

MEETING CALL TO ORDER	March 19, 2024, 5:20 PM						
NOTIFICATION OF MEETING	Email-Main Office-Website-Marquis						
MEMBERS	<p>Dr. Rebecca Merhar, Principal- Present Mrs. Christina Davidow, Parent (Chair)- Present Mrs. Amy Franks, Parent (Secretary)- Not Present Mrs. Shelly Carroll, Instructional Staff- Present Mrs. Brooke Vayda, Parent- Present Mrs. Kathleen Medina, Parent- Not Present Mrs. Tanya Miller, Non-Instructional Staff – Present Mr. Mike Pelton, Parent (Vice Chair)- Not Present Mrs. Catalina Dugan, Community Member- Not Present Dr. Rebecca Stalek, Parent- Present Mrs. Erin Canglin, Parent- Present Mrs. Maria Sotomayor, Parent- Not Present</p>						
WELCOME	<p>Quorum Established Dr. Merhar welcomed all. Mrs. Davidow (President) led the committee.</p>						
APPROVAL OF MINUTES	A review and approval of the February SAC minutes by all members present.						
AGENDA ITEMS	<p>1. Budget</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="589 800 1297 890"> <tr> <td>School Improvement (SCHIMPR)</td> <td>\$217.39</td> </tr> <tr> <td>School Recognition (SCHREC)</td> <td>\$2,253.31</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Teacher Supply (TLEADS)</td> <td>\$3,001.10</td> </tr> </table> <p>2. FAST Testing On April 9th our 4th & 5th graders will participate in the BEST Writing test. This test will NOT count towards our school grade this year because it is being piloted. PME will have an “all day” closed campus to volunteers and visitors on all scheduled state testing days. For a full list of testing days please check out the Pelican Marsh Elementary website: https://www.collierschools.com/cms/lib/FL01903251/Centricity/Domain/49/SY24%20CCPS%20Assessment%20Program%20ES%20Update%20Feb%202024.pdf</p> <p>3. Important dates Reminders for upcoming important dates were given. Teacher planning day is 3/22, report cards go home on 3/28, and there is no school on 3/29.</p> <p>4. Volunteer Breakfast The annual volunteer breakfast will be held April 5th at 8:30 AM. This will be a tea party theme and is available to all volunteers. Invitations were sent.</p> <p>5. Pre-K Stars on Tour & Kinder Round up This will be held on April 19th at 9:00 AM. Please spread the word to anyone you know with children entering kindergarten for the 24/25 school year. Invitations were sent for the Pre-K tour.</p> <p>6. 5th to 6th Parent Night at Middle schools On Thursday, April 25 Parents are invited to their child’s future middle school for a welcome night. On Friday, April 26th Elementary schools will bus students to their future middle school for a tour and presentation.</p> <p>7. Teacher Characteristic Checklist for 2024/2025 school year This checklist will be available for parents/guardians to fill out at the beginning of April. This information will also be sent out in the Pelican Scoop informational email.</p>	School Improvement (SCHIMPR)	\$217.39	School Recognition (SCHREC)	\$2,253.31	Teacher Supply (TLEADS)	\$3,001.10
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OPEN AGENDA	<p>8. School Uniforms There have been a few inquiries into our school becoming a uniform school. The SAC members were interested in the process for making this change, and how decisions are made. Dr. Merhar explained what things are looked at when a school is deciding if switching to uniforms is for them. Parents, SAC, PTO, Staff, and Students’ opinions are taken into consideration regarding if uniforms are wanted. These opinions are typically gathered through surveys. Typically, when uniforms are introduced it is for a purpose, or to solve a problem. We would need to look to see if there is a problem that uniforms would solve, for instance, “is the current dress code disrupting the learning of students?”. After gathering opinions and deciding on the purpose, if uniforms are needed, PME staff, PTO, and SAC can weigh in on what the uniform dress code would look like,</p>						

	<p>with the final approval given by the SAC committee. The topic of uniforms has been discussed, but no formal process has begun in any way.</p> <p>Meeting was adjourned at 5:49 PM</p>
NEXT MEETING	Tuesday, April 16th at 5:20 PM in the Media Center