



Hanalei School - SCC Minutes

Thursday, January 19, 2023, 2:45pm – 3:45pm

Call to Order at 2:45pm

Introductions & Review Agenda

- Attendance: Melanie Parker, Deena Moraes, Korin Strome, Julie Marovich, Steve O'Neal, Kerrin Murphy

Approve Minutes

- Approve minutes from Dec 1, 2022 meeting: Jule Marovich motioned to approve, Kerrin Murphy seconded, all in favor.

Administration Report - Deena Moraes

- General School updates
 - Hired a new part time custodian
 - Hired a new RTI instructor, can now provide RTI for 5th, 6th, & Kinder
 - Choose Love program is going well, teachers appreciating the PLC meeting times
 - Choose Love: 2/2 Pep Rally for students at a morning assembly led by Scarlett Lewis. She will come back in the evening for a parent night (5-6pm). PTA to provide free pizza. Feb 3 - Choose Love presentation for the teachers.
 - POSITIONS FOR NEXT YEAR:
 - Projected 190 students, PTA & HSF covering one line each for a teaching position. Deena will accept geographical exemptions for every grade except 4th.
 - WSF - Granted 2 more positions.
 - 1 Sped (probably not happening in future years)
 - Academic Coach/RTI - this is a two part position .5 RTI, .5 Academic Coach - could be one or two hires. Hopeful to retain this position for a few years.
 - In a good position financially for next year. ESSER Drop to cover iReady (about \$16,000) and Tier 1,2,3 resources/consumables. (Kerrin would like to know if some of that earmarked money can be reallocated to Barton)
 - Going to meet with ART team Jan 27, then propose budget to faculty at meeting, then to SCC for review.

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- School funded a sub for 2 days to give teachers the opportunity to check out other classrooms and see what strategies are being used. 3rd grade said it was a good opportunity.
 - Hawaii Opera Theatre coming to school on Thursday 1/26.
 - Lions Club to do Vision and Hearing Screening on 1/31
 - Working on WASC accreditation
- iReady Data
 - Amazing growth already. In reading, 78% of students have already made typical growth for the year. Went from 31% On-Grade Level or Above in August to 65% at the half year point.
 - Math - 85% of students have already made their typical growth for the year. 28% of students in August were On-Grade Level or Above, this is now at 71%.
 - Teachers are in the process of adjusting their student groups and setting more goals.
 - Waiver Day review and request of signature
 - No need to request additional days off.
 - School to implement Carnegie Learning and “Write Reflections” programs next year. These trainings will take place on already scheduled Teacher Days.

PTA and HSF Reports:

- PTA Report- Had a great end of year with merchandise sales, looking to the next 2 big fundraisers, Fitness Challenge in February and Hanalei School Golf Tournament at Makai Club in April.
- Hanalei School Foundation (HSF) Report - Craft night went very well, good parent and student turn out. Give Big Aloha fundraiser earned much less than in years’ past, but still took in \$3-4k.

Other News:

- Steve O’Neal interested in more active parent/community involvement. Suggesting the school has directory, more online communication to get opinions, events out to all. Steve is willing to present some options at the next meeting on 2/9/23.

Next Meeting Date:

- Proposed - Second Thursday of the Month; Next meeting: 2/9/23 2:45-3:45 via Google Meets

Meeting Adjourned: 3:50pm

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