

# Picolata Crossing Elementary School Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes for Monday, January 8, 2018

Start: 3:30p      End: 4:40p

**Welcome and call to order:**                      Clare Wagner, SAC Chair

**Review of December minutes:**              Motions made, Approved

## **New Business**

**Guest Speaker:** Andrew Hurley, Accountability Coordinator from Planning, Accountability & Assessment. Review and discussion of how to create a plans for School Recognition Funds. FLDOE sponsored and funds given for receiving an “A” grade or improving a letter grade or for improving two (2) letter grades. The plan is for next year for this school year’s grade. The methodology is the majority of faculty/staff and PCE SAC, then Mr. Hurley’s department reviews the plan. Questions were asked regarding transitioning staff (who have left). FLDOE provides \$100 per FTE- what share would that staff receive? ½ share? Full share? Question regarding non-school employees? What % to SAC. Mr. Strickland advised to hold back some funds should there be missed staff or faculty and for everyone to remember we are all in this together and not to have a culture war over funds. Discussion surrounding pulling multiple examples from various school with a goal to have a staff meeting in February to review plans to be finalized in April. Questions are long-term substitutes considered an employee, part-time to full time employees and how FTE is calculated? Mr. Hurley will send blank named school plans for our review. UPDATE: Ms. Wagner advised FTE is calculated by the following year’s October Survey. At the end of this discussion, several non-SAC members left the meeting.

A question was asked as to when SAC will receive it’s funds and Ms. Wagner will advise when received.

**Principal Report:** Mr. Strickland discussed “reset” with himself and Ms. Kolk (PCE AP) to be visiting classrooms- goals for 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students, goal settings were already in the classroom. There will be a meeting with faculty on the 10<sup>th</sup> to recommit to goals. January 29<sup>th</sup> is a Teacher In-Service day. Rotations & up level of professional development. High yield standards/instructional practices. Discussion of PTA involvement and there was a 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher change from Ms. Ricard to Ms. Lauren Carter.

**PTA Update:** No updates at this time.

**SAC Committee Group Discussion:** Math Night discussion with business partner Mathnasium. Corporate video on how to run a Math Night, roulette wheel for prizes, Glow Run, possible to have up to two (2) dozen math-themed games. Ms. Wagner asked how much advanced notice is needed? Question asked of how grade appropriate is handled? Usually activities are on a Friday evening- Ms. Gill suggested possibly on February 23<sup>rd</sup>?

**Next meeting:** February 12, 2018 @ 3:30p.m., Room 530

**Members Present:**

Clare Wagner	Robin Lightsey
Jud Strickland	Mandy Warner
Susan Gould	Ashlee Norris
Autumn Gill	Megan Wright
	Ashley Vece
Lourdes Khosrozadeh <b>(District Rep)</b>	James Hughes

**Members Absent:**

**Motion to Adjourn:** motion to adjourn Robin Lightsey and was seconded by Mandy Warner @ 4:40 p.m.