

**SCHOOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
MINUTES  
October 3, 2018**

**Call to Order** – called to order at 2:34 pm by Ms. Valiente

**Welcome** by Ms. Valiente to the 2<sup>nd</sup> SAC meeting

**Introductions** – of new attendees

**Attendance:** Robert Becker/Principal. Beth Castro/BTU Steward. Inbar Chervin-Gretz/ESOL Rep. Priscilla Fermin/ESE Rep. Paula Griffenkranz/SAF-Designee. Ann Hiller/Non-Instructional & SAC Secretary. Keri Jorcin/Teacher. Bari Katz/Gifted Rep. Marisa Liona/Business. Sandy McCarthy/Parent. Alexandra Valiente/SAC Chair & IZ Rep.

**Guests:** Jodi Hoover/Asst. Principal. Michelle Dolin/Asst. Principal. Yolanne Kinney/Parent

**Approval of Minutes** from September 20, 2018 – proposed and seconded.

**Nominations/Voting-In members** –

Due to other commitments Ms. Raderstorf is unable to continue as Teacher Rep. Ms. Keri Jorcin will be the new Teacher Rep in her place.

Ms. Valiente was nominated and approved as SAC Chair.

**Review of By-Laws** – No changes.

**Review of SIP (School Improvement Plan)** – Ms. Dolin

All students in grades K through 5 have already completed the first IReady diagnostic. All teachers participated in an on-site training to review the diagnostic reports as well as the new features available in IReady this year. Discussion will now turn towards identifying students for an afterschool math camp targeted at improving math proficiency of our lowest quartile students.

**SAM Action Plan** – CPST team meets weekly with teachers and parents for behavior/academic concerns and intervention. Self-assessment once a year – focusing on 1. Coaching teachers and 2. Establishing problem solving processes for the 2018-2019 school year. This is know as our SAM Action Plan

**Budget Review - A+ Monies** – Looked at last year’s proposal – passed unanimously to do a similar breakdown. Once we have the \$ amount, Chairperson will email the committee, so vote can happen in November.

**SAC Adjournment** – Motion to adjourn was made at 14:47 pm and was passed unanimously.

**Next Meeting** - The next SAC meeting will take place on November 7, at 2:30 pm in the Media Center