

PAC Agenda/PTO/ Notes
April 29, 2024

1. Welcome and Attendance: Heather Honas, Kelcy Bremer, Ashley Rivers, Kaylee Carson, Catherine Siegle, Ashley Spaulding, Sandy Bachura
2. Collaboratively review the School/Parent Compact for Title 1.
Everyone present reviewed the compact and agreed to keep it as is.
3. KESA 2.0 Update
 - a. Mindy Bruce is assigned to our district. Her view is that KESA 2.0 is about true school improvement and not accreditation.
 - b. We will have a one-on-one meeting/check-in with Mindy and School Improvement Day with like districts (Herington, Marion, Lyons)
 - c. This next year's focus is to slow down and be intentional.
4. Review the CGES Building Needs Assessment
The team read and asked questions about the Building Needs Assessment. Heather shared changes that the teachers had made. The group was in agreement that it is ready to go to the BOE for approval.
5. Complete the End of Year PAC report
 - a. Question 1: How did the Site Council support the goals listed above? The team felt that no changes were necessary to the School/Parent Compact for Title I. KESA is continuing to have updates that have been shared with PAC.
 - b. Question 2: How would you rate the effectiveness of your Site Council during the current year? 1. Ineffective 2. Somewhat Ineffective 3. Somewhat Effective 4. Effective 4 people marked Somewhat Effective and 3 people marked Effective PAC members sometimes feel like they are not effective because they don't understand all of the things we talk about at PAC. Heather explained that teachers and administrators are learning as we go with KESA as it has changed many times this year. The Building Needs Assessment is overwhelming for teachers as well. We talked about things PAC has done in the past (created a bicycle policy, updated the recess policy in the parent/student handbook, etc.).
6. Schedule meeting dates for PTO/PAC 2024-2025 school year
Kelcy shared that she and Tasha plan to have PAC meetings the first Monday of each month. They plan on working on parent engagement, going over handbooks, assessments, etc. There will be a different subject each month. PTO will join when they need to have a meeting. Exciting things ahead!