

# GAMBLE ROGERS MIDDLE SCHOOL

## SAC Minutes - September 26, 2017

### Attendance:

Hallie Bamford, Heather Barnes, Dawn Boles, Susie Cunha, Thelma Myers, Alexandra Phillips, Sarah Ponce, Rosslyn Rewitzer, William Russel, Leslie Talbert, Megan Wall, Annette Williams, Deb Donlan, Nicole Bohanan, Ashley Demaio, Renee Downey, Sonya Garner, Kendell Hardwick, Liz Heffner, Tracy Melgard, Beth Purtil, Lauren Smith, Ashley Zapata, Lou Greco, Jennifer Clarke, Ann Marie Darcy, Rafael Fuentes, Bill Mignon, Jennifer Schroeder, Charlene Beymer, Tina Annucci, Kelsey Boyle

**Call to Order:** A meeting of the GAMBLE ROGERS MIDDLE SCHOOL Advisory Council was held in the media center at Gamble Rogers Middle School on 09/26/2017. SAC chairman Tracy Melgard called the meeting to order at 3:03p.m. Jennifer Clarke will record minutes for this meeting.

### Agenda:

- **Welcome:** Tracy Melgard
  
- **Approval of August Minutes:** Ms. Bohanan motioned to approve the August minutes. Ms. Talbert seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
  
- **Principal's Report:** *presented by Deb Donlan*
  - \$1654.85 original balance
    - Brain pop
    - Scholastic art
    - + lottery
  - \$4,426.13 current balance
  
- **School Improvement Plan:** *presented by Deb Donlan*
  - enrollment = 917 students
  - school score for the last three years = "B"
  - concentrate on the lowest 25% to increase scores by...
    - implementing the co-teach model in all core classes
    - formative assessments implemented in all classes/peer mentoring
    - stingray success (30 minute intervention block every Wednesday and Thursday)

- **Accreditation Survey:** *presented by Deb Donlan*  
 -electronic survey will be available during Open House, must be completed by 20% of the school population.
- **Parent/School Compact:** *presented by Deb Donlan*  
 -5 point plan explaining the services provided by GRMS  
 -Parents pledge/Students pledge/School pledge  
 -Ms. Ponce made a motion to approve the compact. Ms. Bohanan seconded the compact. Approval of the compact passed unanimously.
- **Science Textbook Adoption:** *presented by Tom Barrett*  
 -looking for parent volunteer for input needed about the new science textbook adoption
- **Schoology-What is it?:** *presented by Renee Downey, Kelsey Boyle, and Nicole Bohanan*  
 -new communication platform for students, parents and teachers  
 -not to be confused with Home Access, grades still available through HAC
- **Funds Request:** Renee Downey  
 -2 sets of additional clickers for the All-In-Learning assessment tool  
 -\$200.00  
 -Mr. Russell motioned to approve the request. Ms. Talbert seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
- **School Board Update:** *presented by Mr. Mignon*  
 -addressed the criticisms concerning the Pedro Menendez hurricane shelter; all staff worked tirelessly to provide the best care available  
 -school personnel did everything in their power to secure the needs of over 450 people
- **Public Comment**  
 -Alex from the South East branch Library  
 -calendar of events available
- **On the horizon:**

## Going on at Gamble.....

### Volleyball

|                       |                         |                       |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Tuesday, September 26 | Gamble vs Landrum       | Away                  |
| Tuesday, October 3    | Gamble vs Swiss Point   | Away                  |
| Thursday, October 5   | Gamble vs Patriot Oaks  | Home <b>PINK OUT!</b> |
| Tuesday, October 10   | Gamble vs Liberty Pines | Home                  |

Girls games 5:30 / Boys games 6:30

### Football

| <u>Day</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Away</u> | <u>Home</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Tuesday    | 9/26/17     | 5:30        | GRMS        | UC          | UC              |
| Wednesday  | 10/4/17     | 5:00        | FCMS        | GRMS        | GRMS            |
| Wednesday  | 10/11/17    | 5:00        | GRMS        | PBMS        | PBMS            |
| Wednesday  | 10/18/17    | 5:00        | POA         | GRMS        | GRMS            |
| Wednesday  | 10/25/17    | 5:00        | LPA         | GRMS        | GRMS            |

- **Meeting Adjournment**

- **Motion:** Meeting adjourned at 4:00p.m. Ms. Bohanan motioned to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Boles seconded the motion. Motion was passed unanimously.

\*Respectfully submitted by Jennifer Clarke 09/26/2017.