

***Mercer County Senior High
SBDM Council
Regular Monthly Meeting
November 15, 2021***

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Tatum at 4:02 p.m. in the media center. The following members of the council were in attendance:

Present : Spencer Tatum, Principal Christina Emmanuel, Teacher Kendra Rowland, Teacher Jo Luthe, Parent Julie Peavler, Parent Mike Floro, SBDM Secretary	Absent: Ekambaram Elumalai, Teacher
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Agenda Approval

Motion to accept: K. Rowland, second by Luthe.
Motion was approved by consensus.

Minutes Approval

October minutes were reviewed by the council.
Motion to accept: K. Rowland, second by Emmanuel
Motion was approved by consensus.

Good News Report

- Dr. Eka was chosen by the student body as “Teacher of the Month”
- Riley Boutin was chosen as the high school “Superior Titan” and was recognized at the October Board meeting.
- Boys Cross Country team advanced to the State Cross Country Championships in Paris along with Clayra Darnell from the Girls team.
- Marching Band finished as a State Finalist (5th place) in the KMEA Marching Band Championships.
- Football team finished the regular season 8-2 and were the 2 seed in the district playoffs.
- Volleyball team finished as 46th District Runners-up.
- Jai Maria Piazza and Haven Six were named to the Volleyball 46th District All-Tournament team and the All 12th Region team for the regular season.
- Kallise Gammon was selected to the 12th Region Volleyball All-Tournament team.
- Academic Breakfast took place on October 29th for all 10th, 11th, and 12th graders that achieved a 3.5 GPA last school year. We had 151 students that were recognized during this event. Matthew Honchel was the guest speaker.
- Veterans Day assembly was held on November 12th with Jack Mattingly as the guest speaker.
- Our music and theater students presented their “All Together Now!” program five times over the weekend of November 11-14 for the school and community.

Monthly Reports

Behavior: Swiss data was discussed. There were 253 total referrals for the school year through 11/11/21. 34 of these referrals were from “disruption” which was the highest category next to 32 referrals from “minor tardy”. The most frequent location was the “classroom”.

Academic:

- Semester Exams will be given over a 3 day period and last 90 minutes each.
- Friday December 17th will be an early release day - 1:30PM.
- The 2nd iReady screener will be given on Nov 30th and Dec 1st for Math out of Math Class and
- All students in grades 9-11 at the High School are currently taking interventions on Tuesdays and Thursdays for CERT and iReady.
- Seniors will not do the universal screener on iReady.

Budget:

Section 6 - \$91,256.99

District Activity Accounts - \$432,390.66

Student Activity Accounts - \$32,409.65

- Flag Pole Advertisements for the Light Poles out front have been purchased
- Additional Picnic Tables for Outside have been purchased
- Smart Boards have been ordered for the majority of our classrooms. They are in stock and will be delivered soon.
- Perkins and ESS money are federal money and not in our regular 3 main reports. Mr. Tatum said he would start including these accounts starting in December.

Old Business

None

New Business

- No new line item things.

Consolidated School Improvement Plan (1st Reading):

- Discussed the 5 goals for this but no grammatical changes.
Motion to accept: Peavler, second by Luthe

Alignment with State Standards (2nd Reading):

- No changes
Motion to accept: K. Rowland, second by Emmanuel

Budget and Spending Policy (2nd Reading):

- No changes
Motion to accept: K. Rowland, second by Peavler

Committee Policy (1st Reading)

- Add a bullet about MTSS committee and what it does
Motion to accept: Luthe, second by Peavler

Consultation Policy (1st Reading)

- Capitalize “Interview” in the first sentence of the document.
Motion to accept: Luthe, second by Emmanuel

Enhancing Student Achievement Policy Review

- No changes

Planning Policy Review

- No changes

Upcoming dates/events:

Nov 15	Club Day
Nov 15	Blood Drive
Nov 15	SBDM - 4:00PM
Nov 18	Board Meeting - 5:30
Nov 18-20	KYA Conference
Nov 24-26	Thanksgiving Break
Dec 6	School Smiles
Dec 8	Club Day
Dec 9	Band Holiday Concert
Dec 10	Titan Singers Holiday Concert
Dec 11	ACT (We have 89 Juniors taking it on this date - district paid for these students)
Dec 13	SBDM - 4:00
Dec 16	Board Meeting - 5:30
Dec 17	Early Release Day
Dec 20-22	Titan Academy
Dec 20-Jan 4	Christmas Break

The list was reviewed and Mr. Tatum will continue to share dates with the staff weekly.

Public Comments

None

The next regular monthly meeting will be December 13th at 4:00 p.m. The SBDM council was adjourned at 5:05 p.m. The motion was made by K. Rowland and seconded by Luthe. Motion was approved by consensus.

Submitted by Mike Floro, recording secretary