



Town of Reading Meeting Minutes

Board - Committee - Commission - Council:

School Council -Joshua Eaton Elementary

Date: 2018-03-13

Time: 1:15 PM

Building: School - Joshua Eaton

Location: Conference Room

Address: 365 Summer Avenue

Session: Open Session

Purpose: School Council Meeting

Version: Final

Attendees: **Members - Present:**

LisaMarie Ippolito, Co-Chair, Erin Gaffen, Co-Chair, Susie Libby, Sandy Emery, Jaime Quinn

Members - Not Present:

Liz Gustavsen

Others Present:

Minutes Respectfully Submitted By: LisaMarie Ippolito

Topics of Discussion:

1. Call to order
2. Old Business

A. January minutes accepted

3. New Business

- a. Updates to the school Improvement Plan Action Steps
 - Discussed the progress of all three goals towards the SIP
 - Some action steps are ongoing at this time
- b. New PTO Format for Meetings
 - These changes are in progress
 - Tonight's meeting is at Nero, they are varying the locations to promote collaboration among families.
 - Eboard meetings will now include executive positions and chair positions
 - Shortening the number of meetings, parents have shared wanting to participate in things, but too many events going on.
 - Putting the parent café in the meeting
 - Using direct feedback from the parents
- c. Calendar of events
 - Posted and up to date on the Joshua Eaton Calendar and within the Jaguar Tracks
 - Trying to put events together on similar days, per parent feedback
- d. WASH Update
 - Head Smart came in to talk to grades 4 and 5, for helmet and bike safety
 - WASH will now fall under PTO, be given a budget



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4. Items for next meeting

- Global Learning
- The Future of Teaching

1) Adjourn