

SIAC: 9/17/12

Introductions: 26 total people

SIAC: What it is and what it does

Discussion of items from last year:

- Principal's discussed the changes throughout the summer and beginning of this year. (Including Assure Center)
- Dr. J discussed the opening of the new Kirkwood Center and what will be taught out there
- Discussion of the over all global goals for the district
  - Geothermal for JH (HS east wing) and Lincoln and addition to the middle school (\$5,000,000 bond)
  - Visit with booster clubs lead to the thought that it might be best for the bond running of this in later 2013
  - Technology (grant for Ipads for Stewart and Lincoln)
  - Safety by adding a safety resource officer
  - Parent liaisons currently beginning at Stewart
    - caution of adding new staff w/out having to lay off later

District count appears at this time we will be 50 kids up

- 20 students who open enrolled out are back

Broke into table discussion about what people want to see done.

- Narrow items down to two to four by administration for work this year
- #1 -Parent organizations – supporting all of our student's needs and work to build an alumni network to help with facilities and resources in conjunction with Foundation.
- Updates in playground area at Lincoln
- ELL and Read180/44 @ HS
- Second look at block schedule
- Look at PE/Health and Fitness curriculum
  - Nathan M. discussed what MS is doing differently this year
- Facility management and maintenance: Superintendent goal...
- Cultural diversity in decision-making: ELL needs/T&G needs...
- Giving kids something to do outside of school hours (wellness park)
- Auditorium
- Continue to support technology

-Goal setting session of performance discussion... change in testing... no SINA in reading - two SINA in Math

-Valedictorian/Salutatorian recognition... Archaic – students playing games their senior year... discussion held: takes pressure off top students, way of awarding academics, weighting of tougher classes, colleges will look mostly at ACT scores.

-Updated report cards from Stewart: Competency Based – Master of specific skills...

-Discussion on National Lunch Program... benefit of backpacks... same for 1<sup>st</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades...time to prepare the amount of fruits and vegetables...

Next meeting date is not scheduled at this time.