



School Council
Agenda
September 27, 2023

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Recognition of Visitors
5. Introduction of members -
 - Nicole Griepp – parent rep
 - Shontavia Pitts-Lane – parent rep
 - Heather Topping – teacher rep
 - Y’keisha Tinsley – teacher rep
 - VaRee Harrell – principal
 - Robin Rooks - API
 - Allison Bridges – parent/business rep
 - Letrina Powell – parent/business rep
6. Elect officers
7. Report of the Principal– School news-upcoming events
8. Adjournment



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Minutes
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9. Call to Order 7:30 Dr. Harrell
10. Pledge of Allegiance 7:30 led by Dr. Harrell
11. Approval of Agenda Motioned by Rooks second by Mrs. Topping
12. Recognition of Visitors- no visitors
13. Introduction of members -

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- Shontavia Pitts-Lane – parent rep
- Heather Topping – teacher rep
- Y'keisha Tinsley – teacher rep
- VaRee Harrell – principal
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14. Elect officers 7:38

Chairperson- Mrs. Griep Motioned and Nominated by Dr. Harrell. All voted yes

Vice-Chairperson- Mrs. Bridges Motioned and nominated by Harrell. All voted yes

Secretary- Mrs. Baker-Tinsley motioned and nominated by Dr. Harrell. All voted yes.

15. Report of the Principal– School news-upcoming events

The principal gave the purpose of committee- for improvements and community support and communication with the school.

Principal gave a copy of the Code of Ethics to each member.

Last year of us being a Prek-5 school, Next year we will be a 3-5 school.

The principal will be named in Dec/Jan.

The number of teachers will be dependent on our enrollment. Apartments change demographics based on transfer students.

PTO raised \$24,000- They are thinking about spending on a new pavilion, but plans are not solid.

The principal asked for input about how to set up clubs for next year. Parents can volunteer to help but must have a background check.

We do focus on safety, but we also focus on academics. MAP achievement shows great improvements from 2021-2023 in all grade levels. This is attributed to great teachers and great parents. Our fourth graders still have

gaps from COVID shutdown. Teachers use the data to fill in the gaps and provide enrichment.

Our school improvement team visited and loved what they say in the school and all the classrooms.

Principal

16. Adjournment: 8:00 Motioned for adjournment by Dr. Harrell second by Mrs. Rooks