Dilworth Elementary School SIT Meeting Agenda

October 11, 2024 IN Person meeting 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Type of Meeting: Monthly Meeting

Meeting Invitees: Becky Crawford, Lane Taylor, Celeste Bailey, Beth Person, Amber Rivera, Katherine Daniels, Sarah Ritzer, Phil Chambless, Ashley Eller, Nicole Vourlas-Davis, Kerri Doyle

Meeting Facilitator: Ashley Eller, SIT Chair

I. Call to order with Mission Statement

The faculty and staff of Dilworth Elementary along with our community are committed to nurturing successful lifelong learners who embrace 21st century thinking and contribute to the local and global communities.

- **II. Roll Call:** Crawford, Taylor, Bailey, Person, Rivera, Ritzer, Chambless, Eller, Vourlas-Davis, Doyle
- **III. Approval of September 13, 2024 Minutes** Ritzer motioned, Vourlas-Davis seconded, all in favor
- IV. Principal Report Becky Crawford -

<u>General Update:</u> impressed with teacher response during hurricane; SPARK is today (rescheduled from hurricane); working to get play up and running; student government is coming out this week; will have Kids' voting day; yearbook getting up and run

a.) <u>Comprehensive Plan</u> - meeting on Nov 7 at 6:30; should be looking at drawings of new building; we have requested a field to be put in at the campus; supposed to be torn down in September; currently still up, possibly due to hurricane

b.) <u>Curriculum Night</u> - last night 10/11/24; teacher's prepared and presented slideshows with expectations, procedures, curriculum, etc. Ms. Person and Ms. Rivera added that it is so nice to be back in person and for parents to see the classrooms. The turnout was okay. Parent feedback was shared - the timing of the event without having children allowed made it trickier; Rescheduled event also may have affected the turnout; it's a hard balance to make sure teachers aren't working too long and also accommodating parent's schedules; teachers have childcare issues as well

c.) <u>Title IX</u> - No new incidents; all teachers have completed Title IX lessons with their classes (except Kinder because those lessons have not been released yet); we continue to talk with students about appropriate and respectful behavior

V. Parent Business - Becky explained the FAC, STAC, etc. process of how concerns are elevated to the superintendent. Dr. Hill is adding a parent component to this process (thanks to a recommendation by Nicole!!). Becky explained the new iReady program being used for assessment and personalized learning paths - this replaced MAP. It also allows teachers to assign specific lessons based on student needs. Teachers are implementing a time to

confer with their students on the lessons. It's about 20 minutes a day in both reading and math. This is replacing Dreambox in math. Dreambox will only be used for interventions. Sarah shared that the parent report is much clearer and easier to understand.

VI. PTA Update - Nicole Vourlas-Davis PTA President

<u>K Parent Social</u> - @ Hop Fly - about 70 rsvp, - was rescheduled due to the hurricane, around 40 showed up. Suggestion to do K Parent Social twice a year, once in Fall and once in Spring

<u>Spark</u> - latest numbers are at \$53,000 - technically met goal at \$50,000, but are hoping to receive more - will continue to remain open.

<u>Service Learning</u> this year will focus on supporting the families and areas affected by the hurricane. This will be a long-term project across all grade-levels. (Blurb coming out in Dragon Dispatch)

- Leftover Sprout boxes will be donated to one of the schools that were severely affected.

First PTA Chair Meeting will meet today on 10/11.

Picture Day next week. Flyer went home on Wednesday. -Will get to preview before purchasing

Prospective Parents Update

- Campus Tour 5 people attended. Positive vibe and feedback
- 3 upcoming tours

4th & 5th & 2nd Grade Field Trips approved

Upcoming Culture Night and Book Fair:

Continent of Asia have the most families signed up - will be in gym 1st graders performance will be moved to 5:45 PTA Meeting will be held at the end of Culture Night @ 5:45

<u>Coffee with Crawford on 10/31</u> - Character Dress Up Day -Will discuss Dibels, update on I-Ready, and MVPA assessments, safety, and comprehensive plan

Parent Conferences will be held between October 28th - November 8th

VII. Next Meeting Date - November 1, 2024

VIII. Adjourned Time: 7:58am