

**Tildenville Elementary School  
SAC Minutes  
October 15, 2019, Media Center**

**Called to Order:** @ 4:02 by Joanna Mosby

**Approval of Previous Minutes:** Mrs. Black moved to approve minutes from last meeting,  
Mrs. Laso seconded

**New Business:**

1. John Miller, artist, came and talked about what parts of school and media center would be painted  
He gave example of his vision for Talented Tiger's wall and the library wall  
Voting members will be sent an email and will be able to vote on design ideas. John Miller will make a new sketch based on the suggestions.
2. Joanna Mosby suggested that we vote today on what to do about absent voting members.
  - Our bylaws state that if you miss 2 meetings then you can't be a voting member any longer
  - We can change that by voting to keep them as a voting members
  - During a discussion it was made clear that the August meeting didn't count since voting members weren't determined. So no need for vote to keep voting members
  - We will try to change bylaws to change that at the next meeting if necessary
3. Julie Hager would like to have a set of world language flags sets ...can SAC fund?
  - Principal Alvarez said SAC can't fund, but we could find another way to fund.

**Principal's report:**

1. One position still open, support clerk for front office
2. Principal discussed results of iReady testing.
  - Reading: We are a little bit off from last year
    - Third grade is higher than last year third graders
    - Fourth is lower then last year
    - Overall 48% green 40% yellow 12%
  - Math: We are lower than last year
    - 30% green 59% yellow 10% red
3. Concern was brought up to Principal Alvarez that our math scores are suffering
  - Mrs. Walker mentioned teachers are struggling to have the time to instruct in math
  - Mrs. Alvarez wants parents to sign PE waver to allow for extra 30 minutes of remediation (based on what each teacher thinks their students need)
    - Art music PE and French are included in the waiver
    - Recess every day, specials every day, AND another 30 minutes a week. the instructional teacher decides what to do with that 30 minutes every week.
    - Everyone will try to get the word out, parents on parent platform, and teachers at conference night
4. Concerns about staff members' children having preferential treatment. Ms. Alvarez said there is no preferences. She treats all students the same.
5. Parents brought up concerns about morning club tickets. Principal Alvarez will make sure that the tickets will be rationed to Tiger's Den as well as the students who are in cafeteria for breakfast
6. Principal Alvarez discussed that the school money needs to be distributed. Let's not let it be like last year. Let's not let it be a negative thing. Let's start thinking about how to divide up an approximate \$50,000
7. Book fair

- Was a great success, school earned almost \$3000
- \$1000 spent on new books for the media center

**Old Business:**

1. Hurricane day is October 17, no school October 18, no school November 25
2. Safety barricade: Joanna Mosby showed examples of a possible safety barricade for front of car line.
3. Flag replacement out front:
  - Mrs. Black went to local VFW and will be getting a new flag from them. They will also send a representative to show safety patrol how to fold flag properly.

**Open Agenda (Public Comments):**

1. Juliet Scheffer brought up concern about homework sent home that was not taught in class.
  - Principal Alvarez will speak to staff at next staff meeting

**Meeting adjourned** at 5:26 by Joanna Mosby