

Native American Parent Advisory Committee  
(NAPAC)

Date: August 19, 2020

5:30 p.m. via ZOOM

1. Welcome/ Call the meeting to order:5:34pm
2. Attendance/Roster/Sign-in: Carol Thelin, Denise Pikarski, Dr Sherry Johnson, Carmen Hills, Shantel Flute, Erica Fischer-chair
3. Minutes: Review July 15, 2020 minutes
4. Curriculum: same Northern lights in middle school and new social studies in 2-8th grades
5. Cultural Activities: no new activities, Shobi resigned, Dallas Owen is now in place.
6. JOM: staff recall Oct. 1. School Supplies has been ordered. Reimbursement? ¼ budget doesn't exist. No more incentive for attendance. Currently no \$\$\$ for JOM board, it may need to be a committee? All other incentives are still valid. Internet assistance has been a HUGE demand, 5 months of paid service.
7. Tribal Education Department- Dr Sherry Johnson- Education Director
8. Staff: new PARA!
9. Sisseton-Wahpeton College: all on-line, make contact with Erin Griffin. Erin Kiyukanpi-We grant-(thinking and doing) any things in school-he can go out to the school until Sep. 30th (webX)or google meets?
10. 2 staff set aside to work with 47/173 students elected to distance learn. 87% are native, ideas to support the families and students. A group(United Methodist/retired teachers) in town starting tutoring will use church. Teacher will generate assignments via google classroom. Some students will receive packets, meals will be delivered for those who participate.remind will also be used for communication. Telephone conferences for those who don't have internet.
11. Parent resources: KHAN academy, Denise can get links for parents. Carmen will add to distance learning link.
12. Next meeting date: Sep. 16, 2020

Adjourn 6:17pm