

McGavock Elementary School

Open House/Title I Annual Meeting

Thursday, August 25, 2016

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Minutes

Dr. Stacey Elkins began our Open House/Annual Meeting at 5:35 p.m. in the cafeteria with a welcome to the families. She then introduced the faculty and staff of McGavock Elementary to the parents and families in attendance.

Mr. Charlie Brumit from our Pencil Partner Wilson Bank & Trust introduced the banking program available to students in which students can deposit money into their WB&T savings accounts every other Thursday at school beginning September 1, 2016.

Mr. Russ King from our Pencil Partner Donelson Church of Christ provided information about the monthly dinners the second Wednesday of every month from 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Ms. Hanah Atasi and Ms. Julie Smith shared information about the PTO and ways in which parents could become involved according to the time commitment they are willing to make.

Ms. Xavierra Washington, the school secretary, presented information about the SMART Card fundraiser currently in progress. Cards may be purchased through the end of August. She also introduced the "Unicycle" program which encourages people to donate SSA to the school which they no longer need to the school so that clothes are available to students in need.

Mrs. Hildateri Smith then welcomed the parents to Open House as she arrived from a late-running Principals Meeting.

Mr. Josh Wright then conducted the annual Title I/ESSA meeting with the parents. He presented information about:

- Title I
- Parents Rights to Know
 - Student progress, School status, Safe school
- Parent Compact and Parent Involvement Policy
- Funds and Expenditures
- School-wide or Targeted Assistance
- Dates of Events

Materials pertinent to the presentation and upcoming school events were distributed to interested families.

Families were then dismissed to the classrooms of their children's teachers to meet and gather more information about the activities and learning occurring in each room. If families had children in more than one classroom, they had enough time allotted to visit each classroom.

The meeting concluded at 7:00 p.m.