Leadership Meeting Notes

April 9, 2012

BEST

Reviewed BEST rubric and scored our progress on implementation. Made notes and discussed recommendations for improvement.

Recycled Glass Class

The class can accommodate 8 people.

Possible dates: Jun 1-3 or June 8-10. Begins Friday evening at 5:00 and ends Sunday at 3:00.

Ask teachers if they’d like to attend. (Wed. staff meeting)

Power Hour dates

April 11, April 25, May 2 so teachers can prep for open house.(Wed. staff meeting)

Open House

May 9 from 6:00 – 7:30.

Ideas below were brainstormed regarding the structure of Open House:

* Would prefer a unique experience for parents and students
* Artful Learning Showcase: What is Artful Learning?
* Student/Parent docents
* Scavenger Hunt and Map to guide guests
* Start: MU Room and Introduce the experience and Map the event
* New Art on Moving Walls and Hallways (Staff Meeting discussion)
* Read the Wall
* Boys & Girls Club support and involvement
* Computer Lab – Log onto ST Math
* Visit 3 classrooms
* Visit Art Center – keyboarding, music, and dance
* Afterschool Specials – Possibly papermaking experience
* Videos of Specials
* AL Experience – Experience, Inquire, Create, Reflect
* Book Faire possibly in Room 17
* Create brochure
* Tickets received for visiting each classroom. Tickets placed in a drawing for books.
* Parents ask questions at each station as students guide and answer questions.
* Parents use Post Its to write questions or comments on a poster in the MU Room. The poster shows quadrants: I saw, I know, I wonder, I dream.

Jog-a-thon

May 4

Kick off assembly

Pam to meet with Julie and plan

2012-13 School Year

Schedule for Unit Implementation:

* TRIBES - Aug. 15 – 31 (Talk to Miki about unifying school-wide project)
  + Tribe Names, Procedures, Rules, BEST, Unifying theme for each classroom. Possibly create and hang on a hook outside classroom.
* Artful Learning Unit 1 – Sept. 4 – Nov. 16
* Artful Learning Unit 2 – Nov. 26 – Feb. 28
* Artful Learning Unit 3 – March 4 – May 31

Schedule for unit development:

* Artful Learning Planning - June 11-15
  + Goal: Determine Concept, Masterwork and Skeleton of Inquiry Centers for both Artful Learning Units 1 and 2.
* GLAD Training and Unit Planning – June 18-21
* Artful Learning Unit Development – June 22
* Orders due by June 21. Lori will work June 22 to organize orders for Christina. Christina will work during the summer to submit orders.