

MINUTES

Jackson Middle School Site Council Minutes

March 9, 2010

The meeting was called to order by Karin Chesnutt at 4:00 p.m.

In attendance

Jayme Thomson, Rob Coats, Jill Sage, Maggie Wilson, John Ferraro, Ken Bizovi, Jennifer Kelley

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were read from the February Meeting and approved with no corrections.

Principal Report

Action Teams

- Community Involvement
 - Project 2nd Wind-18,083 pounds of food were collected
 - Red Dot Program-core group of teachers creating Websites "for teachers", ten at a time starting April 13
- Writing
 - Continuing staff development-examining what individual students need to succeed and processes
 - Jackson staff will go to Wilson on Late Opening day to exchange ideas with their staff
- Positive Behavior Support Group
 - Discussion and training continues regarding gaps and survey data
- Bernstein Grant
 - Run for the Arts in planning stage
 - Group template being developed for grant applications and presented to the staff for feedback and consistency
 - Visitors from a partner school in Louisiana are expected
- Equity
 - Current focus is on Culture Day, May 9
 - Students will choose workshops to attend
 - Lessons are being prepared around our student's culture

Old Business:

Core Values

- Three Opportunities for discussions and some of the information will be talked about at the PTA meeting for input
- The first discussion had 10-12 parents at it and a discussion took place regarding commonalities between staff and family ideas
- Action: ideas from the meetings will go out in the eblast as well as an invitation to the PTA meeting

New Business:

Site council Elections

- Nominee forms need to be to Site Council by March 19

Next Coffee Talk

- Outdoor School

Projected enrollment

- 600, only 10 transfers allowed

Meeting ended at 5:00

Next Meetng:

April 13, 4:00

Discussion Topics: School Improvement Plan

Compilation of Core Belief Feedback

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Committee Reports

- Membership
- Volunteers
- Newsletter
- Computer Support

Announcements

Next Meeting

October 20, 2005, at 7:00 p.m., school cafeteria

Motion to adjourn was made at 9:00 p.m. and was passed unanimously.