# Parent Engayement Opportunities 

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Lisa SIChoia, Principal 2023-2024

## Agenda

- Literacy Action Plan Vision Development
- PTO
- Site Council



## Literacy Action Plan

- We are seeking 2-3 parents who would like to be part of the development of the RCMS Literacy Vision in alignment with the district Literacy Action Plan.
- Facilitated by HILL for Literacy
- An education nonprofit that helps teachers better translate literacy research and assessment data into highly effective instruction that results in long-term success
- The commitment is:
- October 23: 2:45-4:45
- October 30: 2:45-4:45
- Please email Lisa Sleboda/Principal by the end of the day Friday, Oct 20th if you are interested: slebodal@randolph.k12.ma.us


## PTO

- Support \& improve school environment for students, parents and staff
- Strive to enhance educational experience
- Promote communication and partnership between home and school
- Fundraise to support school and students
- Sponsor election of the SSC
- Please contact:
- Lisa Sleboda, Principal (slebodal@randolph.k12.ma.us)
- Micah Logan, PTO President (micahlogan1@gmail.com)



## What is a School Site Council?

- A representative, school building-based committee
- Composed of the principal, parents, teachers, community member(s)
- Required to be established by each school pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 71, Section 59C.



## Who is to be on the council?

- Parents of students at RCMS
- Seeking 1 parent per grade level
- Teachers
- 1:1 Teacher Parity
- Not more than $50 \%$ shall be non school members
- Representative of the student body
- Community member(s)



## Council's Responsibility

- Family and Community Engagement portion of the School Improvement Plan
- Set goals for the coming year
- Engage in discussions about the school budget
- Suggest ideas for new procedures


## Responsibility <br> 

## Membership Selection

- Parent members are to be selected by the parents of students attending the school
- Elections are held by the local recognized parent-teacher organization (PTO)
- Teacher members are to be selected by the teachers in the school.
- The process needs to be fair, open and without the influence of the school committee, superintendent, or principal.
- Non-school members may be recruited by principals directly or selected by the organizations that are invited to send representatives to the council.



## Nomination Forms Due Friday October 20th

Randolph Community Middle School
School Site Council
2023-2024

## What is School Site Council (SSC)?

School Site Councils are an excellent way to build strong partnerships between the school and our families. By bringing educators and tamilies together in a decision-making process, all stakeholders have an opportunity to work together to increase student

How often does School Site Council Meet?
SSC meets 4 times a year for $1-2$ hours. The day of the month and time will be determined by the SSC each year.

What kind of work does SSC do?
SSC usually works on the Family and Community Engagement portion of the School Improvement Plan to set goals for the coming year. The SSC also engages in discussions about the school budget and can suggest ideas for new procedures.
Who can be on the SSC?
Any family member who has a child currently enrolled at RCMS.
When is the election?
The election will take place in late October
When are nominations due?
You may nominate yourself or someone else. Nominations are due Friday, October 20th.

Submit form/indication of interest to Micah Logan, micahlogan1@gmail.com


