



## **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Montessori Academy**

Ms. Mitshuca B. Moreau, Principal  
Mrs. Briana Ashley, Assistant Principal

### **SAC Minutes**

**Tuesday, November 9, 2021**

#### Time

5:10 pm – 5:36 pm

#### Introduction

Below is the list of attendees:

Ms. Ashley, Mrs. Ballard, Ms. Richards, Ms. Moody, Ms. Glover, Ms. K. Nelson, Ms. Harvard, Ms. Palmer, Ms. Labriola, Ms. Joseph, Ms. Connery, Ms. T. Nelson

Meeting was called to order by Mrs. Ballard at 5:10 p.m.

Mrs. Ballard welcomed all the stakeholders of the MLK Family which included the BTU Members, Parents, Support Staff, Administration and Faculty. She also gave everyone an opportunity to introduce themselves and the part they play within the school and/or community.

Ms. Joseph

Introduced her initiative Dream Girl, which is a mentoring program for 5<sup>th</sup> grade girls. The group currently has 3 sponsors: The Honey Pot Co., Black Girl Sunscreen, and Ross.

She also introduced the MLK cheerleaders.

#### Principal's Report

Mrs. Ashley reported that MLK will be a vaccination site for our students. A parent link will be sent out providing more information in the coming week.

#### Title I

Mrs. Ballard report that herself and Ms. Richards are working on bringing the community and the school together through our math. Literacy, & science night

Accountability Funds \$11,638.07

#### New Business

- 2022 FAST Assessment will be replacing the current FSA. It will be done 3 times per year instead of having one big assessment at the end of the year. It will be an ongoing assessment to measure students' progress throughout the year. More information will be available by May as

the changes need to be approved before moving forward. If this is successful, this will be our last year taking the FSA. The new assessment will be based on the BEST standards.

- Technology purchase: Not every classroom presently has an interactive board which is instrumental to the teaching and learning process. We will find out how many is needed and put in an order.
- We will be a vaccination site; information will be sent out in a parent link.

## Upcoming Events

- In honor of our veterans everyone is asked to wear red, white, and blue on November 10
- Debate match at Dillard high school on November 16<sup>th</sup>
- First annual family day celebration on November 14<sup>th</sup>. Parents are invited to come in an enjoy with their children. There will be food trucks, games, and fun activities for the entire family. Each child will leave with at least two books.
- We collected over 500 cans on our can drive to help support our families during the holiday season.
- Iready assessments are scheduled for December
- JABiz town field trip for 5<sup>th</sup> grade scholars will December 10<sup>th</sup> volunteers will be needed.
- The suggestion was made to exposing 4<sup>th</sup> graders to some of the fifth-grade activities so that they can be better prepared next year.

## Conclusion

Mrs. Ballard thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

Mrs. Ballard made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:35 p.m. Ms. Moody second the motion. Ms. Ashley carried the motion.