

PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 1, 2018 6:00PM

BAMS is committed to inspiring our students to Believe in Better, to encourage them to aspire to higher learning, and challenge them to achieve their maximum individual potential while providing a supportive and safe educational environment.
"Believe in BETTER!"

Welcome!

Review Communication Plan:

Input: Reviewed Communication Plan on school website. Discussion about the ease and convenience of text messages. Committee members will look over and offer any suggestions/updates they think would be helpful.

Website Needs? Committee to Review?

Input: Viewed Parent Resource Tab on website. Ms. Schwartz, Ms. Monroe and Ms. Davidson will review website for any needs, changes, updates and get those to Mrs. Bolender for update. Ms. Dismuke stated she has always been able to find what she was looking for on the website.

Spring/Winter Events? (Mother/Son Event, BAMS BASH, Spring Fling)

Input: After discussions PAC chose the following dates for events.

BAMS BASH- Feb. 1, 2019

Mother/Son (Boys to Men?)- March 2, 2019

Spring Fling: March 22, 2019

Miscellaneous-

Question: Why is 7th grade not going on Keys Trip this year. Discussion about the cost going up so much and so few students attending led to the decision. Discussion continued about options. PAC will explore other options for future.

How can PAC help lowest 25% of readers and School Improvement Goals? Discussion about having teachers getting a list of different things they are doing and PAC working on rewards or events to help promote and excite students. Possible ideas for ways to get Dads to campus for "Cocoa on the Commons", "Doughnuts with Dads", etc. and field trips or drawings at lunch for groups.

Accreditation Visit- Monday, October 22nd

PAC asked to attend for Parent Interview section of accreditation visit on Oct. 22nd. Mrs. Bolender will email reminder with exact timing and schedule.