

SAC Agenda

School Advisory Council

Friday, May 12, 2023

- **Minutes**
- **Administrative Report—Griffiths**
- **Finalize List for the School Board Recommendations- Mr. Miller**
- **Strategic Plan- Mrs. Griffiths**
- **FAST Data- Mrs. Griffiths**
- **Mascot Feedback- Mrs. Griffiths**
- **SSYRA Books- Mrs. Griffiths**
- **Ideas/Suggestions for next year- Mrs. Griffiths**

Looking Ahead:

May 19th- Field Day

May 19th- LWHS Senior Walk @ 1:30pm

May 22nd- Kindergarten graduation practice at First Baptist Church @ 9:30am

May 22nd- 1st- 4th grade Awards Day

May 23rd- Kindergarten Graduation at First Baptist Church@10:00am

May 24th- 5th Grade Banquet/Awards at High Point Church@ 10:00am

May 25th- 5th Grade to SeaWorld

May 25th- 4th Grade Bowling

May 26th- Talent Show

May 26th- Early Release @ 12:20pm

School Advisory Council- Meeting Minutes

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Members Present:

Kim Griffiths; Chayla Outing; Jeanette Sepulveda-Rivera; Aylin Medina ; John Miller; LaShonda Mose; Tiffany Pressley; Lacey Moye; Genifer Gunn

Review of Minutes-

Reviewed April minutes but will have to vote on the approval at next SAC meeting.

Administration Report by Mrs. Griffiths:

- Construction Update: Whitehead construction will be coming out to JHW over the summer to determine the needs for the bus ramp, front of the school, and to look at the possibility of a second loop at the back of the school. The roofing project is anticipated to start over the summer and be completed before we start the 23/24 school year. JHW will continue to put in work order each time our students see a snake or animal as Polk County is requesting this information to move forward with the Clay track.
- Mr. Medlock will be coming out this summer to cut down the trees by the flag pole, playground, and the back of the school.
- Progress Monitoring Three testing went well. There was some level of concern with the second day of the science testing as there seemed to be less student engagement. We compared the results with iReady and there was a strong correlation between iReady and Progress Monitoring Three. We are very proud of the growth made with our students in 3rd-5th grade.
- The second eSports was a success, and we appreciate the parental support for this competition! The students were very supportive of each other, and we appreciate that we have that culture at our school for our students.
- Polk County School Board is providing access to their Pure List for a starting point. JHW will work with the other schools and the Lake Wales Charter Board to develop our policy. This may affect what we are able to use in the 23/24 school year.
- The lights and painting in building two have been completed. We want to thank Andy Blair for his support with this project. It has made a difference with the appearance, making it so much brighter and more inviting.
- We are so excited to kick off our summer learning experience with our Imagination Camp. We have sensory bins, ocular devices, robotics, and rockets!
- Next school year we are excited to offer photography where the students can take pictures for the yearbook. We will also offer Outdoor Leadership and Team Sports.
- Mrs. Alexander will be working on an IB Elective to focus on building skills for the students to prepare for the exhibition in fifth grade. Each grade level will create a project, use literature for their research, and present in a showcase. This class will focus on being intentional with the IB language and develop leadership skills.
- LWCS is partnering with University of South Florida for PBIS for the 23/24 school year.
- JHW is working with Native Imagery for a mascot costume.

- Our Muffins with Mom event was a huge success, and we really enjoyed this event! A huge thank you to Mrs. Milton for her art project that she did for the families after they had their muffin in the cafeteria.
- Thank you to Ms. Gunn, Mrs. Coffman, and Mrs. Weaver for all their work on the school yearbook!
- Vulcan is donating pizza and Kona Ice for our Field Day. They are also setting up field trips for our 4th and 5th graders next year. Finally, they contributed to the awards for the 5th grade banquet. We appreciate their kindness.
- JHW will be opening a second Pre-K unit.

Finalize List for the School Board Recommendations- Mr. Miller

- Mr. Miller reviewed the names he had received and asked if there were any additional names for consideration.

Strategic Plan- Mrs. Griffiths

- Janie Howard Wilson will be utilizing the Strategic Plan to determine next steps for the 23/24 school year.

FAST Data- Mrs. Griffiths

- Our FAST progress monitoring three data indicates an increase from 32% to 38% proficiency in ELA for grades 3-5. This is a 6% increase from last year.
- Our FAST progress monitoring three data indicates an increase from 38% to 43% proficiency in math for grades 3-5. This is a 5% increase from last year.
- Our third graders went from 19% (MAPS) proficient in 21-22 to 36% in 22-23 in ELA FAST.
- Our fifth graders went from 28% (FSA) proficient in 21-22 to 41% in 22-23 in ELA FAST.
- Our third graders went from 32% (Maps) proficient in 21-22 to 60% in 22-23 in Math FAST.
- Our fifth graders went from 29% (FSA) proficient in 21-22 to 32% in 22-23 in Math FAST.
- Janie Howard Wilson exceeded our School Improvement Plan goals with reading and math proficiency as the goal was a 3% for reading and 3% for math.
- Our ESSA SIP Comparison data is currently showing the following with Math:
 - African Americans: 29 % in 21-22 to 40 % in 22-23.
 - Whites: 38% in 21-22 to 44% in 22-23
 - Hispanics: 45% in 21-22 to 45 % in 22-23
- Our ESSA SIP Comparison data is currently showing the following with ELA:
 - African Americans: 29 % in 21-22 to 40% in 22-23.
 - Whites: 25% in 21-22 to 32% in 22-23
 - Hispanics: 37% in 21-22 to 40% in 22-23

