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### **East Bay K – 8 School \* School Advisory Council \* April 28, 2022**

Alison Keegan called the meeting to order at 7:38 a.m.

In attendance were council members Principal, Beth Mosley, Assistant Principal, Trish Johnson, Alison Keegan, Jen Sevilla, Debbie Stanhagen, Rebecca Webster, Amy Chamberlin, Gretchen Clarke, Ann-Marie McNabb, Amanda Morgan, Tiffany Spooner.

The following handouts were provided: an agenda, the Star "C" report, the 22-23 Middle School Bell Schedule & Elective offerings and the 22-23 Music Enrichment at Lunch Program.

Beth Mosley welcomed council members and gave a quick summary of the latest events occurring at East Bay.

February meeting minutes were read by Debbie Stanhagen. Tiffany Spooner made a motion for approval, Amanda Morgan seconded; with all in favor, minutes were approved.

Beth Mosley reported on the current enrollment of 979 and the status of the two playgrounds, which are projected to be utilized by next week. In addition, the sidewalks must be provided by the district, and those will most likely not be poured until the summer. Amy Chamberlin suggested a ribbon cutting of sorts with and for the students. Beth agreed and suggested a Facebook Live event.

Results of coupon book sales was reported with Debbie Stanhagen providing the current budget of the Parent Support Team, and information regarding other school budgets pertinent to school operations.

Amy Chamberlin explained last year's hardship in finding paper and other school supply items. Beth Mosley indicated our approved school supply list is available and will make sure to mention early purchasing is advisable in the next newsletter.

The Star C data was briefly discussed by Beth Mosley, as it was covered during the previous meeting.

Alison Keegan explained the reasons for changing previously planned early release days to full days of school on May 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>. Students last day is May 25<sup>th</sup>, early release for all.

Mrs. Mosley discussed in detail the changes to the Middle School bell schedule and elective offerings for 2022-23. With Mr. Williams teaching band, chorus, and a music appreciation class, she will fill the elementary music teacher vacancy with 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher, Stacy Monahan, who will also be teaching an intensive reading class for middle schoolers. She will be hiring for the vacant 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher vacancy.

Mrs. Mosley discussed the new Student Leadership elective and the desire to develop an after-school club consistent to the attributes of the elective. She solicited input from the parents and community members on the council. All who responded preferred the idea of an "SGA" type club.

Mrs. Mosley also described the plan to accelerate 8<sup>th</sup> graders who will be taking Pre-Algebra as opposed to Algebra I, by adding the Entrepreneurship elective to the curriculum.

Mrs. Mosley and Mrs. Johnson clarified the P.E. requirement and waiver policy to the group upon inquiry by Amy Chamberlin.

Mrs. Mosley also described the duties and parameters for the students who choose the ESE classroom assistant elective.

Mrs. Mosley introduced discussion regarding next year's Music Enrichment at Lunch Program. She also reminded parents that there will be no free meals next year; but prices have not increased.

Mrs. Johnson addressed safety concerns and questions; specifically commenting on current lockdown and evacuation drills.

Alison Keegan highlighted the upcoming events from May – August, as outlined on the agenda.

Anne-Marie McNabb asked for more information regarding the route of the car rider line. Mrs. Mosley will add neighborhood streets to the existing map that is provided to parents to better explain the routes to be used for dropping off and picking up.

Amy Chamberlin inquired about the "Battle of the Books" program, next year's book list is available online and will be added to the school's website.

Debbie Stanhagen will find out which members will be able to return for the second year of their term; vacant positions for parents and business partners will be filled as necessary.

With no further business, Alison Keegan adjourned the meeting at 8:33 a.m.