

Venetia Elementary
School of the Medical Arts
SAC Meeting Minutes
Monday, November 30, 2020

- I. Welcome/Introductions
In attendance today: Ms. Chatman, Ms. Jennings, Mr. Rockward, and Ms. Stuckey
- II. Review Minutes
The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.
- III. Chairman's Report
No report at this time.
- IV. Principal's Report
Mid-year testing for 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades will start in December. Venetia is a Blessings in a Backpack school which means that students go home on Fridays with a package of snacks to enjoy over the weekend. Venetia staff collected donations and gave Thanksgiving meals to a couple of families that were in need this season.
- V. School Improvement Plan
Staff continues to work on standards-based instruction. Common planning meetings focus on aligning student tasks to standards. During an Instructional Review, Venetia staff was able to receive feedback on strengths and areas to improve.
- VI. SAC Funds
Currently, SAC funds are \$2600.00. Ms. Chatman requests approval from SAC to purchase the Reflex Math site license for the next 5 months which would cost \$1,372.92 and Performance Coach (books) for \$987.19 which would provide support for ELA instruction.
 - Special called SAC meeting- December 8, 2020.
In attendance: Mr. Washington, Ms. Chatman, Mr. Rockward, Ms. Lewis, Ms. Cashore, Ms. Hunt, and Ms. Stuckey

Ms. Chatman made a motion to purchase the Reflex site license to extend use to June 30, 2021 for \$1,372.92 and Performance Coach materials to support ELA instruction for \$987.19. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved by SAC members.
- VII. Medical Arts Magnet

Venetia is looking for new partners for the Medical Arts Magnet. The School Choice Expo will be virtual this year so the school will be looking for ways to best showcase the magnet program and overall culture through technology.

VIII. Title I

The Family/Parent Engagement Plan was distributed and access to the plan can be found on the school's website.

There are several Title I events planned for the rest of the school year.

December- Lunch and Learn (Reading Strategies)

January - Science showcase

February- Lunch and Learn (Math Strategies)

March- Donuts with Darlings

IX. School Counselor Update

Ms. Lewis is continuing to work on referrals for individual counseling services and looking at data to form small groups with students in January. Ms. Lewis is also looking for families who would be interested in a mental health workshop.

X. PTA update

PTA currently has 35 members. The teacher holiday luncheon is in December. The Nov./Dec. Skate Night Event was cancelled. PTA will begin the process of looking for new board members for the next school year.

XI. MFLC

Ms. Cashore continues to meet with small groups of students to provide support as needed.

XII. Upcoming Events

December 9th- Kona Ice

December 14th- Pajama Day

December 16th- Teacher Holiday Luncheon

December 18th- Last Day of School before Winter Break

January 5th- Students return from break

XIII. Other Business

XIV. Public Comments