↑ Location: Zoom

Date: February 21, 2024

Time: 5:00 PM

AAPEAC

African American Parent & Educator Advisory Committee

Virtual Meeting Minutes

Present: Akosua Owusu, Amanda Shriver, Damita Walton, Hawanda Lundy, Ja'Nae Robertson,

Janice Gordon, Justin Kooyman, Kim Porter, Mark Thompson, Melanie Martinez, Myiesha Majors, Nicole Edun, Queenie Brown, Rebekah Griffin, Shauna Morris, Tawni Flot-

Williams, Torrie Lozano, Tracee Stewart

Absent: Genevieve Lewis, Danielle Lipkin, Gary O'Leary, Nakita Dodd, Brandalyn Evans, James

Washington III, Brandi Bradley, Alexis Duncan, Jaterica Smith, Dino Tavolazzi, Jeannie

Tavolazzi

Guest: Dr. Sharroky Hollie, Chan Jackson, Zenay Arnold

1. Welcome and Public Comment

Myiesha Majors, Chairperson, welcomed the AAPEAC members and explained that nonmembers attending the AAPEAC meeting may listen to the meeting; however, they may not engage in meeting discussions or voting. There was no public comment. She also reminded everyone to support the AAPEAC sponsored online Black History Month book fair.

2. Team Builder

Nicole Edun, Secretary, led a team builder.

3. Culturally Responsive Learning

Dr. Sharroky Hollie, Center for Culturally Responsive Learning, shared his background, reviewed CLR instructional strategies, and showed a video demonstrating the instructional strategies. He also answered questions from AAPEAC members.

4. Follow-up on Winter Site Principal Meetings

Damita Walton, Director of Personnel, shared information on the site principal meetings.

5. Breakout Room Collaboration

Nicole Edun, Secretary, explained that members are to use this time to share what strategies have helped strengthen the principal-site representative partnership and discuss ideas and plans for school AAPEAC enhanced family events and Black History Month.

6. Preparing for AAPEAC Elections 2024-2025

Justin Kooyman, Director of Instruction, reviewed the committee member terms and election timeline.

7. AAPEAC Extra Mile Recognition

Tawni Flot-Williams, Vice-Chairperson, explained how members can share stories and recognize staff who have had a positive impact on their children.

8. AAPEAC 2023-2024 and Beyond Mentimeter Justin Kooyman, Director of Instruction, led the survey and reviewed the live results.

9. Adjournment

Myiesha Majors, Chairperson, thanked everyone for attending.

Next scheduled meeting: Wednesday, April 17 The poll was 91% in favor of having an in-person meeting on April 17.

2023-2024 Meeting Dates:

Wednesday, August 30 Wednesday, October 18 Wednesday, December 6
Wednesday, February 21
Wednesday, April 17