



## **Bells Ferry Bandits LEARN, LEAD, AND LEAVE A LEGACY**

April 14, 2023

8:00am

Principal Advisory Council

MINUTES

### 1) Welcome and Introductions

Members In Attendance:

Gail May, Principal

Brad Cohen, Assistant Principal

Leslie Gaines, Instructional Lead Teacher

Kristy White, Teacher of the Year

Dana Stassen, PTA President

Jakita Williams, Foundation President (absent)

Karmen Edwards, Adventure Center at Walton Ridge

Maryam Lemei, Ultimate Karate Marietta (absent)

- 2) Teacher of the Year and Classified Employee of the Year- Congrats to Elizabeth Goff and Melissa Kingery
- 3) STEM Update- We have become Cobb STEM certified!!!
- 4) Kindergarten Preview Day- Wednesday, April 19th for rising Kindergarten students. Expecting at least 50 kids with their parents to attend. Breakfast will be served and the kids will get to visit a Kindergarten class.
- 5) Karmen Edwards and the Adventure Center- Shared a video about the Adventure Center. Everything is free for those who attend. They did 2 during spring break and they will do numerous trips over the summer. We share report cards with the center so they can support the students. 39 students are served right now.
- 6) PTA – Elections took place last night. Most committees are filled. Last meeting of the year is May 11<sup>th</sup>. Collecting data for certification. Survey is going home to the parents. Chuckie Cheese is April 19<sup>th</sup>, E-recycling day is April 20<sup>th</sup>, Spring Festival is next Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. Staff appreciation week is coming up the week of May 1<sup>st</sup>. Taco Mac Night is May 4<sup>th</sup>. Helping to plan the 5<sup>th</sup> grade yearbook party.
- 7) Foundation- Continuing to raise money. Pie in Face Fundraiser competition taking place now. Bundt cake fundraiser happening in two weeks.
- 8) Adjourned at 8:40

Next Meeting is Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 8am