

Len Lastinger Primary - School Governance Team

Meeting Minutes

January 31, 2018

Opening

The regular meeting of the Len Lastinger Primary - School Governance Team was called to order at 4:00 pm on January 31, 2018 in the Media Center of LLP by Richard Fisher.

Present

Board Members	Leadership Team	Guests
Richard Fisher Aaron Wise Andrea Martin JaNay Windmoller Maghan Campbell Nancy Garner	Susan Parsons	Mike Brumby

Opening Prayer – led by Aaron Wise

Welcome Visitors

Mike Brumby, Tift County Foundation for Educational Excellence

- Mr. Brumby gave an overview of the foundation and the types of funding it provides for local schools and teachers

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve by Aaron Wise, 2nd by JaNay Windmoller

Passed unanimously

Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve by Aaron Wise, 2nd by Maghan Campbell

Passed unanimously

New Business

1. Uniform change recommendations for 2018-2019
 - Add grey as an optional color for bottoms
 - School board to possibly contact uniform vendors that could come into the schools and allow the parents to shop to help with supply issues

- More definitive guidelines concerning acceptable colors of leggings, socks, and outerwear, including jackets, sweaters, sweatshirts, vests, etc.
2. Update on state of school
 - Focus Schools exiting
 - LLP has been removed from the State's focus school list
 - GMAS district results
 - Reviewed data from 2017 test and discussed LLP performance compared to other schools in the county and compared to surrounding area schools
 - Staff changes
 - Two new men on staff and new receptionist
 - GATE position open
 - Ron Clark Academy update
 - Monitors have been installed and are waiting for power to be run to them
 - Pictures of students are beginning to be hung in the hallways
 - Introducing "Len Lastinger's Essential Ten" to students
 - expectations/rules that are geared toward teaching soft skills
 - Student engagement in the form of transformation rooms
 - Interactive props and games used to demonstrate reading/language arts skills in a fun and memorable way
 3. Update on playground
 - Successful build day for main playground structure
 - Other proposed areas are still in the works
 4. School rezoning update
 - All teachers know which school they will be teaching at
 - Grade level positions are still being worked out be should be announced soon

Topics for Future Meetings

- GMAS preparations for 2018

LSGT Meeting Dates for 2017-2018

- Monday, February 26 – 4:00 pm, LLP Media Center
- Monday, March 26 – 4:00 pm, LLP Media Center
- Monday, May 7 – 4:00 pm, LLP Media Center

Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned by Richard Fisher at 5:20 pm. The next general meeting will be on Monday, February 26, 2018 at 4:00 pm in LLP Media Center.

Minutes submitted by: Andrea Martin