

## **Sprucewood SCC**

May 15, 2017

### **Meeting Minutes**

*Attendees:* Lori Jones, Leisa Hansen, Emigh Lo, Tess Hortin, Craig Woolston, Jason Dyer, Anna Swallow

#### **1. Cleats not allowed in building (discussion per Dr. Briscoe's request)**

- This has not been an official part of the dress code, but students wearing cleats to school has recently become more of an issue. The cleats tear up the carpets as well as being a safety issue.
- SCC approved this addition to the school/district dress code.

#### **2. Math Intervention Plan**

- A math intervention schedule has been made for grades 1 – 5. Third grade will get the most time but the schedule allows for including the other grades.
- Math Intervention position not posted until funds from cell tower have been approved. The interventionist will work M – Th at 17 hours per week.

#### **3. Approvals for cell tower expenditures**

- \$15,000 for electronic marquee once steps are in place.
- SCC approved usage of funds from cell tower and student fundraiser earlier in the year for purchasing iPad mini labs and a Chromebook lab for Mrs. Clayson.
- Sprucewood would also like to use the money to buy an additional Mac lab, Chrome Book or two iPad labs for the school. This will be determined in August.
- SCC approved usage of cell tower funds for these items.

#### **4. Stipends for choir teachers**

- Mrs. Jones would like to give a stipend to the teachers who teach choir, which has not previously been done.
- A \$500 stipend would be given to each teacher; minimum of 25 hours.
- SCC will evaluate stipend each year.
- SCC approved choir teacher stipends for 2017 – 2018 school year.

#### **5. Any items you would like addressed in the coming year**

- Tess brought up a concern for this school year. Third grade students have been getting punished with quiet time at lunch – with assigned seats and no talking allowed. Mrs. Jones said that third grade lunchroom behavior has been an issue. Tess agreed that if that decision is coming from the principal that is okay, but it is an issue when other staff are yelling at the children and taking away talking privileges. Mrs. Jones will discuss with cafeteria staff and indicated it should have only happened one time at the end of April.
- Mrs. Jones mentioned that the lunch schedule for next school year will have more time built in between the grades to cut down on the noise with overlapping grades in the cafeteria.

#### **6. School positions for 2017 – 2018**

- Media Tech (library): 28 hrs/week; position filled by Andrea Short coming out of ABS.
- ABS assistant(s): 25 hrs/week and 17 hrs/week; will be posted soon. Possibility of one Assistant to be hired for 35 hours per week if Ms. Bisel does not return.

#### **7. BLT in August**

- Mrs. Smith can meet ½ day for BLT in August. BLT members will be paid from cell tower funding at inservice rate.

**Thank you, Mrs. Jones, for all of your hard work and dedication to our Sprucewood Family. You will be missed! Remember you always have a home at Sprucewood as an honorary Falcon.**