



School Leadership Team Meeting
October 23, 2019

Presiding Officer: Mr. Braxton G. Becoats

Principal: Ms. Neodria Brown

Mission

Ranson IB is a passionate community that is student centered, building leaders who are globally prepared agents of social change.

Objective

By the end of today's meeting, members will have a better understanding of the SLT structure, partnerships, School Improvement Plan, Title IX, and Ranson's Homecoming.

Agenda

Present: Alford, Becoats, Brown, Hall, Holmes, Jackson, Middleton, Pounds, Turner, Wallin, Watson

****This meeting was held on October 30, 2019. ****

1. Call to Order
 - a. The meeting was called to order at 4:46 pm by Chair Becoats.
2. Adoption of Agenda
 - a. There was a motion to adopt the meeting agenda by Mr. Middleton and a second Ms. Holmes.
 - b. There was no discussion on the motion.
 - c. The motion passed unanimously.
3. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - a. September 25, 2019 (Swearing In & Oath of Office Ceremony)
 - b. October 9, 2019 (School Improvement Plan)
 - i. There were no corrections to the meeting minutes for September 25, 2019 and October 9, 2019.
 - ii. As no corrections were needed, the meeting minutes for both the September 25 & October 9, 2019 School Leadership Team meetings were both approved.



4. Overview of Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws, Rules of Order, & Robert's Rules of Order
 - a. Chair Becoats overviewed the Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws, Rules of Order, & Robert's Rules of Order.
 - b. The Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws can be found [here](#).
 - c. The Ranson I.B. Rules of Order can be found [here](#).
 - d. Robert's Rules of Order can be found [here](#).
5. Final Adoption of Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws & Rules of Order
 - a. There was a motion to adopt the Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws & Rules of Order by Mr. Middleton. There was a second by Ms. Holmes.
 - b. There was discussion on the matter.
 - i. Mr. Watson asked that the Ranson I.B. Middle School Bylaws & Rules of Order be submitted for review.
 - c. The motion passed 10-1.

At this point in the meeting, Mr. Becoats asked that Sharay Jackson introduce herself and the position that she holds on the School Leadership Team.

6. Nominations
 - a. Vice Chairperson
 - b. Recorder/Secretary
 - i. Chair Becoats reminded members that he is seeking individuals to serve in both the Vice Chairperson & Recorder/Secretary position.
 - ii. Should you be interested in either of these positions, please e-mail Mr. Becoats at braxtong.becoats@cms.k12.nc.us.
7. Committee Assignments
 - a. Oversight Committee
 - b. Partnership Committee
 - c. School Improvement Plan Committee
 - i. Chair Becoats reminded members that he desires to have SLT work through committees. Chair Becoats reminded members that he desires to have the following committees: Oversight, Partnership, School Improvement Plan, and Elections.
 - ii. Should you be interested in serving as a committee chair, please e-mail Mr. Becoats at braxtong.becoats@cms.k12.nc.us.



- iii. Additional information on committee assignments will be discussed once committee chairs are chosen and appointed.
8. Overview of Title IX
 - a. Chair Becoats provided an overview of the Title IX process.
 - b. Chair Becoats reminded all SLT members to take the Title IX training if they have not already done so.
 - c. At Ranson, Ms. Weddington is over the Title IX process. All Title IX cases need to be reported to Ms. Weddington and/or any other administrator at Ranson.
9. School Improvement Plan Staff Vote
 - a. Chair Becoats announced that there were 44 responses to the School Improvement Plan vote. The final vote was 97.7% Yes and 2.3% No.
 - b. Chair Becoats asked that each consistency group representative remind their Grade Level and/or Department to vote on SLT & SIP matters.
10. YMCA Partnership
 - a. There was a YMCA partnership meeting that was held on October 23, 2019. The following are the highlights of the meeting:
 - i. The McCrory YMCA will partner with us to do activities such as Ride in-Ride Out, Zumba, Line Dancing, Yoga, Free Passes to give out to Staff, Students will be able to get 25 free lessons for swim.
 1. The goal of this partnership is to help strengthen the partnerships within our community.
 - ii. It was also discussed about having incentive parties at the YMCA & utilizing the YMCA personal trainers for athletics and staff wellness. Additionally, it was also discussed about providing transportation from Ranson to YMCA for scholars to participate in afterschool programs and any other YMCA initiatives.
11. Homecoming 2019
 - a. Please attend the Ranson IB Homecoming 2019 festivities.
12. Additional Discussion Items
 - a. Ms. Alford highlighted ACE for Hispanic Heritage Month. Members of the School Leadership Team discussed other ways to highlight our scholars, their families, and heritage. The following items came up:
 - i. Identity & Self Affirmation
 - ii. International Day



- b. It was expressed by members of the School Leadership Team that Ranson IB Middle School needs more cultural community partnership in order to help us reach all families at Ranson IB Middle School. These requests should be directed to the Student Support Team who meets every other Monday at 2:00 pm in Ranson's Media Center.
 - c. Ms. Jackson discussed an additional community partnership with CPCC.
 - d. Members of the School Leadership Team also discussed staff support at athletic events at Ranson IB Middle School. Principal Brown offered a response to the discussion.
13. Adjournment
- a. The meeting was adjourned at 5:07 pm.