

Ashworth Middle School

Governance Council Meeting

11-15-17

Members Present

Scott McClanahan – principal (<i>ex officio</i>)	X	Roger Murray – industry representative	X
Jeffery Clance – chair; parent	X	Jodi Sexton – PTO president	X
Danny Lowrance – vice chair; parent		Lindsey Lowrance – student	
Eric Emmet – teacher	X	Lainey Richardson – student	X
Laramie Rodriguez – teacher	X	Kean Sexton – student	X
Jill Peacock – teacher	X		

- Does not apply towards quorum.

TITLE 1 INFORMATION AVAILABLE

- Parent & Family Engagement Policy
- District Parent & Family Engagement Policy
- Student/Parent & Family Engagement Plan
- How to use Title 1 Parent & Family Engagement Funds
- School Improvement Plan
- Parent Survey
- School-Wide Plan

*All documents are available for review in the media center and in the front office.

Call to order by Dr. Clance
Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes presented by Rodriguez. Motion to accept by Emmet, seconded by Sexton. All in favor.

Agenda adoption. Motion to adopt by Rodriguez, seconded by Emmet. All in favor.

New business:

- Idea: After-school class for parents using Title I funds. Like STEAM classes being held in Swain.

Bylaws Review and proposed amendments:

Article III, Section A

- Change number of students to 2-3 8th-grade students.
- Change 1st paragraph to “minimum of 9 members and a maximum of 12 members”.
- Change 8th grade student to “appointed by principal”.
- Add PTSO president to council
- Add word “simultaneously” after “may” in the 3rd paragraph

Article IV, Section A

- "The chairperson will not be an employee of Ashworth Middle School."
- "The vice-chairperson will not be an employee of Ashworth Middle School."

Article IV, Section B

Plan to revisit this section at a later date.

Committee will need to obtain a "Request to Appear" form for use (in accordance with Article V, Section C).

Will vote for acceptance of the revised by-laws next meeting. Then will be submitted to proper channels for superintendent/board review.

McClanahan:

System walkthrough on Thursday, November 16th.

Andrea Salmon:

Literacy walkthrough that happens once a year happened on 11-15-17. Things that teachers needed to be intentional about are evident in classrooms in these walkthroughs.

Jennifer Baker:

Math walkthrough happened last week. Short, 15-minute observations to see that focus items were being implemented in the classrooms.

Anna Stutts:

Student of the month last Friday. Next one is December 8th. Good parent and student turnout.

PAGE quiz bowl December 9th for Academic Team in Lafayette.

Jodi Sexton:

Low Country Boil: Maybe BBQ or hamburgers/cheeseburgers; or maybe a potluck. After student dismissal on early release day (Dec. 19). Will be presented to staff by Mr. McClanahan. Maybe ask Mohawk to see if they will cover the cost; maybe get Western Sizzlin' to cater.

Progress reports went home 11-15-17.

Questions for the Board of Education

Will be addressed next week.

Next meeting is December 13th.

Motion to adjourn by Rodriguez. Seconded by Roger Murray. All in favor.

Ashworth Middle School Governance Council 2017-2018

November 15, 2017

1) Jeff Clance:

- a) Welcome
- b) Call to Order
- c) Pledge of Allegiance
- d) Sign-in Sheet

2) Jeff Clance:

- a) Approval of minutes from October LSGT meeting
- b) Adoption of agenda
- c) New Business
- d) Review of Ashworth LSGT By-laws

3) Scott McClanahan:

- A) Field Trip Approval (drop down)
- B) Fund Raiser Approvals (drop down)
- C) County Wide Walk-through November 16th
- D) Basketball Home Games (Today vs JV Dalton / Saturday vs Darlington JV / Varsity)

4) Marilark Murray: Testing Up-dates

5) Gary Grubb: Extra-Curricular Updates, School Safety Information (Severe Weather Drill, November 8th)

6) Andrea Salmon: Literacy Coach Updates

7) Anna Stutts: Guidance Counselor Updates, Student of the Month Breakfast

8) Jodi Sexton: Ashworth Middle School PTSO Updates

9) Jeff Clance: Questions for the Board of Education?

10) Ashworth LSGT Meeting Schedule for 2017-18 School Year:

- a. September 13, 2017
- b. October 18, 2017

- c. **November 15, 2017**
- d. December 13, 2017**
- e. **January 17, 2018**
- f. **February 14, 2018**
- g. **March 14, 2018**
- h. **April 18, 2018**
- i. **May 16, 2018**

11) Motion to adjourn

- **Title I information**

We need your input to revise these Title I school documents for 2018-2018

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AMS Governance Council Members / November 15, 2017:

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Signature	Date	Role (circle one below)
Roger Murray - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/15/17	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-OTHER
Danny Lowrance - _____	/ _____	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-OTHER
Jeff Clance - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/15/17	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-OTHER
Lindsey Lowrance - _____	/ _____	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-STUDENT REP-OTHER
Laney Richardson - <i>[Signature]</i>	11.15.17	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-STUDENT REP-OTHER
Keean Sexton - <i>[Signature]</i>	11.15.17	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-STUDENT REP-OTHER
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Scott McClanahan - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/17	PARENT-TEACHER/ADMIN-OTHER

Other Participants

Name Signature Date Role (circle one below)

Anna Stults - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/15/17	PARENT - TEACHER/ADMIN - OTHER
Jennifer Baker - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/15/17	PARENT - TEACHER/ADMIN - OTHER
Andrew Bodin - <i>[Signature]</i>	11/15	PARENT - TEACHER/ADMIN - OTHER
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