>
Diane Jordan	Teacher, SAF Secretary
B. Chris Duhart	A.P.
JoAnne Seltzer	Principal
PAMELA EPSTEIN	PTA - parent
Irina Skappina	Parent
Shelba Ward	Parent
Julie Meyer-Epstein	Parent
Kelly Holland	Parent
Taine M. O'Dwyer	Parent
Michael Goldberg	Parent / Business
Marlene Rycus	Parent
Jody King	Parent
Jessica Malone	Parent
Nazah Stebbins	Parent

RIVERGLADES ELEMENTARY
School Advisory Forum
April 23, 2018

Pledge of Allegiance - time: 9:05 am

Approval of March 19, 2018 Minutes: those in attendance at the SAF meeting approved the March minutes.

North Area Report: Mrs. Johnson reported on the following.

Innovation Zone: Revision of zones has been discussed. Schools are divided by feeder pattern into their respective high schools. Principals meet in the zone monthly. They also meet with the city of Parkland. The I-Zone community meets four times a year.

Boundary Process: Each SAF will nominate a representative for the boundary process. The Zone Principal will choose one from all the zone reps. All boundary proposals will go to/through a school board workshop first. Who makes the final decision on school boundaries? Mr. Runcie, the Superintendent makes the final recommendations and the School Board approves them.

School Websites: there is a push for all schools to have websites that are formalized/standardized. Parents could visit the website of Oak Ridge Elementary to use as an example when giving feedback to Mrs. Johnson about the school website. Discussion was on the user experience of the website.

FACE: Family and Community Engagement initiative has been awarded a grant to put together information for parents.

Administrative Report: Mrs. Seltzer began with safety. We are collecting estimates for items from the parent safety survey. The district is providing some items. Some times it may take a little longer to be sure the best product and price are selected, but the wheels are in motion. The site assessment will start in the Douglas Zone. Our strengths and deficiencies will be noted along with recommendations. We want to spend our money wisely. The issue of students with ID's was discussed. Concerns were shared. Riverglades will use the lunch cards for this year. Dismissal at car pick up will be modified once additional walkie-talkies are in place.

PTA Report: Pam Ofstein reported that PTA has been directly involved with our administration concerning safety and security. Our Family Fun Night is this Friday, April 27th from 6-9pm at Terramar Park. It is a free event, with food trucks and music. Bring your lawn chairs and relax for the evening. Cultural Arts Night is May 2nd from 5-8pm. April 30-May 4 is the Spring Book Fair. Field Days are coming as well. There is a new PTA Board in place for next year. Cara De Meo will be PTA president.

Safety Update: Deputy Gerry shared that all is well. Two officers will be on campus from before school until after After-care until the end of the school year. If parents have any questions, please see Deputy Gerry.

Parental/Community Input: none noted.

Questions, comments, concerns, or recommendations: How has safety issue funding impacted student spending? Some information will be forthcoming in SAC. Do pre K classes go to the media center? Mrs. Seltzer will research and get the answers.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 10:06 am

Respectfully submitted by Diane Jordan

**Future SAF meetings
Meetings begin at 9:00am**

May 21

North Area Advisory Meeting Dates:

May 17 7:00pm at Monarch HS