

Cartersville Middle School Governance Council

Our Vision:

“A Tradition of Excellence – Making It Personal”

Our Mission:

The mission of Cartersville Middle School is to equip students to become responsible, productive citizens by providing a safe, cooperative learning environment that encourages students to reach their potential.

School Governance Council Meeting
Tuesday, September 25, 2018

2018-19 Officers:

Chairperson- Charissa Pritchett

Vice Chairperson-David Caswell

Secretary-Callie Palmer

	<u>AGENDA ITEM</u>	<u>SPEAKER:</u>	<u>TIME</u>
I.	Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance, Refreshments	Charissa Pritchett Ken MacKenzie	7:00-7:05
II.	Sid Rowser, New Business Representative Sid Rowser: wife is at CHS one student in 7th grade, 2 in high school works at GA power	Ken	7:05-7:08
III.	SGC New Member Training, Jackie Pace, Rick Poe, Tonya Lutjens Sid Rowser, SGC New Member Training: helped understand what SGC is and what parents are signing up for. Different levels of the school board and government.	Members	7:08-7:13
IV.	Selections of SGC Advisory Panel Representatives Due to Ken Clouse on Friday, September 28 Selections of SGC advisory: David Caswell, Sid Rowser	Charissa	7:13-7:16
V.	New Schedule for 2018-19 -CANES TIME 2018-19 Testing New Schedule for 2018 – 19 CANES TIME we have remediation and enrichment classes. GMAS: one section per day for the grade levels start with 8th grade April 15th thru 17th ELA, Thursday April 18th will be Social Studies April 22nd thru 23rd Math and then science last April 24th, April 29th: 7th grade will start GMAS, 6th grade will go last. The online version of the test has a great deal of new tools for ALL students to use. Testing will be on the 8th grade wing. Nov 5th thru 16th Gifted testing CO has been asked to purchase only math and reading portion of ITBS. Access testing in February for ESOL students.	Debra Malone, Curr. AP	7:16-7:36

- VI. School Safety Ken, Callie 7:36-7:45
 School Safety: asked for more cameras, CMS is adopting the CHS old cameras, lobby guard has been here for several years, needs a bullet proof window. Fence needs to surround the school property in order to keep the students safe. Bus dismissal: stop traffic and the busses go through the stop signs. Large dismissal Plan needs to be in place for snow, lock down drills, etc.
- VII. Principal's Report/School News Ken 7:45-7:50
 -Attendance
 -Enrollment, 1113 Students, 371 students per grade level
 -New SPED Unit
 -Exploratory/Elective Numbers
 Attendance is number one in the district
 Enrollment is very high.
 9th grade now up to 441.
 New SPED Unit was hired and putting them in place now.
 Exploratory/ Elective Numbers are very high and we need another unit. SGC Members are concerned about the high numbers in our classes. They are really interested in information on how to go about adding an extra unit for exploratory and elective class. Mrs. Malone is going to provide information from DOE on elective and exploratory class that we could possibly add as an extra unit.
- VIII. Open 7:50- . . .
 October 4th Calendar Committee 4:05 at Central Office

The next scheduled CES School Governance Council meeting is on Tuesday, October 30, at 7:00 a. m. in our Media Center