

Site Council Meeting Minutes - April 16th, 2008

Members in Attendance:

Charlie Smith (convener), Tommy Morrow, Catherine Saladrigas, Janell Schoellhorn, Wendy Yess, Cecilia Sloan (recorder)

Members Absent:

Shelly Frey, Michelle Bierman, , Greg and Iao Harrowe, Rebecca and Doris Rinaldi

Information:

Kennedy Behavior Information

Charlie Smith discussed the behaviors as reported at Kennedy along with the reporting forms. These forms include the Behavior Self Evaluation which is used by the student to record and analyze their behavior and which they take home to their parents for signature. The next level form would be the Kennedy Middle School Referral which records and reports minor behaviors such as tardies. The Major Discipline Referral which is sent to parents reports/records major problem behaviors such as fighting/physical aggression, serious disruption, etc. It was noted by Charlie that we have very few major referrals throughout the school year and that most minor referrals are for tardies. We are far under the national average which is 1 major referral per 100 students per day. Also, it was noted that bullying and harassment are generally under reported to schools in general.

New Kennedy Mascot

Kennedy staff and leadership students are continuing to work on naming a new mascot. It is our goal to have a new mascot in place by the end of this school year.