

District PAC Meeting Minutes for February 6, 2018

Attending: Alma Maceiko–ALW; Teresa King-FH; Jennifer Radosevich- SM' Lara Bezjak, Administrator

New Federal Coordinator – Mrs. Bezjak introduced herself to parents on the committee and welcomed the new members.

Title I Grant Requirements – Parents were provided an explanation of the Title I Program and the requirements associated with the Federal Programs

Parent Involvement Activities – All three parents shared information pertaining to their home school relative to Parent Involvement Activities. All schools have literacy events, and the parents enjoy these activities. However, there was further discussion regarding students who have no one to attend the specific event. It was noted that A. L. Wilson does a V.I.P Event so that there is a broader scope of who is meant to attend. Some discussion took place about consistency among buildings with regard to Literacy Events.

ESSA Requirements – Mrs. Bezjak provided an informational handout about the ESSA approved plan. Highlights of the plan were discussed. Mrs. Bezjak explained what will be expected at each level for students and the impact this will have on the district profile. Finally, the Guidance Plan was discussed with emphasis to the parents about the College and Career focus under the new ESSA guidelines.

Schoolwide Plans – Reminded parents that all Title I requirements are posted on the website and always available. Parents were also reminded that their input and suggestions are a necessary part of our programs.

Title I Monitoring – The district Federal Programs will be monitored in early April 2018. Further information will be shared as we progress toward that date.

District Calendar 2018-2019 – Members recalled previous themes and considered focusing on literacy using the new reading series Journeys. They indicated that it was very important that as many students as possible be included in photos. The parents like to see what activities are going on in other buildings and the calendar gives a small visual.

Other Business – Since college and career area focal point it was suggested that the district do a district-wide elementary career fair with all schools being transported to one building for the event.

Other concerns expressed were tutoring services not being available; inconsistency in grading; consistency in curriculum across schools and grade level.

DPAC reps and alternates were invited to attend the spring parent workshop at Lakeside on Monday, March 19th. Parents are to RSVP to Rose by February 23rd if they plan to attend or not.

Next Meeting: To be announced.