



Hanalei School - SCC Minutes

Thursday September 21, 2017 @ 2:30pm
Library

Call to Order: 2:37pm by Kelley Doi

Attendance: Karla Rowan, Kelley Doi, Jaime DeBonet, Polly Phillips, Rosemary Vali, Ryan McGill, Tahara'a Stein

Approval of Minutes: from August 24, 2017 - emailed to members 9/18. Motion to approve by Polly Phillips, seconded by Karla Rowan.

Administration Reports (20 Minutes): Tahara'a Stein

- 2016-17 Strive Hi overview
 - Overall increases in student proficiency in all tested subjects (Math, ELA, Science) over the last 3 years
 - The gap between high needs and non-high needs students was high for our school, over 30 points
 - Discussion about testing impacts on teaching, and new curricula throughout the school
 - Attendance is still an issue for Hanalei School. We have a high rate of Chronic Absenteeism (15 or more absences a year). There is a proactive attendance plan in the works.
- 5th grade classes recently combined to make one 5th grade class, 30 students, with co-teachers and support
- Attendance: idea to incentivize attendance to increase our attendance rate
 - Class incentives: perfect attendance for a certain number of days earns a reward (ex: extra recess time)
 - Classes can compete for an attendance trophy
 - School-wide daily incentive: days where less than X students are absent can result in a school-wide incentive (ex: spirit day)
- Discussion about SEEQS Academy and their Tent Classrooms, and options for our school to make additional spaces for students, classrooms, Makerspace, etc. if the portables are not happening soon.
- After School Clubs - approx. \$11,000 per year, school could possibly budget for these clubs, so funding by Aloha Angels not needed.

Committee Reports (5 Minutes):

- Facilities Committee
 - No response from DOE on portables, seems like we are now low on the list of DOE projects
 - Spoke to Mayor, he seemed surprised nothing has happened and willing to help.
- Wellness Committee
 - Meeting next week Wednesday @ 1pm
 - Next month (October) is Farm to School Month
 - "Hawaiian Punch" - shave ice in water with fruit juice
 - Want to do a write up in the newsletter for Farm to School for October
 - Working on Garden expansion - working on a classroom space, kitchen
- PTSA
 - General Membership meeting next Tuesday, 9/26/17
 - After School clubs started this week, 120 students enrolled
 - Enrichment classes going well

Old Business:

- Need to fill vacant SCC Members: Parent, Parent Alt & Student
- Will put out the invitation at PTSA meeting next week

Next Meeting: October 19, 2017

Meeting Adjourned: 3:56pm