



Shared Decision-Making Committee

10/16/2019

3:30PM – 4:30PM

3:30-3:35 Introductions

3:35 – 3:55 Spark Park Presentation/Q&A

- Presentation on Spark Park with specific layout ideas tailored for AIMS space
- Must be open to the public after school hours, on weekends and holidays
- Spark Park will fund 150K, HISD will provide \$5000 and AIMS will be required to contribute a minimum of \$5000
- If funds are secured quickly, the park (depending on complexity of the project) could be done by August 2020 but it'll depend on specifications of the equipment needed
- SDMC discussed pros/cons after the presentation and voted to move forward with the project but will have a larger discussion on the placement of the park next SDMC meeting

3:55 – 4:20 School Improvement Plan

- Reviewed the SIP for the 2019-2020 school year
- Addressed specific questions about GT – GT students will receive weekly UIL pullouts

4:20 - 4:30 Member Items

- Dismissal – Addressed the question about opening dismissal to walkers and car riders – Discussed the issues we have faced with walkers historically and the issues they present. We are also working on solidifying our dismissal procedures this year in a new campus. We recognize that we may need to reconsider walkers as we grow but for this school year, we will tweak systems for car riders and bus riders.
- Next Meeting Items: Location and Placement of SPARK park and selections of potential equipment