

LSAC Minutes  
Tanalian School  
Tuesday, October 5, 2021

1. Call to Order: President, Dennis, called to order at 7:00
2. Roll Call: Dannis Fowler, Heidi Wilder, Leo Fowler, Sarah Wardell, Kacy Lou Leyba, Eric Davidson, Carlon Voran, Caroline Crimmins, Katy Munn, Brandey Voran, Brandon Hummel, Patty Brock, Mathew Grossman, Nicole Metzgar, Nate Davis, Alison Fowler, and Nicole Metzgar
3. Student Presentations: Ellah Wardell presented an “experiencing out” presentation of summer work at LPA.
4. Approval of minutes: Heidi made a motion to approve Meeting Minutes from LSAC meeting on 9/14/21. Sarah Wardell seconded the motion and all approved. Motion passed.
5. Communications:
  - a. Principal’s Report: Nate Davis gave report, see attached report
  - b. Teacher’s Report:
    - i. Brandey Voran: working with elementary then jumping to high school is getting smoother and smoother and adaptation to new math curriculum is getting better and she is now excited about it. High school level internet component is still cumbersome but working through it in prep for any out of school learning, going well, off to a good start.
    - ii. Brandon Hummel: working with science for three hours which is fun, working towards goal of a minimum of three hands-on labs a week in every class and every level to keep engagement high: good so far with plants being planted in the hallway, beetles working on bones, state of matter with 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grades. Overall moving along at good pace.
    - iii. Nicole Metzger: the year is good so far, everyone back in session now which is good, trying to incorporate movement into the day with the Plank challenge and all communities are welcome to join the challenge: helps brain work when needed.
    - iv. Sarah Wardell: working half-days: 8:30-1, working mostly with 2<sup>nd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> graders mostly, mainly one on one and working on specific skills, have two IPs this month and then no more until December.
    - v. Katy/Caroline: taking over more responsibility, hard and good, feel better prepared for the future.
    - vi. Patti Brock: the kids are doing great, they love Miss Caroline, are done with unit 1 reading and moving to 2, they love the games in math curriculum and cruising through it, but still working on learning web-based components.
    - vii. Mathew Grossman: teaching in Brandy’s for writing and social studies and enjoying it but still working out the curriculum flow, Katy is fun to have in there and will teach for next two weeks, still learning new math curriculum and he thinks he will like it, but online portion is a challenge,

not moving through fast but hoping to keep kids engaged and doing it through school year.

- c. Correspondence:
  - d. Maintenance Report: Nate gave a report of “up and running” as things seem to be operating well currently.
  - e. Technology: low internet but up and running, still no way to monitor student’s computers but there is something planned for that but not up yet. Grossman stated it was nice to be able to monitor students from his own computer and really helped with all learning and productivity. Some parents have stated that they really like that ability too. Nate inquired about it and District is piloting a program but no eta on that program coming online yet: may need to check back on that at some point.
  - f. Student Government Report: spirit week, talked about harvest feast, next week going to finalize meal and contact community for support, getting Lynx Lar together for opening for first game, Pattie talking to them about getting letters out for people to renew banners to increase finances and they said next week they’d get it done.
  - g. Public Comments: none
- 6: Old Business
- a. Covid Response: board is composed of Dennis Fowler, Luke Wagner, Patty Bilbrey, Sonnet Smith, Mathew Grossman, and Nate Davis
    - a. TCAG Entry/Return protocol: have focused on protocol to shift between colors: see handout for details (District has one document that is 2 pages instead of 12 from last year and letting individual sights make “extension” plan to follow). This document may be patented for other villages if they want.
    - b. Comments: A discussion ensued about what it takes to return to school after “out sick” and Nate explained that RTS form can be signed by clinic or multiple signatures with him in loop could still be cleared without clinic approval. A second discussion ensued in relation of Item 5 on the TCAG protocol being more restrictive than the District’s and Nate stated district wanted to limit requirements for students as testing weekly is mitigation enough but local council wanted to get negative beforehand but maybe able to meet last minute to approve if needed. A large discussion about the issue took place but no action items took place.
  - b. LSAC elections – “intent to run” forms due: seats up for election, four of them: see Nate’s binder: Seat A: Dennis currently; Seat C: Sarah Wardell; Seat D: Andrea McGee; Seat Alternate: Leo Fowler: several have turned in forms intending to run and any others still can until 10/26/21: last day to submit and community can vote.
7. New Business:
- a. Data Review & School Improvement Process: Kacy went over a powerpoint to present/summarize Nate’s school DRSI: see handout and powerpoint for specifics.

- b. New revised LSAC Handbook handed out for all members to read.
- 8. Adjournment: 8:30 Heidi Wilder made motion to adjure, Sarah Wardell seconded, motion carried.