

HOS Report 7/21/22

Read Well by Third Grade

This report (Consent Agenda folder) was submitted along with the required data to MDE on 6/22/22 (due 7/1/22).

Hiring

Laura Kruger; Erdkinder Social World
Megan Baker-Hunger: Children's House 2
Erd math-2 interviews completed
Paraprofessional-2 interviews completed
Counselor-no candidates
Food Service assistant-1 interview conducted
Shifted Jen Bouceck to E2C classroom assistant

Resignations

Greta Bacon

Summer School

Summer school is underway. There was not enough interest for an Erdkinder group, but the others are in full swing. The goal of the program is to act as a bridge between last school year and the upcoming one. It overlaps with ESY as well. It is unlikely that we will have a full summer program again next summer, as there won't be federal funding that we leveraged this year and last. We could consider fully embracing Targeted Services through HVED if that is the direction we feel is best. That would offer funding for summer, with the requirement of running the program during the school year as well.

VOA

The annual submission calendar and the annual Pledge of Compliance docs are in the Consent Agenda folder. The Pledge of Compliance will be submitted assuming approval of the Consent Agenda.

Committee reports

Committees don't meet during the summer, but work is being done in their areas. The fire lane sewer drains are being repaired, and the parking lot will be resurfaced in August. The non-binary bathroom addition is underway. It is right in-line with the other student bathrooms across from the library. Andy has resurfaced the delivery room floor so it can be used for dry food storage. The delivery room lights are being replaced for that same reason. Hallway and gym rewaxing is set for August 11. Andy is working on all other spaces. The office work from the broken pipe is now complete, as Maddie has recently completed repainting the space. New countertops have been installed as well, which is part of a separate project.

Mike Slaggie is scheduled to meet with the finance committee earlier today to discuss the endowment account and its investments.

Policy Review

We are very close to having reviewed all policies as suggested by MSBA. Next we will be importing a new family handbook template, and augmenting it to be Bluffview specific. That process will include moving some of our old policies to the handbook as procedures. The dress code policy has been pulled out and tabled as we plan to work on that separately.

Children's House

Children's House is full, and we are now generating a waiting list of pre-school children.

Divvy

BerganKDV has asked us to change the way we purchase items, so we will be moving away from the Merchants Debit card to a credit card (no fees) with Divvy, a subset of Bill.com which they already have us using. This offers a higher level of security, multiple cards, and a much higher level of efficiency for BerganKDV.