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SBDM MEETING MINUTES, September 14, 2017 5:15PM

Roll Call

Ms. Payne called the meeting to order at 5:15 PM.

Members Present: Ms. Darla Payne, Mrs. Robin Bisig, Mr. Greg Merten, Ms. Rebecca Thomas, Mrs. Christine Forton, Ms. Amy Knight

Members Absent: None

Guests: Ms. Mary Rotatori

Opening Business

a. Agenda Approval - Approved by consensus.

b. August 10th Minutes - Approved by consensus.

c. August 3rd Minutes - Approved by consensus.

e. Good News Report -

- OMS students logged 86,220 minutes of independent reading through the Scholastic Webpage which earned our library 479 new books!
- Miss Rebecca Thomas and her classroom has been recognized as a Kentucky Autism Training Site ---- visitors will be coming to view it as a model when developing similar units.

f. Public Comment - Mrs. Rotatori shared that she saw a very positive facebook post regarding OMS "doing it right". She also said one her daughter's teachers from Ryle was very complimentary and encouraging about the use of the Summit platform preparing students for high school.

Reports

a. Activity Funds - Ms. Payne asked that the archery coaching position continue to be funded through activity funds. Council reviewed and approved by consensus.

b. SBDM Funds - Council reviewed and approved by consensus.

c. Summit Update - Several teachers will be attending a regional training on October 23rd and 24th (all Summit Team Leads, one Math teacher per grade level, 1 Special Education teacher);

- 6th grade - 75% currently on track; learning how to learn, study, persevere;
- 7th grade - 80% currently on track; working on projects in Science; major focus on Habits of Success and goal setting, informal student survey by new 7th grade team resulted in all positives, opportunities to make corrections and adjustments;
- 8th grade - 100% students on track - finishing projects, presenting to the 6th graders on "How to Survive Middle School"

d. Rosetta Stone Update - 75% of our students have logged minutes in Rosetta Stone

Old Business

a. Professional Development Plan - Policy Review (2nd Reading) - Adjustments were made to align with recent state and district changes to include removal of reference to a Program

	Review Team and the ability of the council to independently contract with professional development providers. Council reviewed and approved as presented.
New Business	a. School Profile Report - New report (replaces Program Review) to be created by KDE and approved by SBDM beginning next year as part of the new State Assessment procedure. Nothing to be done for this year.
Closed Session	None
Adjournment	Council was adjourned by consensus at 5:40 PM. The next regular SBDM Council meeting will be held on October 12, 2017 at 5:15PM in the School Media Center.