ISSAQUAH SCHOOL DISTRICT 411

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Sara Jo Pietraszewski , Principal

Site Council Minutes January 19, 2016
3:30 - 4:30 Challenger Library

In attendance: Sara Jo Pietraszewski, Jen Laramore, Heather Wolter, Kelly Cespedes, Nancy Trapp-Chen, Paula Nocente-Casey, Laura Saiki, and Lib Kell.

1. Call to Order
2. Principal Report
    - Staffing Update: lead custodian and support secretary are both in the process of being hired right now. Shannon Leonard is the new office manager/principal's secretary. Joel Sayson took a job at Issaquah Middle School and Danna Colingham is the new Admin. Assistant at the district
    - ITBS Testing for 2nd grade for HCAP last week of January
    - MLK Jr. Assembly – thank you to everyone that helped make it a meaningful assembly.
    - Story Teller in Feb. thanks to our PTA!
    - SIP Update – Sara Jo presents to the ISD school board on January 20th and copies of the CH SIP were distributed for reference.
    - New Student FAQs – Site Council gave suggestions and feedback to this document and the website layout
    - Security Cameras are up and running now at Challenger. There are 35.
3. Staff Report

    K/1: liquids and solids, How To books in writing
    2/3: communities, opinion writing, Jr. Achievement, information books, fossils, thank you to Science to Go and PTA, and guest speaker Bob Jackson, a geologist
4. PTA Report
    - Jan. 22nd Multi-cultural night cancelled because there isn't a chair
    - Saturday – Value Village 5th grade fundraiser
    - Feb. 26th Book Swap from 6-8pm
    - Golder Acorn and Outstanding Educator nominations are available in the office and on the PTA website and the reception will be Friday, March 4th in the MPR at 3:00-3:30pm
    - Special guest speaker, Amy Lang, of the "Birds and the Bees" will be at Challenger on Wednesday, April 6th at 7pm.
5. Parent Report
6. District Report
    - Bell Time Feedback – Thought Exchange
    - Bond and Levy Information
7. New Business?
8. Adjourn