

BAC Meeting 11/17/2022

6:01 p.m.- Meeting called to order

Mr. Thomas's Report

AK STAR Results- Late this year. 96 students tested. ELA Mean score 1597. Median score 1599. 10% need support, the rest are approaching or above proficient. Well above the ASD average. Math- 16% need support. Over 50% are proficient or higher. Science- 5th grade only. 29 tested. Our students were the well above the ASD district average.

Parents can now see their student's individual scores on Parent Connect.

SOP Revision- Teachers edited in groups. SOP was brought more up to date. Mr. Thomas will work on finalizing the editing and present to the BAC for finalization. Will be presented on

School Closures- March 23, 2023. FY24 budget solutions. You can rewatch past meetings. Only 3 virtual meetings. Will be for all schools. ASD Board work sessions. Moving 6th grade to middle school and eliminating some high school sports. All information is available on the ASD website. School Board Meeting in December will decide on schools/ and or programs cut. Reviewed the town hall meeting facts. How ASD panel shared that everything is in limbo at this time. How zoning and bussing issues will be finalized depending on town hall discussions.

Questions about curriculum- Saxon Math will no longer be supported in the future. Saxon Math is no longer being printed. We have a supply for a few years for Saxon Math to continue for now. Saxon is discontinued due to low demand across the nation.

Our next ASD curriculum update will determine what curriculum is purchased for our school. We can decide to adopt the ASD adaptation or take the budgeted funds and purchase our chosen curriculum.

We will work to keep our high academic expectations, character traits and behavior expectations. We do not know about the final decision by the ASD board. We will have to make a plan once we know more.

Lottery- Was closed because our teacher to student ratio for the building was full.

Teacher's Report- Reshared how we feel Fire Lake would be a better fit for our program

PTA Report-
\$809.00 made on GAPCo. Pizza fundraiser.

New Mascot- Students are voting on name.

Winter Fun Night- No auction this year at this point. DJ is hired for a dance. Plans are still in place. Next meeting is January 19th. March 28th is the next GAPCo. Pizza day.

President Report- New voting members were approved.

Next Meeting January 23, 2023.