

PAC Agenda - Virtual

September 30, 2020

Delayed start: 5:40 p.m. to allow more parents to log-in

- **Welcome and Introductions**
- **Update from Nadia Cyprien, Director of Student Support**
  - Student Support Structure
  - Learning Plans vs IEPs
  - IEP Meetings and Evaluations
- **PAC Overview and Elections**
- **Planning for SY20-21**
  - PAC Dates
  - PAC Topics/Presentations

### **Introductions**

Amanda Neil - Co-Chair

Adrienne Ka-Co-Chair

Secretary - vacant

Treasure- vacant

BCCS faculty:

- Michelle Vasquez - 6th-grade parent
- Arianna Moliere, Student Support Teacher
- Leah Charles - Transition Coordinator
- Alexandra Fils-Aime - Student Support Manager 5-8) new capacity not teaching this year
- Sam Diener - Student Support Teacher (7th and 8th) new math teacher (middle school)
- Nadia Cyprien - Director of Student Support
- Mahi Oluma - Paraprofessional HS
- Nathania Onyeagoro - Student Support Manager (HS) 9-12

Ms. Cyprien presented topics and agenda:

Elections: proposed delaying until a later date

- Reviewed past process
- Reviewed vacant roles (co-chair, secretary, treasurer)
- Director asked for nominations or interest (via chat)
  - Ms.Neal and Ms. Kaszanek (expressed interest with staying on as Co-Chair)

Ms. Cyprien referenced Agenda (PowerPoint) link here

- Linking to MassPac (per Ms. Kasanek) - reference mass email to connect with this organization
- Discussion around parent needs and topics of interest
  - Ms. Neal noted that she would research and pursue more information on topics of interest.
  - Ms. Kaszanek: will visit MassPAC on 10/6/2020 and share notes
  - Other participants on the call were polled to see if Executive Functioning would be a topic of interest

**Next steps:**

- Upcoming PDs for parents: Navigating the Virtual World Date: TBD
- Nominations for elections
- Ms. Kaszanek proposed a survey
  - The survey should include days/times for PAC we meetings to poll parent/families
  - There was discussion around if mornings were an option

To increase parent participation participants proposed.

- Adding announcements for PAC in weekly parent newsletter this goes out on Friday
- Reminders by text for parents proposed to improve turn-out
- Post in social media ( school FB) parent reminders about upcoming events and PAC