Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Student Voice in Action Committee Monday, March 18, 2024 @ Canton High School Media Center Agenda

Committee Attendees: Addison Newhouse, E'Leena Bullock, Emma Krupa, Evan Zhen, Evayla Georgieva, Hudson Lloyd, Iniya Mudaliyar, John Sadowski, Joshua Patterson, Juliet Jakubik, Mahika Srivastav, Max Krinke, Riley Tulgetske, Riley Zajas, Saee Pawar, Sophia North, Sudeeksha Jois, Sylvia Black, Yash Kalani, Zachary Patterson, Superintendent Monica Merritt, Secretary Anupam Chugh Sidhu, Vice President Lauren Christenson, Liz Vartanian-Gibbs, and McKenna Pierce

Call to Order and Introductions

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by Saee Pawar. The subcommittee went around and introduced themselves.

Review Minutes from February 26, 2024

Saee Pawar asked the SVA committee to review the minutes. The minutes from February 26, 2024, were reviewed. The meeting notes from February 26, 2024, the motion to move was made by Zachary Patterson and seconded by Sophia North. Everyone in attendance approved the February 26, 2024 meeting minutes.

Welcome from Co-Chairs and Review SVA Norms

The SVA committee reviewed the new printed posters containing the committee's 2023-2024 norms.

Citizens Comments

Hudson Lloyd asked if students were allowed to sell items without administration approval.

Nutrition Services

Gina Stanford, Interim Director of Nutrition Services, and Ann Whetstone, Food and Nutrition Dietician Coordinator, brought a variety of snacks from their vendor for the SVA committee members to sample and provide feedback. The samples are provided by a manufacturer. The nutritional values are one of the main factors in bringing food items to the district. These "sweet crackers" are sweetened with apples, contain whole grains, and are low in sugar. Students were asked to complete a survey about each snack they sampled at the committee meeting. Maple Waffle Snaps, Mixed Berry Animal Crackers, Chocolate Chip Waffle Snaps, Crispy Granola Bites, and Veggie Sticks were among the snacks brought for sampling. Overall, students were extremely pleased and surprised with the taste and quality of the snacks.

The next step is to create a subcommittee within SVA to create an audio message or video to be sent out to the schools in P-CCS. This message will relay the information Nutrition Services has shared with SVA about dietary restrictions, how menu items are chosen, new snack options, and more.

Dress Code in the Student Handbook: Poster Design

Students were split into groups by school and were tasked with designing a poster. The poster will include a QR code that takes students to a Google Form asking for feedback on the current P-CCS dress code. The posters will be posted in each middle and high school building.

Update on Board of Education Meeting and Subcommittee Meetings

Students provided updates from each of the other subcommittee meetings.

Finance & Operations Committee Minutes

Policy Advisory Committee Minutes

Student Performance and Achievement (SPA) Committee Minutes

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m. by Joshua Patterson.

Upcoming Meetings

Monday, April 15, 2024 Monday, May 20, 2024