WILLIS SAC MEETING

Attendees: Bill Stenger, Michelle Danowski, Deborah Hossenlopp, Jillanne Conelias, Tricia Eckstrom, Caitlin Saviano, Chris Robertson, James Fox, Kristan Schwab, Crystal Rothhaar

Meeting called to order at 6:05pm

1. Old Business
   1. Minutes approved from September
   2. Dates for remaining SAC meetings: 1/11, 2/22, 3/28, 4/25, 5/23
   3. Community position to be held by Kristan Schwab
2. New Business
   1. Sidewalk Study – done by District annually but this is on a larger scale

* To submit to District sidewalks that may need improvement so children can walk to school in a safer manner
* 2 miles and closer are in the walking zone
* District then indicates needs and it’s given to Manatee County and they decide what needs to be fixed
* Based on a review of the map, it was determined that there are no sidewalks which need improvement
  1. Review of Bi-laws
* Selection of members – currently it states that it must be a “parent”, but recommended that it say parent/legal guardian
* Motion to approve changes by James, seconded by Chris Robertson. Vote taken and approved

1. Principal Update
   1. Safety

* Cones were put out to stop people from using handicap parking spaces but initially some were just driving over the cones. The situation has improved.
* Minimal parking in the bus lane
* Very few are now cutting across the bus loop drive or grass area and instead walking students down and around on the sidewalk
  1. Staffing
* Currently at approximately 752 students with additional students coming after Thanksgiving
* 1 aide resigned this month
* 2 new aides were hired – one because of resignation and one because of 10-day student count: Melissa Diaz and Maria Macelli
* 1 custodian recently resigned so the open position is now posted

Motion to adjourn and seconded at 7:15pm.