

Agenda & Minutes for WAYNE SEPAG

Meeting Time/Location: 2-20-2019, Preakness School, 9:30 am

Members Present: SEPAG President, SEPAG reps: Dr. Alifya Chenni JFK, Debbie Mazzie Packanack, Lisa DeGrandpre Randall Carter,

District Representatives: Dr. Strauss, Dr.Sir, Mrs. Varano, Mrs. Monaco

Guest Presenters: Mr. Jason Colatrella, CSW, Ms. Ritkes, Transition Teacher and Jazlis Perez, DVRS District Liasion

Next Meeting: May 7, 2019, Preakness School, 9:30 am

Agenda Item	Person Initiating	Summary of Discussion/Task List	Action Decision	Person to Follow-Up	Target Date Completion
Informational Transition Presentation	Jason Colatrella, CSW Ms. Ritkes, Transition Teacher	Transition 18-21 Preparation, Planning and Paperwork	(N/A)	(N/A)	(N/A)
Abilities Awareness Committee	Mrs. Varano, Mrs. Monaco	Teachers, parents, and administrators planning future activities to involve all schools	Further discussion at next meeting on March 7 @ 6 pm. AWMS	Mrs. Varano	On-going
Feedback on Transition Presentation	District Input	As follow up to a parental concern re: CST visiting outside placement for Post 21 students	SSS propose monthly visitations to offsite placements for parents and CST preparing for Post21	Dr. Sir, Mrs. Varano	Next School Year
Feedback on Transition Presentation	Parent Input	Need to consolidate all related transition materials, paperwork, information in a Parent Transition Packet, with FAQ	SEPAG & SSS will work on making a clear and concise packet for parents	SEPAG & SSS	On-going

District Address on Goals & Updates	Director of SSS SEPAG President	<u>Goals #1 Programs</u>	Request review of Para Handbook, have further discussion on para possible training topics and motivation to participate. Share parent survey feedback at next meeting re:Paras	SEPAG & SSS	On-Going
		<p>No Behavioral Class being formulated this year Ryerson will have 2 Integrated Kindergarten classes SOARS will be in Middle School Focus shift to making current programs better.</p> <p><u>Goal #2: Paras</u> Have access to online training through “Rethink” & use of technology for collecting data</p> <p><u>Goal #3 Data</u> To include Related Services</p> <p><u>Goal #4 Parent Training</u> Has had positive result however need more parent participation</p> <p>Speech & Language workshop for PreK Parents March 20th</p>	<p>Discussed what is the possible number of students in BD with a 1 teacher and 1 class para.</p> <p>Discussed forming a model class for parent observation and interest</p>		

<p>SEPAG &. WSPA Parent Survey Results</p>	<p>SEPAG President</p>	<p><u>SSS Goal# 1</u> Parents stated that they want to see more consistency and continuity of educational programs that are used from elementary to middle, and middle to HS as well as more inclusion</p> <p><u>SSS Goal #2</u> Majority agreed on more training -academic areas and crisis management -meets needs of students -veteran paras communicate with former paras on best practices, personalities, and skills -increase para’s knowledge of student’s IEP, BIP</p> <p><u>SSS Goal #3</u> 10 out of 22 parents not aware of Realtime, issues with teachers inputting progress and in a timely fashion</p>	<p><u>Next Step:</u> Look at programs from each level being used and is successful, request teacher training, use parent/teacher feedback on the results of those program</p> <p><u>Next Step:</u> Review Para Handbook, discussion of para inclusion in IEP meetings</p> <p><u>Next Steps:</u> Parents receive uniformed letter with info on Realtime and log in access. Notification via email at every marking period to access Realtime for progress</p>	<p>SEPAG & SSS</p>	<p>On-going</p>
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District Update	Director of SSS	Status of Occupational Therapy @ AWMS & Wayne Hills	Possible approval for 3 Part-time positions, all missed sessions will be made up. Parents will be informed when services will begin and provider info Stated letter to parents will be sent out end of February	Student Support Services Team	N/a

STARS Update & News	Mrs. Varano, Mrs. Monaco	STARS will be expanded to other schools After school Event Based on earlier discussion on more inclusiveness in after school activities and sports	New STARS schools: James Fallon, Lafayette, Packanack Spring Fling Event- STARS & Mentors Wayne Hills to implement first Unified Special Olympics next School year		N/a
ESY Parent Survey on Summer Program	Mrs. Monaco	Received parent survey results	Survey results will be shared at next SEPAG Meeting	Mrs. Monaco & SSS	N/A

Possible Agenda Items for Next Meeting:	Odds and Ends List Next Meeting Date
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Further Analysis of Parental Survey Results-SEPAG & WSPA 2) Review of all Transition Information provided to create online Resource Packet 3) Issue of Paraprofessional to Parent Communication (as per Para Handbook) 4) Discuss Feedback from Summer Program and Possible Areas of Improvement 	

