

The FHM Mission: Through the Montessori philosophy, we inspire every child to learn and grow as a responsible global citizen in a collaborative, peaceful, and safe environment.

The FHM Vision: We seek to transform our community by developing students who pursue their full potential, understand their global responsibilities, and respect others, self, and the environment.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY COMMITTEE Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday April 6th, 2016

Time: 5:30 - 7:00 pm

Location: Free Horizon Montessori, 581 Conference Place, Golden, Colorado 80401

Handouts: Teacher survey scores 2016; Rough draft of Presentation to BOD

Attending: Suzanne Schaefer, Morgan Ruvolo, David Wells, Eric Smith, Bree Goans, Kathryn Lanzillo, Heather

Smith, Amanda Shaub,

Mission and Vision - Read by Bree Goans.

Community Comment

None

Topics of Discussion

Staff Survey

54 staff members took the survey. Short review of the responses. The comments had not been opened for review. Morgan will build a summary of the top five and bottom five responses similar to the family survey summary. Assimilation of new staff members into the FHM culture and the use of testing data were among the lower scores.

Review the draft presentation tfor the Annual School Meeting of SAC activities and findings. Morgan and Bree will polish the draft and Morgan will present.

Board Update

Changes to BOD elections next year. BOD will be 7 members instead of 9 to help ensure fully active and participating members. New this year staff and Admin will be allowed to vote as voting will be done electronically. The budget will remain mostly the same with a small increase in teacher training.

Calendar

Spring Fling April 16th Bike to School Day May 4th Last day of school May 27th

Next Meeting: This was the last meeting of the SAC this year. We will reconvene in the fall.