

**SOUTH RIDGE ELEMENTARY: SAC MEETING – Library: 8/13/2018**

**2018-2019 Meeting Schedule:**

***August 13 September 10 October 15 November 12 December 10***

***January 14 February 11 March 11 April 15 May 13***

1. Welcome & Introductions – (Chair)
2. SAC Membership – Roles & Responsibilities – (Chair)
   * 7 Voting members
   * Approve Minutes
   * Bylaws
3. Standing Reports (5 minutes)
   * Chair Report
     1. Membership
        1. Conduct elections as needed-*suggested to new members of committee to think about the open positions on the committee which are currently the co-chair position and some parent openings. Welcomed Larry who is taking over the role of community member who is a part of Creekside Bible.*
     2. Determine procedures to comply with open meetings law-*would like to keep meetings open for any voice and hope to cultivate strong relationships and back and forth communication with all members community and administration*
   * DAC Report - *Stephanie Pollock*
     1. August 14th 6:30-8:30pm @ 620 Wilcox Street
   * Teacher Report - *Laurie Golden- Back to school night was a huge success; kindergarten slow roll out got good feedback, moving forward this will be the plan and parents will be notified via the kindergarten registration packet*
   * Community Report
     1. Concerns & input:Creekside Bible Church *after school program starting September 13th 4-5:30 on Thursdays in the gym and cafeteria High school students tutoring, physical education, and character building (K-6) free, family meals once a month*
   * PTCO Report - *Stephanie Pollock Spirit wear order forms went home; fall festival-teacher grants Main goal is to support teachers/staff financially. Talking to staff at the staff meeting on the 22nd about how to go about applying for grants and how we can support them*
   * Principal Report - *Erin/Cole*
     1. Budget- *enrollment is up to 535, so there will be extra funds in the budget to use for staff or technology or whatever needs come up*
     2. UIP - Unified Improvement Plan & school performance report-*update will come after individual testing reports are returned; continuing to focus on literacy and IB qualities, new staff will need to be trained (about $900 per staff member)*
     3. Staffing 2018-2019
        1. New hires- *K, 1st, 2 new 2nd grade, new speech pathologist, new social worker, new EA’s*
        2. Staff changes
4. Unfinished Business/Follow-up
5. New Business
   * -*shared information that came from DPS about their issues with the expense of their current free/reduced lunch program and the influx of cost from $13k->$350k in a single year. Wondered if we would ever have to deal with such a conversation at DCSD.* <https://www.thedenverchannel.com/lifestyle/eduction/denver-public-schools-turns-to-parents-to-prevent-lunch-debt>
   * -*shared our new superintendents current vision and proposal to the BOE for the possibility of bond/mill levy for this coming November ballot, the BOE theoretically will make a decision at their next meeting on the 21st of August.* <https://www.denverpost.com/2018/08/06/new-douglas-county-school-district-superintendent/>
   * -*there were some parent concerns that were brought up before we adjourned concerning fire drills and actual emergencies and what if children could be allowed to grab jackets in colder weather. There was a discussion about adding blankets or space foil for warmth during actual evacuations of the school. Administration could not divulge actual procedures and measures taken, but took our suggestions and dialogue and would let this committee know if there was something, we could do to help them in this matter. Administration let us know that nearly all angles and possibilities have been addressed through district security to assure all of South’s safety in as many aspects as could be derived at any given time.*
6. Open Forum
7. Adjournment