**Mossy Creek Middle School**

**School Council Meeting Minutes**

**May 18, 2023 -- MCMS Media Center**

The School Council of Mossy Creek Middle School (MCMS) met in regular session on May 18, 2023 at 7:00 a.m. The meeting was held in the MCMS Media Center.

**Attendance:**

Dr. Andy Gentry – Principal

Michelle Starley – Special Education Teacher

Carey Bassett – Sixth Grade Teacher

Sydney Howard – Parent

Patrick Chiappetta – Parent

Jennifer Zoumberis – Parent

Marcell Ausborn – Counselor, MCMS

Suzanne Ganas – Parent

Miranda Aguilar -- Student

Zoe Cunningham - Student

**Call to Order**

Dr. Gentry called the meeting to order and welcomed attendees.

**Approval of Minutes**

Attendees reviewed the Minutes from the Council’s meeting on March 16, 2023. A motion was made and seconded to approve the Minutes.

**Approval of Agenda**

Dr. Gentry provided an overview of the agenda items. The agenda was emailed to School Council members prior to the meeting. A motion was made and seconded to approve the agenda. No members opposed, and the agenda was approved.

**New Business**

Principal Report:

* Awards Day went well. Teachers spoke about students’ academic achievements and character. Dr. Gentry addressed alternate schedule options for combining Awards Day to include all grades.
* Parents have suggested having an eighth grade graduation. A location would need to be determined that could accommodate the large number of students and guests who would attend.
* Report cards will be mailed May 26. Standards Based Report Cards will be sent home with students May 23.
* Houston County will offer Summer Learning Academy again this year. There is no charge for Summer Learning Academy. As the number of student slots are limited, some students may be placed in the next grade level.
* Mossy Creek will host Summer Enhancement. The cost is $225 for two-week classes. Students who have satisfactory grades and testing scores will be invited.
* Meet and Greet will be held July 28. The first day of school will be August 2.
* Christmas vacation will only be 11 days next year.

Teacher Report:

* Teachers have had a good year and are preparing for final exams.

Counselor Report:

* Counselors have been holding Transition meetings.

Student Report:

* The Student Council is planning to buy trees to plant near the baseball field. They recently purchased a nugget ice machine for the faculty/staff.

Parent Report:

* Parents are helping to prepare students for final exams next week.
* Students are excited about having Gator Games outside again this year.

The next School Council meeting will be held in August with Dr. Dean. Dr. Gentry will forward parents’ email addresses to Dr. Dean.

**Adjournment**

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded, and the meeting was adjourned.