Mascot Feedback- Mrs. Griffiths

- Our staff was presented with two different options for our school mascot update. The staff decided to go with a blue lightning bolt that has facial expressions with arms and hands.

SSYRA Books- Mrs. Griffiths

- Mrs. Griffiths presented the book lists and book summaries for K-2 books and 3-5 books selected by the Florida Association for Media in Education (FAME). These books will be ordered.
- Each student can earn brag tags for their book bag as they read and pass the test.
- Our goal is to establish Battle of the Books teams and see which team can answer the most questions correctly.

Ideas/Suggestions:

- Continue with weekly callout as those are important.
- Start a monthly parent calendar for school events for families.
- On website, cover up or remove address, email, and phone numbers of SAC members

Questions Discussed:

Q: Will it be better to write down our questions and ask at the end of the bullet points?

A: We agreed that it would be better to write down our questions and have a parking lot poster. The staff will be sure to have a parking lot poster available in our PLC room as the answer may be given later in the conversation.

Q: How can people support the family from the high school to get the family back to Puerto Rico?

A: *We can share the donation request through our personal pages on Facebook. We can also share any information for any memorials that are being held.*

Q: Is the National Honor Society at the high school level?

A: *Yes, it is available for the students who meet the criteria.*

Q: When does Honor Society start in Elementary?

A: *Janie Howard Wilson starts Honor Society in fourth grade if the students meet the criteria.*

Q: What is the timeline for when things have to be in for the strategic plan?

A: *The administration will be working with Dr. Rodolfich over the summer to establish the timeline.*

Q: How many students do we currently have?

A: 445



Sunshine State Young Readers Award Books 2023-24 List for Grades 3-5



The Area 51 Files by Julie Buxbaum

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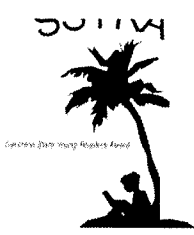
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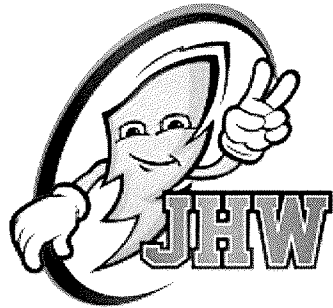
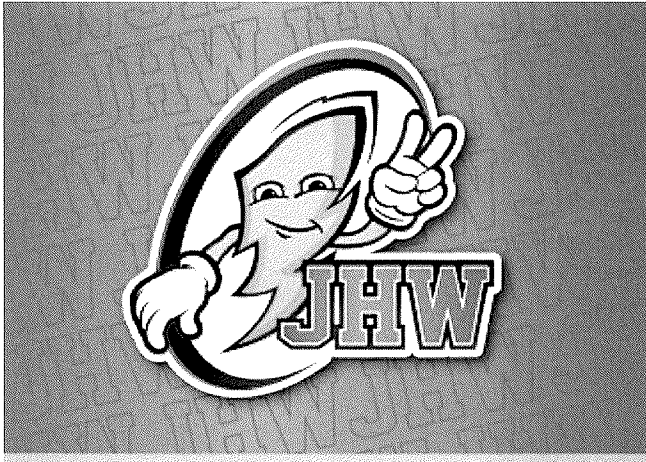
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Here is the mascot with another color and you can see the different poses below. *
Please provide your thoughts below.



(CHANGE POSES)

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Achievement Distribution, By Test Group: JANIE HOWARD WILSON SCHOOL, 2022-2023

Filtered By **Test Reasons:** All Test Reasons | **Sorted By:** Date Last Taken

FAST PM3 ELA Reading

Grades Tested: 3, 4, 5

Tests Taken: 207 Date Last Taken: 05/05/2023



FAST PM2 Mathematics

Grades Tested: 3, 4, 5

Tests Taken: 201 Date Last Taken: 01/24/2023



FAST PM1 ELA Reading

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Tests Taken: 196 Date Last Taken: 10/06/2022



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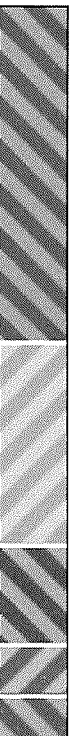
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