Ridgecliff Middle School SAC Agenda

Wednesday April 18th, 2022 6:00pm

Regrets

• Andrea, Sarah H, Kimbly, Madden, Shawna

Membership inventory

- Admin Jamie Quinn & Andrea Black
- Teachers Caleigh Hutchinson (English), Valerie Dockendorff (6), Sarah Harvey (Math)
- Staff- Shawna Wright (ANS support worker)
- Parents Nadine Titus-Smith (Chair), Cheryl Clark, Kimbly Morgan
- Community Members X
- Students Madden Ross

Office

• New teacher membership

Sports/Clubs

- Track & Field happening this week
- Softball

SSP

- Math, Literacy, Wellness
 - Coaches this year were a great success supporting students and teachers. We had a math coach, French Language coach, and a core French coach this year:!
 - We saw gr.8 Math improvements in the last data collection. We continue to focus on grade 8's math and how best to support students to achieve academic success!
 - o Grade 8 Provincial assessments next week- lots of prep, conversations happening, practice assessments. These will take place May 26/27 and May 30/31.
 - NSDOE Student survey just completed (over 80 % participation from RMS- gr. 6's 100%). We will be receiving wipe boards for completing these from HRCE.

Other Items for discussion-

- Buddy Day Challenge- School recognized as TOP SCHOOL for the many submissions. 10 Personal awards and recognition for individual students! The plaque will be posted in the school for all to see!
- Staffing new Principal for next year is Greg White. He will likely join us for our next SAC.
- 3 Permanent job postings closed Monday (gr.6 FI, 8 ELA, SST; 9 ELA/FLA)- all filled. The French teacher will be leaving RMS. This will be posted in the 2nd round. 30% term left.
- Year end send off for grade 9s- we are coordinating a committee to organize a small celebration for the grade 9 and parents will be invited to attend (now sure how this will look yet).
 - Date- likely end of June. Jamie will communicate this to students and parents.
 - o Gr.9 dance is external from the school parents organizing it. June 3rd at Brunello.
- We will have a PEBS assembly for the grades 6-8 students.
- Grade 9's- going to Bayview for a tour on June 9th via bus.

- Grade 9s'- ELA/FLA and Math exams (June 20/21). Following the high school schedule.
- Grade 6's- will be coming for a visit, tour of the building and we will give them a cold snack. RMS will cover the costs for bussing (Date- June 22nd). Our leadership team is organizing what the students will do while here!
- Grade 8's- ongoing Pottery field trips to the Fine Arts lab! Kids are so excited to be part of a field trip & showing their artistic expression!
- Learning Center kids- Monday swimming!

SAC funds - \$5000 + \$1/student= roughly \$5500/ year

- Chromebooks were ordered. Money spent! Thank you
 - We are still in need of about 200 more to ensure all classrooms have one for each student at all times. We will continue to look at ways to get more chromebooks for next year.

Next meeting date

• June 15th in person!