

Anderson Elementary School  
Meeting of School Advisory Council  
Thursday, October 22, 2009 at 5:30 p.m.

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 5:34 p.m. by Chairperson, Lola Butler.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

**Parents:** Crystel Brown, Tammy Bryan, Lola Butler, Shannon Free, Lisa Hightower, Pamela Hodge, Jaime NesSmith, Casey O'Steen, Raquel Rood.

**Teachers/Staff:** Karen Bannister, Carol Ann Forehand, Denee Hurst, April Kight, Kristen McCaskill, Alexa Mills, Beth Ann Palmer, Connie Sheppard, Mike Thomas.

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Shirley Davis (*excused*), Michelle Hurst (*excused*), Candy Snedeker (*excused*)

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Darby Butler, Cathy Capo, Charlotte Lord, Dawn Valentine, Irene Valentine.

**MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING**

After the meeting was called to order, Jaime NesSmith commenced to take roll call. It was brought to SAC's attention that Alexa Mills' absence at last month's meeting should be excused due to her coaching middle school volleyball, therefore the absence is excused. Denee Hurst referred to member nominations from last month's meeting. She stated that the school's SRP's (school related personnel) voted and approved Karen Bannister and Beth Ann Palmer as members of SAC. The Chairperson continued to review the minutes. There were no other comments from members or changes suggested, and Denee Hurst made a motion to accept the minutes, and April Kight seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.

**NOTE:** Approved minutes from all SAC meetings will be available for viewing on the Dixie District Schools website (<http://www.dixie.k12.fl.us>).

**OLD BUSINESS**

Matters concerning old business are discussed in the preceding paragraph as part of minutes from previous meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Budget**

At the previous meeting, SAC approved expenditures totaling \$6,150.00. Part of those expenditures was \$1,500.00 for Family Learning Nights. However, we need to be more specific as to how that sum will be spent. A ballot was given to all present voting members which read "*Do you approve Shannon Free and Virginia Fulton, with a stipend of \$750.00 each less FICA, social security, etc...*". After voting, the ballots were counted by Lola Butler in the presence of Denee

Hurst and Jaime NesSmith. The expenditures of \$750.00 each for Free and Fulton were approved.

### School Improvement Plan

Copies of the recently approved School Improvement Plan were available at this meeting. Denee Hurst discussed the plan and commented on some of the changes made to the plan concerning AYP (adequate yearly progress), reading scores, math scores, etc. Mrs. Hurst also discussed FAIR testing and KidBiz (Achieve 3000).

### Kidnapping Drill

Mike Thomas reported to SAC/parents that the school had recently conducted a kidnapping drill throughout the school.

### Winning Class Attendance

Jill Thomas' class had the highest attendance at this SAC meeting and her Kindergarten class will receive a popsicle party.

### Door Prizes

Second grade sponsored the door prizes for this month. Thank you second grade!

### **ADJOURNMENT**

With no further business, Crystal Brown made a motion to adjourn, and Casey O'Steen seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

### **NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 19, 2009 at 2:45 p.m. in the Media Center.

*~End of minutes. Recorded by Jaime NesSmith, Recording Secretary*