MAURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
LOCAL SCHOOL ADVISORY TEAM

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Meeting Agenda – SY2024-2025
April 13 2025, 4 pm

4:00+ pm Call to order/Welcome and Roll Call; Meeting Guidelines / Norms
(In Person) Eboni Henry, Katie Burke, Patrick Koontz, Peter Meliotis, Meika, Berlan Courtney Myers, Danielle Brasure, Emily Paterson, Lindsay Bowers, Katie Spellacy, Vanessa Duckett Virtual (Alex Zuber, Lora Nunn)

4:05 pm Community Comments and Icebreaker (2 minutes each) What are you happy or proud of in our LSAT work/your work this year?

4:08 pm LSAT Election Process for 25/26 School Year

a) Role of principal/ PTA
   i) 4 parent spots
   ii) possibility of 2 year staggered parents (decision can be decided)
   iii) possible 2 two year terms and 2 one year positions
   iv) election run by PTA, nomination by Thursday May 22 election election open Thursday after Memorial Day
b) Process→ PTA will run the ballot using DCPS template

4:20 pm Safety Protocols and Action Items

a) Current protocols: what is working?
b) Looking forward: what can improve?
   i) playground repairs necessary (facilities)
   ii) fine tuning protocols-not number of people supervising, but what does supervision look like
   iii) support from central office Becoming team around lunch/recess/classroom needs, students who exhibit Tier3 behaviors consistently
   iv) clear expectations and formalizing expectations
      (a) PreK big structure- no longer available
      (b) adults modeling in more structured environment
      (c) no cell phones but for GOLD data and pics (PreK)
      (d) schedule with individual adults for students who may need deescalation
      (e) Cross checking duty schedules/ adults for individuals for students who need more structured play
      (f) Maury historically had a Recess Coordinator (budget item to be considered)
      (g) any families have extra play equipment? Older students could use. PTA/teacher document on items needed to facilitate recess
      (h) Teachers will make list of recess items that could be donated for LSAT to put on ListServ.
      (i) Councilmember/ ANC rep and PTA and Principal do the work, tell all the thing that need to get fixed

c) Ongoing communication with families
   i) messaging to families about changes and how they are going
   ii) if something is/is not working and what adjustments need to be made

d) Next steps for leadership

4:45pm Enrollment

a) Current %
   i) as of Monday 68% enrolled, PreK filled but for Early Stages seats, as of today (Tuesday) 74%
b) Targets for end of May & June
   1) June 2 need to be at 90%, empty seats will be offered to in June
c) Incentives for families
   1) Enrollment party for 1st class re enrolled
   2) Communication that enrolling does not lose lottery seat= Communicate to 4th grade room parents and general communication

4:50 25/26 Budget

a) PTA vs. DCPS funded items
   i) not public yet, on hold until public

4:55 pm Facilities/Repairs

*major playground repairs- list of specifics needed so parents can advocate
who is the playground maker? Still under warranty?

a) Water fountain outside-pending
b) Exterior panels on outside of gym-pending
c) Rodent issues-pending

-HVAC issues looming, reached out to escalate several times, Patrick will follow up so parents can know what/how to advocate

4:55 pm Community Questions and New Business

5:00 pm Adjourn

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