

The Perry Middle School Council met in regular session on Monday, October 29, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Media Center.

School Councils Members present:

Pamela Williams

Todd McDonald

Mandy Gibson

Craig Palmer

Sanya Gooden

Councils Members Absent:

Heath Burch

LaShonda Whitehurst

### **1. Call to Order**

Craig Palmer called the meeting to order at 6:00.

### **2. Inspiration**

Craig Palmer asked the council to observe a moment of quiet reflection. The council observed a moment of quiet reflection.

### **3. Pledge of Allegiance**

Craig Palmer led the council in the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **4. Recognition of Visitors**

No visitors attended the school council meeting.

### **5. Approval of Agenda**

Craig Palmer asked approval for the agenda. Pamela Williams made a motion to accept the meeting agenda. This was seconded by Todd McDonald. All in favor to accept the agenda (5-0).

### **6. Old Business**

A.) Approve the minutes of August 20, 2018 meeting.

A motion was made by Mandy Gibson to accept the minutes. This was seconded by Craig Palmer. All were in favor to accept the minutes from August 20, 2018 (5-0).

### **7. New Business-Discussion**

A.) School Council New Member Training

- a. A handout was given to the new members with the directions for the new member training.

#### B.) School Data Report

- a. Dr. Harrison (Perry Middle's API) delivered in depth information about our school data and the CCRPI.
- b. CCRPI was released for public viewing on October 29, 2018.
- c. An informational flyer was handed out to the members of the council.
  - i. Suggestions were shared about adding a blurb in the newsletter about the CCRPI.
  - ii. Suggestions were shared about sending the actual flyer home with the next progress report on November 9<sup>th</sup>.
  - iii. Suggestions were shared about adding the flyer (or the link to the flyer) on Perry Middle's website.
- d. PPT-Dr. Harrison shared a PPT to explain in detail the way the CCRPI score is composed and how the data for CCRPI is collected.
- e. Perry Middle's CCRPI was shared and discussed in comparison to the county and state scores.
- f. Houston County has 4 Title I schools and Perry Middle ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> among those schools.
- g. All categories for CCRPI were discussed in depth and explained.
- h. CCRPI for Perry Middle over the past few years: 2016=73.5; 2017=76.7; 2018=78.1.
- i. The [www.gadoe.org](http://www.gadoe.org) site was shared along with a quick tutorial on how to navigate the site.
  - i. Suggestions were shared about adding the GADOE site to Perry Middle's website/FB page.
- j. BST team uses the CCRPI data to plan for upcoming years.
- k. Perry Middle's strategic plan and Title I plan involve the CCRPI data.
- l. Discussed the essential standards identified to better reach "by student by standard"
- m. PRIDE was discussed/explained and the method for collecting and using data to develop PRIDE groups was explained.

#### C.) Teacher of the Month; Christmas Party

- a. Donations are needed for Teacher of the Month nominees and for the Christmas Party raffles.
- b. Todd McDonald shared how he donates t-shirts for the high school and said he would be willing to do the same for Perry Middle.

#### D.) Perry Middle Accomplishments

- a. PPT was shared showing the recent accomplishments of Perry Middle School.

- i. Cross Country Team-2<sup>nd</sup> in Region and will be heading to state
- ii. 8<sup>th</sup> grade Football Team-2<sup>nd</sup> in county
- iii. 8<sup>th</sup> grade Softball Team-2<sup>nd</sup> in county
- iv. Student of the Quarter-Alainey Breaux
- v. All Students of the Month were shared
- vi. FFA-Many awards-Central Region FFA winner
- vii. FCCLA-Lakyn Summers won the chili cook off
- viii. FCCLA-Gracie Svoboda
- ix. Charkyria Brown-2018 Bus Safety Poster Winner

E.) Upcoming Events

- a. Soccer-Thursday (Nov. 1)
- b. Sundae Party for “strike free” students 6<sup>th</sup>-Wed., 7<sup>th</sup>-Thurs, 8<sup>th</sup> Fri.
- c. Progress Reports-Nov. 9
- d. Thanksgiving Break- Nov. 19-23

F.) Other Topics

- a. SACS accreditation is next week (Nov. 5-9)
- b. Parent needed for interview Monday Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> at the BOE. Craig Palmer and Todd McDonald are taking care of Perry Middle’s representative.
- c. Reading Program-Pamela Williams asked about a reading program at Perry Middle
  - i. Reading with kids
  - ii. Book donations (possibly work something out with Gottwals books)
  - iii. Flyers to advertise the book drive
  - iv. What type of books are we looking for?
- d. Todd McDonald shared his experience with the overview for the sex education program. The survey given to 6<sup>th</sup> graders is the same survey given to the 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. The question was asked if there had been any changes. Dr. Harrison said she would check into it.

G.) SACS Update

Mr. Burch explained the purpose and process of the SACS accreditation for Perry Middle School.

H.) Update on Staff New Hires

**Perry Middle School has 10 new hires this year. Mr. Burch shared the names and positions of all of the new hires.**

I.) School Safety

J.) Before the Council

**8. Executive Session (if necessary)**

Council had no need to go into Executive Session.

**9. Develop agenda for next meeting**

Mr. Burch will develop the agenda for our next School Council meeting.

**10. Adjournment**

Pamela Williams motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 and it was seconded by Mandy Gibson.