Skyline Support Association Minutes

Attendees: See sign in sheet

President & Co- President: Natalie Outslay & Emily Lyons

Secretary: Melissa Maxwell

Treasurer: Christy Grazer

Call to Order and Opening Remarks

Natalie Outslay, Co-President, brought the meeting to order on September 13, 2018 at 7:10 p.m. She also reviewed the By-Laws of Skyline Support Association.

Frank Rumford, Principal welcomed everyone and gave the Principal’s report:

* All parents/guardians who attend an SSA meeting will receive one NUM card per student who attends Skyline. (NUM card stands for No Uniform Monday) Dress down guidelines are on the back of the card.
* Please welcome these new teachers to Skyline:

Mr. David Troiano-7th grade Math Mr. Corey Backus-6th grade Science

Mr. Kye Bryant-6th grade Math Ms. Aiza McCollum-8th grade ELA

Ms. Nancy Duffy-7th grade Science Ms. Maureen Lipsett-6th grade Science

Mr. Antonio Amores-Spanish Immersion Ms. Jen Atkins-Health and PE

Ms. Katie Stephens-AVID Ms. Florence Kulundu-6th grade Special Ed.

Ms. Tracy Cameransi-Business Ed./STEM

Ms. Elizabeth Roberts-8th grade Special Ed. ELA

* Thank you for adjusting to the new drop off schedule so quickly. It has decreased the drop off time significantly. Happy parents vs. Happy teachers!
* Skyline continues to be a Title 1 Designation: Free breakfast and Lunch all school year.
* Huge thank you to Riley Brothers (Skyline Alumni) for our summer beautification project of the mulch.
* Current Enrollment-645
* Looking for a volunteer to help with Book Buddies. Afterschool reading program to elementary students at Heritage.
* The Bureau of Oral Health and Dental Services within the Delaware Division of Public Health has invited Skyline to participate in an outreach surrounding dental health screenings, educations, and resources for our students on Oct. 10th & 12th . Ms. Muffley is also conducting the required vision/hearing screenings for all 7th graders and will be connecting with the Vision to Learn van to come and screen our 7th graders as well.
* Study Island is a supplemental remediation and enrichment program we will be using during Period 5.
* Chris Herron Field Trip was on September 11th and upcoming Main Event trip is 11/2nd
* Open house is September 25th 6-8p.m.
* Our band played at UD on 9/15
* School picture day October 8th
* Every student received a chrome book this year.

**PBS:** Mr. Metrinko and Ms. Geschwindt have created a new and exciting PBS program for our students and teachers. Your children will no longer be receiving Paws cards. This is a digital token/ticket that is electronically transmitted into your child’s bank account in Clever. They will be used to purchase some spirit wear, recess, no homework passes, school trips, etc. Ask your child how much they have in their bank account today! 17,453 tickets have been awarded already this school year.

**High School Information Session:**

Kristy Basara gave a high school information session. Please contact her with any questions regarding high school applications.

**School Dances:** (run by Greta Humphey): Sign up genius will be going out closer to the dances for volunteers.

October 16th- all grades

February 8th – all grades

Winter Ball – DTBD 7th and 8th grades only

Memories Dance-DTBD 8th grade only

**SSA Budget:**

Emily Lyons reviewed the cash flow and account balances as of 9/18. Sonia Palermo and Gretchen Shahan approved the budget.

**Upcoming SSA Meetings**:

Thursday, 11/8 with a special presentation called “End the Silence” Suicide Awareness Presentation

Thursday, 1/8 Dawn Paramore-Mental Health Specialist

Thursday, 3/14 AVID presentation

Thursday, May 9th-TBD

Thursday, June 6th- elections for 2019-2020 and wrap-up

**Uniform Closet:**

We are always in need of gently used uniforms. Please think about donating your child’s today!

**Stay connected**:

Skyline’s Website: https://de01903704.schoolwires.net/skyline

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/pages/Skyline-Middle-School/127248777439620](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Skyline-Middle-School/127248777439620)

Instagram: Skyline Jaguars

Twitter: @SkylineJaguars

Contact us at: SkylineSSA@yahoo.com

**Staff Appreciation (**run by Emily Lyons):

Souper Bowl staff luncheon DTBD

Please look for a sign up genius to volunteer! If you don’t fancy the kitchen, monetary donations will be accepted as well.

**Meeting Wrap-up:**

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15p.m. Minutes will be posted on Skyline Website.

Respectfully yours,

Melissa Maxwell

Skyline Support Association Secretary

Jaguar Pride