# Eagle Academy School Accountability Committee

May 11, 2020 (Remote) 5:00-6:00 PM

## **Agenda and Minutes**

Mission: Eagle Academy is committed to providing students with a relevant learning experience that facilitates personal and academic exploration. Is anchored by Growth Mindset principles, which include nurturing confidence, applauding determination, grit and embracing creativity.

Vision: Eagle Academy embraces a caring and positive family model empowering students to gain confidence and take initiatives building a fulfilling future founded on personal balance and healthy, nurturing relationships.

### DCSD Strategic Themes

- Health, safety and social-emotional supports for students
- Positive and supportive culture
- Post-graduation guidance and preparation
- Aligned curriculum with flexible instructional delivery
- Equitable distribution of resources
- Recruitment, retention and development of high-quality employees

#### **Eagle Academy SAC Membership:**

Sue Mehrotra - Chairperson

Deena Brown – Vice-Chairperson/DAC LiaisonClaudia Delgado – Community Member

Denise O'Malley – Parent Member

Andrea Rietsch – Teacher

Giuliana Battaglioli – Principal Secretary

Jeff Broeker - Principal

### In attendance:

Rachel Brekke - Security Specialist Ted Bathauer- SRO, City of Lone Tree

#### Welcome

- o Check-in with SAC
- o Approve Feb 24, 2020 Minutes
  - We approved the minutes

#### Safety/Security Update

- Community Ted
- New District Security System Rachel
  - Per Rachel, the District purchased it and potentially installed it over the summer. Not confident on that
  - Training doesn't see many changes from the current one. More cameras and better views. It is district-wide. It is probably on hold
  - Still waiting for an official start date.
  - Per Claudia- she had requested to move a sign to get a better view of the hallway. Still has not been done yet.
  - We do have cameras on the stairwells

#### Eagle News:

- Testing
  - On hold with State/Federal
  - The big one are SAT and PSAT. They are looking into the fall testing for seniors.
  - Whiten Talmag is monitoring those dates
  - Not hearing PSAT will be offered in the fall
  - ASVAB in Spring was lost. We will try and reschedule
    - Great data that 28/35 earned their competency
    - Can retest whenever

#### Volunteer/Community News:

- Friday Food Distributions
  - Per Rachael- every Friday great turnout. Slow at first. We do 60 sack lunches, wellness packs and volunteer donations for entire meal for family
  - Hygiene items in addition
  - 32 to 35 families are getting car full of donations
  - They are so grateful
    - Per Sue, she has been dropping off- how long to continue.
      - Per Rachael- next 3 week. Then after that just a meal kit
      - Is there a team that organizes it? How does the communication
      - Per Rachael not sure
      - Per Becca, per Heather it will be 3 more weeks. We don't know the frequency plans after these weeks.
      - We are not sure what the District will do this summer
      - Need to simplify this for our volunteers.
      - Should Sue reach out to her? She would like more plan information.
      - Per Jeff- we are an anomaly for the District. There is information for families to get through the District. Not sure if beyond the 29th
      - On the 29th have graduate pick up between 12-2
        - Caps, gowns and yard signs

- Also have cords
- All go in the trunks
- o Teachers can be there

#### Prom Update

- Jeff said we were given a 3K donation from the District. We will still have money for next year!
- Still going to do it. We will reach out to this year's grads to come next year.

## • Updates:

- Remote Learning
  - Teachers- getting 70% connecting
  - Getting 50% who are consistent in their work
  - Our 4th quarter kids did not have prior grades. We had to come up with something to capture their work. We honor the attempt and hold them harmless
  - We use grades for progress- if they fail it will go on their transcript as a "withdraw" and no F on the transcript
  - Per Becca- she has reached out to students. She realized that the kids are really struggling. Some of the kids are not accessing class due to substances. Kids are struggling with mental health. They have a lot of pain and guilt.
    - She is calling all kids that have a number. Telling them we care about them!
    - Most kids need those relationships and contacts
  - Per Denise- thank you for reaching out to all. Very comforting
  - Per Claudia- getting access for our kids- there are places that are struggling- thank you!
  - Per Giuliana- our District has given out 8K devices for our kids

#### Mental Health

- We touch base with counselors all the time. They might not do the academic but check in with the counselors.
- Every one of our kids can be struggling and they are busy
- They are tracking the students to make sure all are reached or effort to reach them
- They are making sure all kids have some communication with someone!
- We meet every Monday and have a standing meeting. We get a lot of information.
  - Always talk about kids!

### Budget

- Per Jeff- our SBB, we don't get carry over like other schools
- Use it or lose it. Usually use that money to resupply for next year (science, art)

- However, this last month had almost 60K left, we gave some back and not use it all
- We were supposed to look at expenditure through June. Our District said curriculum needs now, not next year.
- We had 25K for wall construction in the computer lab and needed that for the counselor for privacy. It is 6K to pay for that
- We ordered more cords and medals to make sure we did not run out
- Per Guiliana, we put in supplies for the office and classroom. Paid for computer tables stored in her garage
- We will give about ½ money back to the District. Medical expenses will probably go to the employee.
- It could be a wash for our employees. They still have to vote on these.
- May 15th meeting will determine these
- We are fine on our budget. It was approved in January. Not sure if it will be trimmed- wait and see. Hopeful we will not lose anyone

#### Public Comment

- No public comment at this time on remote
- Universal Improvement Plan (UIP)
  - Jeff is working on it. We have been wrapping up Star and getting i-Ready.
  - Capture the changes on the UIP
  - We are tracking the data on our specific populations. We don't track FRO.
    - We have started to tracking credit incoming and progress after that
    - We explain that in the UIP to arrest their concerns.
    - i-Ready will capture growth
    - ASVAB will add to workforce readiness.
    - All this needs to be added to the UIP
    - We monitor the attendance. We have shown steady growth on attendance
    - Our AEC application was approved and done in March. 90% or higher have an at-risk criteria

#### Future Meetings

• Have one in late August? TBD. Want to be in building if possible

Next Meeting - Aug 2020 - TBA 5:00-6:00 PM