

BEGICH MIDDLE SCHOOL
UAA 555: BUILDING A SCHOOL COMMUNITY, CLASS #7
CREEKSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 4:00-6:00 P.M., LIBRARY

1. Introductions, announcements and housekeeping (4:00-4:15 p.m.)

Explanation of handouts on emotional intelligence of teams, collaborative cultures in schools, faculty meetings with professional development focus, sample mission statement, synopsis of scheduling concerns and feedback, three matrixes with criteria for staff commitment, working relationships and action in common, and copy of new 2007-2008 school calendar.

Review of class requirements and time for questions

Can we change our staff retreat from May 12 to May 5 or 19, with same time of 8:00 a.m. until noon?

2. Positive customer service and establishing school "pillars" (4:15-4:45 p.m.)

Michelle Egan will share ideas for making our school a welcoming environment and finding key words to "market" our school.

3. Positive Climate and Community Involvement Working Committee (4:45-6:00 p.m.)

"Nice Bike" 20 minute video followed by discussion and guidelines for groups

Class divides into groups focused on our positive climate and community involvement

Thanks to Creekside Elementary School staff for welcoming us and to all who shared snack food for our meeting.

Thanks to Michelle Egan and the members of the positive climate and community involvement group for leading this meeting.

All are invited to stay for the community meeting at Creekside from 6:30 pm. until 8:00 p.m., in the library.

April 3, 4:00-6:00 p.m., Building a School Community class # 8 at Muldoon Elementary School Library. Topic to be determined.