

## **Sam Hughes Site Council Meeting Notes**

3/20/2025

Taken by Brandy McLain

Attendees: Principal Bolasky, Christopher Rodarte, Theresa Barry, Brandy McLain, Anita Wong, Scott Mobley, Brent Pantaleo, Katie Handley, Brent Pantaleo, Jaqueline Gilbert, Evelyn Demento

Not in Attendance: Karen May

### **1. Call Meeting to Order at 4:09pm.**

- a. Ms. Handley Handley moved and Mr. Mobley seconded approval of the minutes from the last meeting.

### **2. Introduce new Site Council 2024-25 and Family Engagement Team**

### **3. Call to Audience**

- a. Next meeting will be longer due to reviewing the budget

### **4. Ann Eve Pedersen Entrance Report by Tracy Pitt**

- a. Design has changed minimally
- b. Focus has been on fundraising
- c. Trying to find a formal financial sponsor to manage the funds – Educational Enrichment Foundation EEF
- d. In the process of filing a non-profit 401C paperwork. Currently in Corporation Commission review. They can receive donations after filing.
- e. Committee has been formed.
- f. Ruth McCormick Baker Tankersley has given a verbal financial commitment
- g. Will be approaching the neighborhood association to inform them of the progress
- h. BWS is working with TUSD on design and landscaping
- i. TUSD will sign contract with contractor and handle the funds
- j. Estimated construction is summer of 2026

### **5. Principal Report**

- a. Enrollment projection for 2025-26 – 373 students (registered)
  - i. K: 56 students – 3 classes
  - ii. 1: 70 students – 3 classes
  - iii. 2: 68 students – 3 classes
  - iv. 3: 64 students – 3 classes
  - v. 4: 63 students – 3 classes
  - vi. 5: 52 students - 2 classes
  - vii. The lottery has not been finished. ~40 students have come through the lottery system.

- viii. Will need to hire two new teachers and fulfil one current staff member who put in her resignation.
- ix. Ms. Bolasky attended March 1<sup>st</sup> job fair. She offered a position to one excellent applicant for a primary position. The candidates' children attended Sam Hughes. Ms. Bolasky announced
  - x. By April 1 Ms. Bolasky has to give grade placement to teachers.
  - xi. If Ms. Bolasky doesn't fulfil teacher positions district will provide placement.
  - xii. There will be another job fair April 12 which Ms. Bolasky will be attending.
  - xiii. Will have to convert two portables to 2 classrooms. GATE, SEL and Ecology will need to be moved.
  - xiv. Brandy brought up is there a way to paint a mural on the outside of the building or create a "yellow brick road" path to connect the two portables to campus.
  - xv. Where will GATE, SEL and Ecology program store their supplies and where will instruction occur.
- b. Sam Hughes will be hosting region three summer school will be invitation. \$1 million budget (last year was \$3 million). 5 classes by grade levels and 2 class rooms and 1 language academy. Ms Wong will be the summer school coordinator and Ms Nicki will be admin staff. Mr. Person and Jennifer Wong will be monitors.
- c. State testing starts next week. 5<sup>th</sup> grade starts it off.
- d. APEX fun run kicks off the day after testing.
- e. All budgets have to be finalized by next Friday.
- f. OMA purchased new tarps and stakes for OMApalooza.

## **6. Tax Credits**

- a. Chess \$7174
- b. Field Trips \$6459.51 (gone down)
- c. Fine Arts \$19,004.92 (increased)
- d. Gardening \$17,910 (same)
- e. OMA \$55,844.18 (increased)
- f. Reading \$23,216.72 (increased)
- g. Sports \$11,807.94 (increased) – using money now for track and field
- h. Un-designated \$183,507.39 (increased)

## **7. Fundraisers and Upcoming Events**

- a. Chuck Wagon was a big success
- b. APEX Fun Run April 25

## **8. Student Council Report**

- a. \$500 fund currently available
- b. Might be one more lemonade fundraiser
- c. Drive for clean socks and underwear after APEX

## **9. Agenda Items for Future Meetings**

- a. Title One Plan

## **10. Future Meetings**

- i. April 24, 2025
- ii. May 8, 2025

**11. Meeting adjured at 5:20pm** by motion from Mr. Rodarte and seconded by Katie Handley

## **Sam Hughes Family Engagement Team Meeting Notes**

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- 1. Call Meeting to Order at 5:20pm.**
  - a. Ms. Handley Handley moved and Mr. Mobley seconded approval of the minutes from the last meeting.
2. Family Engagement Schedule/Calendar for Upcoming Events  
Placing information in school weekly newsletter "Friday Five"
3. EEF provides: vision plan, glasses for students, sports fees (middle and high school), grant applications for teachers, shoe shopping, change for kids, teacher awards and etc.
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