

## Assistant Principal Committee

September 21, 2021

- Call to order at 10:15 by Tim Johnson
- Welcome/Introductions
  - Larry Murphy, Katie Kampersal, David Bachant, Doug Daponde, Bruce Hastings, Karen Hughes, Tim Johnson, Peter Lantaigne, David List, JoAnn Masterson, Michael Pescitelli, Amy Silva, Katie Warren
  - Larry and Tim spoke about the Committee and the AP conference being held in April 2022
  - Reminded everyone that the committee was open to all AP's across the state and to invite anyone is interested.
- Review Consitution
- Election of Officers:
  - Bruce nominated Tim Johnson as Chair-2<sup>nd</sup> by Amy Silva-
    - All in favor- unanimous
  - Peter nominated Bruce Hastings for Vice Chair- 2<sup>nd</sup> by David List
    - All in favor-unanimous
  - David nominated Erin for Secretary- 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bruce
    - All in favor-unanimous
- Motion was made by Tim to approve minutes at the next meeting when more members were able to attend-2<sup>nd</sup> by Bruce-All in favor-unanimous
- New Business
  - AP Conference-cancelled the last 2 yrs due to Covid.
    - It was planned by the committee for this past April, however due to restrictions and school it was cancelled. The same format was going to be used as in 2020
      - "Our Story"
    - Previous topics: engaging parents, building voice, bridge, Conflict/student support, evaluation, staff morale, vaping, elementary attendance, traditional/nontraditional discipline.
    - New Topics
      - Acceleration vs Remediation
      - Academics Moving Forward
      - DEI
      - Resources
      - Building Student/Family Voice
      - Parents
      - Tools for toolbox
        - Helicopter/lawn mower parents
      - Difficult/negative parents
      - How to support your staff
        - Mental Health of staff

- What else can you do
- Mental health of AP's
- Inclusivity/ESL
- Equity
- High Academic Standards
- Transitions
- Engaging families
- Staff morale
- Climate/Change
- High Anxiety (students/parents)
- Parents value of education/dropout rate
- Unfinished learning
- Culture responsive learning
- Sense of belonging
- Board Considerations?
  - None at this time
- Before next meeting
  - Send out a list of members/emails/schools
  - Survey with new and old topics
  - Look at calendar and find a better day/time than Tuesdays (possible Thursday mornings)
- Bruce motion to Adjourn-2<sup>nd</sup> by David-all in favor-unanimous