

Lake Joy Primary
School Council
Minutes
February 24, 2016

Present: Dr. April Greene, Jodi Short, Michi Dunmon, Leah Lightner, Amy Etheridge, Shaun Buller and Shivani Taneja.

April Greene started the meeting with the pledge. She then opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

The agenda for the meeting was reviewed. Leah Lighter then made a motion to approve the agenda. Jodi Short seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

The minutes of the December meeting were reviewed. Jodi Short then made a motion to approve the minutes. Amy Etheridge seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

The first order of business was discussion of the CCRPRI and LJES 3rd grade Milestone (GMAS) scores – As of now we have a score of 92.8%. This comes from 3rd grade LJES students that were previously in our building as 2nd graders. Some parts have been released for the systems to correct any misinformation.

Dr. April Greene gave an update of our 2nd grade Math Mid-Year Benchmark Assessment. This test asks the questions in a very similar way of the Milestones. Dr. Greene also went over the shift in the way the questions are asked. There is almost a 3 part questioning system (the right answer, the work that the student did to get the answer, and the explanation of the problem with written words).

Dr. Greene went over the next steps for LJPS. Teachers are differentiating in all subject areas. Professional development will be focused on DI in Math to teach deeper questioning and higher level thinking. Teachers will participate in Math fluency training on 2/16/16 and 2/25/16.

Future school council dates:

4/6/16 @ 7:30

4/28/16 @ 6 pm – Elections

5/18/16 @ 7:30

April Greene made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Leah Lightner seconded the motion. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 24, 2016

