## Riverglades Elementary School School Advisory Forum December 16, 2024

**Welcome**: A meeting of the Riverglades Elementary School Advisory Forum was called to order by Stephanie Rodriguez at 9:09am. Secretary Kathleen Judd recorded the minutes. Attendance attached.

**Approval of October Minutes**: Rodriguez sent via email and summarized the November 18, 2024 minutes. Shasha Hilbon made a motion to approve. Trisha Feldman seconded. Motion outcome: the minutes from November 18, 2024, were approved.

**Principal's Report:** Please see newsletter for a lot of detailed information. Lox road is now open. On January 14, the district is hosting a district wide showcase of our BCPS elementary schools. Schools in Broward county public schools will be at Amerant Bank Arena. Every school gets a booth to showcase the great things they are doing. Starts at 5pm. The goal is to bring kids back to Broward and keep kids from leaving Broward.

**PTA Report**: Trisha Feldman reported Holiday shop is underway until Friday, December 20. Park Ridge Holiday Toy Drive is being organized right now. Goal is to deliver the gifts tomorrow. The goal is 500 gifts. PTA gift wrapping committee is finished wrapping gifts- thank you! Next even is Lunar New Year on January 24, 2025.

**Safety/SRO Report**: Gerry Volpe reported that Deputy Danielle Wolf did a great shop with "Shop with a Sheriff". He also reported that there are no safety concerns at this time.

**SAF Chair Reports:** The superintendent spoke at the last meeting. He spoke about hard conversations with students regarding suicide prevention. Discussion came up about perfect scores and really low scores and what can be done to address enrichment and gaps. Schools should be very student centered. What are the kids doing? Spoke about expo regarding all Broward elementary schools at Amerant Arena. There is a teacher shortage everywhere, not just Broward. 20 low performing schools and 3 in the north area- those schools are getting many walkthroughs and on the spot notes/support. iReady discussion-some schools are giving grades for iReady. Please see detailed notes (attached) from Shasha Hilbon.

Questions, concerns, ideas: None

Motion to adjourn Kathleen Judd made a motion to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 9:26am

Next meeting: January 27, 2024 @ 9am