

**School-Based Shared Decision Making Committee
Plainview-Old Bethpage Kindergarten Center-Stratford Road
Joint Session
Minutes of Meeting January 11, 2016**

Those Attending from the K-Center

**Greg Scesney Caroline Harris
Paulette Oland Debbie Laykind
Michele Lalima
Brian Horath**

Those Attending from Stratford Road

**Alison Clark Lauren Pollack
Regina Newman Lisa Razon
Andrew Paskal Donna Candia
Julie Shishko Priscilla Seidenberg**

Facilitators: Alison Clark & Greg Scesney

Recorder: Paulette Oland

Agenda:

1. K-Center Transitioning

I. Kindergarten Center Transition

A presentation of the proposed transitions will be held the end of this month with the building principals, the Board, and members of Central Administration. In the meantime it was mentioned that all the classroom teachers, special education, and xr teachers received their assignments. These are to be considered preliminary/tentative as if any openings occur the staff members can put in for the change. Special area teachers, aides and support staff will be told when enrollment is completed. Also enrollment can be a factor in the distribution of number of classes in a building.

The packing up of the classrooms will begin in February if teachers have items they don't readily use. Brian has storage sites available. However, the classrooms will remain intact until the end of the year as will our library to keep consistency for the children. Teachers do not want boxes in the rooms.

Stratford Road first grade will be moved to the upstairs Kindergarten Center wing to share the hallway with the kindergarten classes. We were told that the Kindergarten Center library will not be used by Stratford Road classes next year. Most likely the computer lab will not either.

Kindergarten screening teams will be formed and screening will be in the elementary schools. Incoming kindergarten students will be able to visit their home schools on a day which will be arranged.

All updates to the building are being done.

Our next meeting will be held separately on March 7th.