



# Luther Burbank Middle School



**“Achieving Success as a Team - 110%, No Excuses”**

## SDMC Minutes

Thursday, January 19, 2012 (Principal's Office 3:45 pm)

- **Welcome and Sharing**
  - Members present, Valentino, Stewart, King, Fry, Anderson, L. Garza, Tatarskaja, and Campos
- **Student Feedback**
  - 6<sup>th</sup> grade – none present
  - 7<sup>th</sup> grade – none present
  - 8<sup>th</sup> grade – none present
- **Professional Representative Reports**
  - Parent Feedback - detention same day & written notice need to include an explanation / reason for the detention. Corner Store on Berry Rd. kids are hanging out doing inappropriate things after school. Administrative / police patrols would help move kids off Berry Rd.
  - PTO Report – none present
  - Business Partners Report – none present
- **Curriculum and Instruction**
  - Principal's Report – mid year conferences are complete. Data conferences are complete. Saturday school 8am – 3pm (students who miss tutorials and detention)
  - Assistant Principal's Report – March benchmarks are HISD generated. Must be given district wide.
  - Technology Report – none
  - Counselor Report – No Place for Hate – Ms. Anderson and students gave a brief overview of three planned events / activities. 1) “Shake Them Haters Off” rally students will learn the harmful affects of bullying through skits, songs, and dance. 2) “If You really Knew Me” Students will learn how to respect differences, respect others, and show empathy. 3) “Don't Ask Don't Tell” is an electronic survey which will be conducted in the library. Students will learn from each other, understanding that there are similarities and universal truths about all of us.
  - Department Report – Saturday school (give students missing work)
  - Cluster Report - - none given
- **Safety Concerns** – traffic congestion in halls during passing period could be minimized if everyone would stay to the right side of the hall (½ hall one way and ½ hall opposite way)
- **Questions and Concerns**
  - Students not turning in homework – more administrative support
  - Restrooms – no soap in student restrooms (health concern)

➤ Next Meeting Date: February 16<sup>th</sup> @ 3:45pm

Bolded Names Present at meeting

☐ Rosa Hernandez

☐ David Knittle

☐ **David Valentino**

☐ **Ardath Stewart**

☐ Kynette Gray

☐ Erin Andrews

☐ Brittany Jennings

☐ Frances Cortina

☐ Miguel Bonilla

☐ Laura Cabrales

☐ Raquel Rodriguez

☐ **Letitia King**

☐ **Sharon Fry**

☐ **T. Anderson**

☐ Elizabeth Ferrell

☐ **L. Garza\_**

☐ **Tatarskaja**

☐ **Elisa Campos**