

## LSAC Meeting Minutes

February 25, 2025

Evelynn called the meeting to order at 3:51pm

Roll Call: Brenda- phone, Evelynn, Dawn, Kelsea- arrived late, Brenda (phone), Lydia (excused absent)

Approval of Agenda- Dawn made a motion to approve the agenda, Brenda 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Previous Minutes: Dawn made a motion to pass, Brenda 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Guest Reports: None

Principal Report: Ed.

- Middle school wrapped up HS regionals this week. Battle of the Books wrapped up. Lunch program – talked to Dawn to make menu for March and April.
- SNAP Meet who is covering food?
- Lunch release- parent question was proposed, “Can we have one letter at beginning of year?” LSAC agreed to keep it the same and mark it on the progress reports as to whether or not students can go home by marking yes or no.

Teacher Reports:

- Seth (tutor)- works with students in most classes
- Sydney- Earth/Climate change. How does climate change affect Alaska?
- Ms. Moore- Math project Iditarod; When is picture day?
- Steph- 100<sup>th</sup> day of shoo today. BOB team placed 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Kate- Level 8 is studying Alaska history, others are studying suppl and demand
- Marcie- practicing letter sounds, writing names, using friendship skills. Will get back to us with last day of preschool and graduation date.
- Evelynn read report from Gabby- testing strategies, local leaders, Iditarod
- Evelynn read report from Elisabeth- social work is going well

Bill Cornell: Feeling grateful for our amazing teachers 5 positions open in the district.

What is the intention for preschool next year? TBA. Need to fill K-12 teacher positions first.

Students government: No report given

Old business:

1. None

New Business:

1. LSAC approval of freestyle wrestling club- Ed: 3-5x end of the school year.  
LSAC role call approval: Dawn- yes; Kelsea- yes; Evelynn- no; Brenda- yes

MS/HS teachers are in support of this club, end of levels will be done by then. Club is parent funded; parents' discretion for travel.

Public Comment: Joann Lester: Trip end of January – The district office made the decision not to allow the principal to travel on the road trip. She disagrees with this decision.

25 students traveled for 8 days/24 hours a day = 192 hours - Included 2 teachers, a coach, and a chaperone for job shadows, campus visits, cultural, UAF- employability.

75 students at Newhalen School for 4 days/7 hours a day = 28 hours of supervision – 9 teachers; 2 principal certified; 1 head teacher; +admin support on site for their daily routines

When the principal was taken out of the activities were diminished. Needs to have a proper leader

Agenda items for next meeting:

1. 2025-202 calendar: school board will draft at the next meeting.

Informational: Article from KDLG regarding volunteer hours: Evelynnn has the report.

Next meeting: March 25 at 345pm.

Meeting adjourned at 4:52pm, Meeting adjourned