

Shared Decision Making Meeting
Thursday, November 1, 2007

In Attendance: Mac Knight, Susan Prier, Jeanne Cameron, Lois Meyer

Agenda Items:

Recruitment and Publicity

1. Members reviewed the mission statement
2. Current publicity of committee meetings include website and message board
Suggestions to improve publicity include:
 - a. putting a PSA on Channel 6
 - b. send district wide emails to faculty, staff and students
 - c. place announcement in newspaper in the community section prior to each meeting
 - d. have the committee sponsor a dance
3. Other ways to get input from community, faculty, staff students:
 - a. suggestion box in Main Office created by students
 - b. information booth during Open House with a member present to answer questions
 - c. Mr. Knight will create a pamphlet to be sent home in report cards
 - d. A suggestion was made to have t-shirts made up with our committee name
 - e. A listening campaign was discussed; however it was decided that Mrs. Petaja was needed to clarify its purpose and the development of such a campaign

Homework Surveys

1. It was decided that the number of surveys returned by parents was too few to make any statistical analysis; however comments were reviewed by the committee. A possible reason for the small number of surveys returned maybe the result of timing – surveys were sent home with students in 35 week report cards.
2. The committee looked at the student survey results. Ms. Cameron volunteered to compile the results into a reader friendly format.
3. The committee will discuss these results at the next meeting.

Next scheduled meeting: Thursday, December 6, 2007