

# Carrigan Intermediate School School Governance Council Minutes October 4, 2012



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Present:

Andrea Blakeslee, Robin Cannon, Christina DeCrescenzo, Courtney Dorsi, Latanya Joyner, Rebecca Kerzner, Toni Paine, AJ Palermo, Frank Paolino, Ronald Quagliani, Debra Ronan, Amy Tirillo, Rich Weber

- ✓ The council is in need of one teacher and two parents. Amy and Andrea will see the support of a teacher. AJ will reach out to a few fifth grade parents.
  
- ✓ The Ground Rules and Bylaws were given out for each council member to read.
  
- ✓ AJ presented the revised Data Team form and focused on Step 4 (Choosing Instructional Strategies) & Step 5 (Results Indicator). She also explained the roles (Recorder, Timekeeper, Focus Monitor and Engaged Participants) that teachers are assigned during the Data Team Meeting.

- ✓ There is SRBI (small group instruction) in reading AND math this year.
  
- ✓ An updated School Improvement Plan will be given during the next meeting.
  
- ✓ What is our FOCUS this year? We will focus on the Common Core Standards and try to get parents involved and educated on our new curriculum. We will have a Math Night and an English Language Arts Night. The council will make every effort to have these special nights before our December break. Winkle Bus company will be contacted to see if they would provide transportation. We will look into providing food and child care.
  
- ✓ The next meeting will be held at 6:00 pm on Thursday, November 1, 2012. The facilitators will be Christina DeCrescenzo and Courtney Dorsi.

Respectfully Submitted,

Latanya Joyner