

Old Bethpage School
 Site Base/Shared Decision Making Committee
 Meeting Minutes

FACILITATOR: Suzanne Gray, Principal
 RECORDER: Elisa Samuelson

DATE: October 28, 2015

ISSUE/TOPIC	DISCUSSION/REPORTS RECOMMENDATIONS/CONCLUSIONS ACTIONS/ FOLLOW UP
I. Call to Order, Review of Minutes	<p>Attendance: S. Gray, E. Anderson, M.Dossie, R. Farino, D. Lupia L. Lyons, E. Samuelson, B. Silverstone, M. Yannucci</p> <p>Absent: K. Goetz</p>
II. Old Business	<p>Agendas were distributed and introductions were made. Copies of the District Shared Decision Making Committee Plan were reviewed and discussed. In addition, Mrs. Gray distributed the safety letter that she wrote and e-blasted to parents. The letter outlined the various drills conducted in the school. Parents responded positively to the letter and it was decided that it would be sent out each year.</p> <p>Mr. Farino reviewed the work completed over the summer, including the removal of asbestos in many of the classrooms and the multi-purpose room. The Green house was discussed and it was shared that Buildings and Grounds members would be fixing the panels on it, so that it could be used this spring. Mrs. Dossie spoke to Susan Salem @ the Co Op near the school and she will be coming to look at the space to see how they can help us. Mr. Farino noted we should budget for a new winterized greenhouse and it was said that a parent, Mr. Pascarella , a landscaper is willing to help with the irrigation of the greenhouse.</p> <p>The digital mission statement that ws created last year will be shared with new members at the next meeting.</p>
III. New Business	<p>Mr. Farino said we should be expecting new doors with locks on the inside, and discussed the roof. Mrs. Lyons noted we need to replace the pillars at the end of the loop that were put in last summer, due to poor construction.</p> <p>Mrs. Gray told us we will be adding age appropriate playground equipment to the playground for the incoming Kindergarten class, and it was requested that additional parking and lighting be considered. This would be something that would benefit the building since additional students and families would now be present with the closing of the Kindergarten Center.</p>

	More outside lights for outdoor events were also discussed as an option for events. Electrical work is scheduled to be done next summer for all teaching areas to be air-conditioned.
V. Adjournment	Next meeting : 12/16, 2/17, 5/18, 6/15 8:15 Book Room