

Advisory Council Meeting

In attendance:

- Kiara Jenkins – 3rd Grade Teacher
- Wendy McGrael – Title 1 Math Teacher
- Nicole Kraftt – 2nd Grade Teacher
- Lavine Lynch – 5th Grade Teacher
- Nancy Mendez – Parent Liaison
- Gale Royal-Morris – Assistant Principal
- Sherra Thomas – Principal

SACI Rep attends SACI meetings and reports info to the advisory council team.

Advisory council chair - works in collaboration with principal

Vice Chairperson – any member of the council

Secretary – any member

By-Laws

- We will meet at least 6 times during the school year.
 - 5:30 p.m.

We are a decision-making body

- Surveys can be taken to get input

Dates for Advisory Council meetings (all meetings at 5:30 p.m.)

- Sept. 22
- Oct. 27 – Budget and staffing
- Jan 26
- Feb 23 – staffing decisions made depending on the Feb. Budget
- March 23 -
- May 25 - where we are at the end of the year

Selection process – people are voted in

- Tenure – minimum of 2 years once on council

Information:

- School shined in reading and math – reviewed school data from 2025-26 SY
- John Almarode from Visible Learning emailed Ms. Thomas and asked if KDES would like to be a feature school and be video taped.
- Profile of a graduate K-12
- PWCS Standards of Excellence
- One goal, one vision, one success
- PWCS Strategic Plan
 - (New, want kids to be on grade level by Grade 2 instead of Grade 3)
- Feedback loops begin this week – walk through tool will be sent out
- Class meetings and daily routines - restorative practices, emotional regulation, student belonging
- KDES CIP - Family engagement activity is next week during back-to-school night
 - Learning visibility
 - Family engagement learning events
 - Monthly PBIS meetings

EL & SWD tracking data for CIP

Dolly Parton Day on Friday 9/25/26 - Spread kindness – Class meeting on Friday will be about kindness (shift takes place this week)

Citizen's Time:

Spirit week during the month of October.

- Potluck Idea
- Breast cancer awareness
- Safe Schools Week
- Red Ribbon Week
- Hispanic Heritage Week

Book Fair in October

A TV monitor will be placed so that events can scroll throughout the day

Meeting adjourned 6:00