Horizon Middle School

School Accountability Committee (SAC)

Meeting Minutes

1/26/23

**Horizon SAC Attendance –** Dustin Horras, Melissa Mayfield, Dawson Mayfield, George Evans, Rocio Padilla

**Call to Order**

**Approval of Agenda:**

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**DAAC Update –** Melissa Mayfield

* Presentation on new Middle School (Elevation) funds, and what the District is doing with the funds as a result of the new MS not proceeding as originally planned. Vista Ridge is getting a big addition, concerns raised on why Horizon or other Zone schools are not getting more funds. Mr. Horras explained further what Horizon will be “getting” – including a softball field, a re-model of space at Building B, an auxiliary gym space. Building A will also be remodeled for a District pre-school.

**Unfinished Business -** None

**New Business**

* State Testing – April 6-20
* Title Budget & Plan
  + Current Title finding is primarily dedicated to personnel (Instructional Coach, Reading Interventionist, and two Math Interventionists). There is alos funding for study lab, online subscriptions (NewsELA, PearDeck, Kami, Read/Math 180 yearly access, etc…) Money also dedicated to Training/Travel (Renaissance) and replacing consumable supplies.
  + Recommendation was to continue to use and focus as we currently are, it is working
* Budget priorities – for DAAC
  + Only 1 priority the District should have – To improve salaries for ALL employees
  + Should not be spending $$ on other things (new positions) until this is more in line with other Districts
* BoysTown social skills -“SEL”
  + BT focuses on teaching and exposing students to “soft” skills (ex. responsibility, perseverance, etc..)
  + BT teaches the 16 most essential skills students need and how to use social skills (ex. Following instructions, accepting criticism, greeting others, etc…)
  + BT also provides framework for dealing with inappropriate behaviors in the classroom, teachers expected to have relationship with students and address inappropriate behaviors (non-verbal prompt, verbal prompt, corrective teaching, classroom consequence, referral warning, office referral).

**Future Business**

# Open Forum - Q&A with Principal Dustin Horras

# Next Meeting - April 11th at 5:30pm (Rounding with Sean Dorsey)

# Adjournment