

SAC Meeting 2/16/21

Present: Sloman, Howard, Mahoney, Bohlmann, Morgan, Barlaug, Cox, Hart, Rodriguez

Meeting started: 6:01, motioned by Barlaug, seconded by Sloman

January minutes review: Motion to accept – Morgan, seconded by Cox

Admin Report/FSA Review – Sloman

788 Students, 138 – e-learning (18%); 8th grade increased a bit, but pretty much holding steady.

One teacher stepping down in March; looking for replacements now.

Soccer starts tomorrow against Buffalo Creek at Parrish Community High School; girls start at 5:30, boys immediately after, rest of games on calendar

Q2 benchmark testing done, breaking down data, but it appears good – will be used to prepare for FSA/SSA

All dates for FSA/SSA have been scheduled.

End of Q3 is March 11, record day then Spring Break. No meeting during March. No School Good Friday.

Dress Code Update – Barlaug

For next year. Shoes with a back have always been required; proposing to change to allow students to wear flip flops/sandals without a back for the 21-22 school year. Thoughts?

Morgan – Why was the rule implemented? Barlaug - Supposedly because a student was hurt because a student had a shoe stepped on. Not really something that happens frequently or couldn't happen with current dress code. Schools can do individual dress codes. Morgan – in favor of putting it on the agenda in the future. Barlaug – also a concern – jeans with cuts/holes above the knees. Could they be allowed if something under the holes. Morgan – agree, yes, add to agenda. Howard – some limitation needed to keep things from becoming a slippery slope.

Morgan – perhaps we need to review whole dress code for next meeting. Barlaug - Normally done, but didn't happen last year due to Covid. Code will be sent out to SAC to review for any updates.

April Meeting – go over code; vote in May. Add to call out for meeting to try and get more participation. Also placed on website for parents to review prior to April meeting.

Covid Update – Barlaug

Still under mandate for students with Covid symptoms need negative rapid test or a doctor's note to return to school. Some parents just keeping kids out for 10 days. Parents doing a good job keeping students home when they are sick. Staff also staying home as needed. Few cases at our school. Sports starting may cause extra exposure, but coaches are doing what they can to keep them safe. Another uptick expected after Spring Break. Kids socializing has resulted in a few quarantines.

Morgan/Mahoney – other schools not following procedures and experiencing frequent exposures/quarantines. Haile doing well. Nurse McCabe doing very well following up on students who are out. Checks on child and reviews protocols with parents.

Items for Next Agenda

Dress Code, district SAC meeting

Morgan- will parents be asked to change modalities for 4th quarter. No massive changes expected unless requested by parent or admin due to grades. 48 hours needed to make changes.

Motion to adjourn – Barlaug, seconded by Howard.

Adjourned at 6:25