

Match Charter Public Middle School

Parent Advisory Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, March 17, 2010

6:00 – 7:30pm

In Attendance: Althea Henderson, Erocia Banks, Lisa Swain, Andrea Swain, Donna Smith, Kevin Williams.

Meet started at approximately 6:15pm because parents were slow on getting there.

Introduction:

Parent went around the table introducing themselves.

Demerits:

Some parents are still struggling with the consequences for breaking the rules at MATCH.

Fundraiser:

Niya brought a flyer on selling Cookie Dough to show us our next fundraiser.

Cookie dough costs \$14.00.

Given to students on Friday, March 19th.

Ends on April 5th, 2010.

Parents can pick up orders on Friday or Saturday after 4/9/2010, pay by money orders or cash.

Orders must have name, phone number, and homeroom so that the orders can run smoothly.

Family Day:

Invite parents

Send out a flyer

Place children in small groups to use the facility

Gym opens at 12pm

Use of field for baseball and basketball activities

Project adventure activities

Food for the event / need concession stand

MATCH wants to give back to the club by buying concessions

RSVP by Tuesday or Wednesday

MATCH will bring \$ to help w/ cost of concession

MATCH signs facilities agreement w/ BGCB Lisa will bring from to Ms. Hwang

Others:

Start planning for end of year BBQ

In following meetings, we can begin to bring up the idea of an event for the 8th graders

Plans for Teacher Appreciation Day

- (1) each student give \$5 to purchase a gift for their teacher.
- (2) parents and student bring dinner and serve teaching staff
- (3) give gift cards and let staff “yankee” swap out gift cards

Questions:

Where are the 7th graders going on their end of the year trip?

Q: What is the purpose of the PAC?

A: Chance for parents' voices to be heard

Concerns:

Inappropriate touching at playground

Dating

Extra help on Saturdays for 7th graders

Tutors' role w/ student, tutor spend 10 minutes of the session to reinforce what teacher taught in class.

How are students performing academically?

Would they ever have a science fair at the MATCH middle school?